## PRINCE OF PEACE

"For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders.

And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Isaiah 9:6 (NIV)

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill toward men!"

Luke 2:14 (NKJV)

❖ As "Prince of Peace" Jesus mission was to bring peace to a <u>LOST WORLD</u>

"For he himself is our peace, who has made the two one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility, by abolishing in his flesh the law with its commandments and regulations. His purpose was to create in himself one new man out of the two, thus making peace, and in this one body to reconcile both of them to God through the cross, by which he put to death their hostility. He came and preached peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near."

Ephesians 2:14-17 (NIV)

❖ As "Prince of Peace" Jesus brings peace to a WORLD in CONFLICT

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

John 14:27 (NIV)

❖ As "Prince of Peace" Jesus brings peace to our <u>HEARTS</u> and <u>MINDS</u>

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

Philippians 4:6-7 (NIV)

❖ As "Prince of Peace" Jesus offers each of us PEACE TODAY

"Therefore, since we have been made right in God's sight by faith, we have peace with God because of what Jesus Christ our Lord has done for us. Because of our faith, Christ has brought us into this place of highest privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to sharing God's glory."

Romans 5:1-2 (NLT)

"For God loved the people of the world so much that He sent me, His one and only Son, so that for everyone who put their faith and trust in me they would have everlasting life."