

## Quiet Moments with God

Allow these Quiet Moments to draw you into a time of rest and reflection with the Lord. Open your heart. What is He saying to you?

### Peace

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\*Prayer: Lord Jesus Christ, help me to keep my eyes fixed on you. You alone are my peace. Thank you for your gracious care. Amen

*You will keep in perfect peace  
all who trust in you,  
all whose thoughts are fixed on you!  
Trust in the LORD always,  
for the LORD GOD is the eternal Rock.*

Isaiah 26:3-4 NLT

*I myself will tend my sheep and give them a place to lie down in peace, says the Sovereign LORD. I will search for my lost ones who strayed away, and I will bring them safely home again.*

*I will bandage the injured and strengthen the weak.*

Ezekiel 34:15-16a NLT

*I have told you this so that you will have peace  
by being united to me.*

*The world will make you suffer.*

*But be brave!*

*I have defeated the world!"*

John 16:33 GNT

# I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day

Song by Casting Crowns

I heard the bells on Christmas day  
Their old familiar carols play  
And mild and sweet their songs repeat  
Of peace on Earth, good will to men

And the bells are ringing (peace on Earth)  
Like a choir they're singing (peace on Earth)  
In my heart I hear them (peace on Earth)  
Peace on Earth, good will to men

And in despair I bowed my head  
"There is no peace on Earth," I said  
For hate is strong and mocks the song  
Of peace on Earth, good will to men

But the bells are ringing (peace on Earth)  
Like a choir singing (peace on Earth)  
Does anybody hear them? (Peace on Earth)  
Peace on Earth, good will to men

Then rang the bells more loud and deep  
God is not dead, nor doth He sleep  
(Peace on Earth)  
(Peace on Earth)  
The wrong shall fail, the right prevail  
With peace on Earth, good will to men

Then ringing, singing on its way  
The world revolved from night to day  
A voice, a chime, a chant sublime  
Of peace on Earth, good will to men

And the bells, they're ringing (peace on Earth)  
Like a choir they're singing (peace on Earth)  
And with our hearts, we'll hear them (peace on Earth)  
Peace on Earth, good will to men

Do you hear the bells, they're ringing? (Peace on Earth)  
The light, the angels singing (peace on Earth)  
Open up your heart and hear them (peace on Earth)  
Peace on Earth, good will to men

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