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"...and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

Philippians 4:7

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Faith allows Peace to fill and flood us

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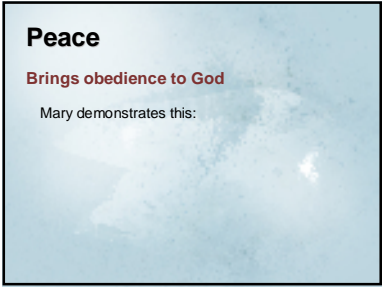
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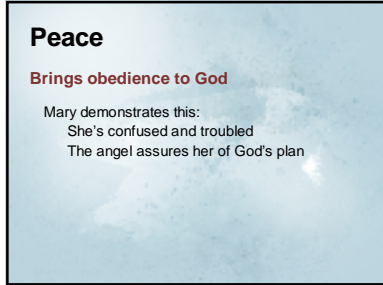
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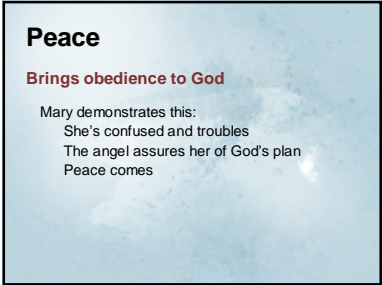
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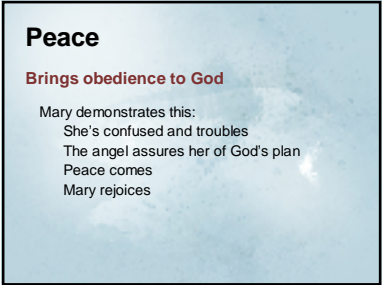
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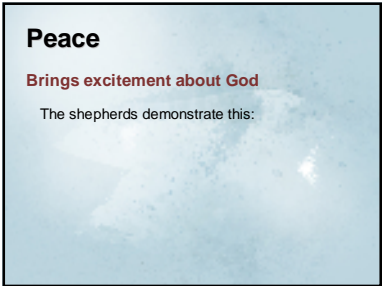
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Mary rejoices



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Peace comes  
They share the Good News with the world

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"My soul glorifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all generations will call me blessed, for the Mighty One has done great things for me— holy is His name. His mercy extends to those who fear him, from generation to generation.

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Joseph's peace is an incredible witness  
To Mary  
To Jesus  
To the world around him

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He has come to the poor  
He has come to us all

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We know His peace so we offer Him praise.

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