PENINSULA CHRISTIAN
F E L L O W S H I P

After the Resurrection
Three things Jesus left us
(In addition to The Holy Spirit)

1) **His** Peace
2) **His** Restoration
3) **His** Assignment

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John 20:19-21 *- (Don't get ahead of Him)*

"Then, ***the same day*** *at evening"*

The ***FIRST*** *thing He says to the apostles after His resurrection is very important. (He has already spoken to Mary)*

"Peace be with you."
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Do you think they were a little uneasy? ***Maybe even insecure****?*

"When the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled, ***for fear*** *of the Jews"*

We never get fear from God

He doesn't have any to give
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Peace *= Set at* ***one again***

His Peace is restored ***relational security***

It is safety – being ***NOT at risk***

The enemy comes only to steal, kill and destroy

And ***he stalks us with fear*** *for that very reason*
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There is ***NOTHING*** *more safe and secure than* ***our security in Christ Jesus****!*

This is not the first time He promised it to them, and us.

John 14:27
"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."*

Why? *Because He is not afraid*

John 16:33
"I have told you these things, ***so that in Me you may have peace****. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."*
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He is going to give a couple of other really important things…

AND ***the Holy Spirit!***

But ***NOTHING*** *is more important than* ***His Peace!***

His *relational security is* ***THE*** *bedrock and foundation of* ***ALL*** *we have* ***from*** *Him,* ***with*** *Him and* ***in His behalf****!*
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Never reduce this to a doctrinal standard

*It is **RELATIONAL!!***

First, Foremost** & **Always!!!

***EVERYTHING** we share **with God** is dependent on this!*

***Job 9** & **10** – He no longer believes he is safe with God…*
Because of his circumstances
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***No one but Him** can give it. **No one else** can take it away.*

(Without it our faith will become corrupted)

***Don't** be cheated into giving it away.*