

The Peacemaker

A Biblical Guide to Resolving Personal Conflict

Lesson #4 “Trust in the Lord and Do Good”

Read Chapter Three and answer the following questions from pages 59-73.

Psalms 37:3 Trust in the LORD, and do good; Dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness.

- 1) What is the meaning of the sovereignty of God?

- 2) Why do we struggle with the sovereignty of God in times of painful and unjust events in our lives?

- 3) “Even when _____ and _____ things are happening, God is _____ exercising ultimate control and _____ things out for his _____ purposes”

- 4) Why are we accountable for our decisions?

- 5) “We will _____ suffer _____ or be involved in disputes unless _____ allows them and is _____ over them. In other words, _____ conflict that comes into _____ lives has somehow been _____ by God.”

- 6) What was the reason J.I. Packer said God leaves us in a world of sin?

- 7) Why does God allow us to suffer insults and conflict?

- 8) What does **1 Corinthians 10:13** teach us about the limit of trials in our lives?

- 9) What are the two ways that God provides “a way out” in midst of our problems?

- 10) How do we waste time and energy in midst of our trials?

- 11) What does trusting God mean?

- 12) What does **Psalms 37:1-6** teach us our response should be during oppositions and mistreatment?

- 13) What was Peter and the apostles attitude when threaten and beaten for the gospel?

- 14) How did Paul view his many imprisonments?

- 15) What does Joni Eareckson Tada says the sovereignty of God teaches us?