

A bright sun is positioned in the upper left quadrant of the image, casting a starburst pattern of light rays across the sky. The sky is a deep, vibrant blue, and it is filled with numerous white, fluffy clouds of varying sizes and densities. The overall scene is bright and clear, suggesting a sunny day.

Encouragement In The Storm

2 Thessalonians 3:16-18

Introduction

- **How did the apostle Paul conclude most of his letters to the various churches and individuals?**
- **What did Paul do in his greetings?**
- **What was one common theme in all his benedictions?**

1st Principle About Divine Peace

2 Thessalonians 3:16

- **What is the first principle about divine peace in 2 Thessalonians 3:16?**
- **Who is the God of peace and who is the Lord of peace? What two things does this reveal?**
- **What did you learn about peace from John 14:27?**

2nd Principle About Divine Peace

2 Thessalonians 3:16

- **What is the second principle about divine peace in 2 Thessalonians 3:16?**
- **What are the three truths about divine peace?**
- **How causes a believer to be unhappy in this life? What is the solution to a lack of peace?**

3rd & 4th Principles About Divine Peace

2 Thessalonians 3:16

- **What is the third principle about divine peace in 2 Thessalonians 3:16? According to Philippians 4:6-7 when can be experience peace?**

- **What is the fourth principle about divine peace in 2 Thessalonians 3:16? What is the meaning of this principle?**

End of Paul's Benediction

2 Thessalonians 3:18

- **How did Paul conclude his benediction?**
- **How did believers benefit from God's grace in the past?
What does Romans 5:2 and 1 Peter 1:13 reveal about grace?**
- **How can we have grace when we are in need according to
Hebrews 4:16?**

The Conclusion

- 1. Because believers are saved by grace, what do we have with the Father forever (Romans 8:1)?**
- 2. Because believers are living in grace, what can we have right now in this life? How can we obtain this?**
- 3. Because there is a future grace, what will happen? What do we have to do to make this happen?**
- 4. Why should this benediction have been an encouragement?**