REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS. I WILL SAY IT AGAIN: REJOICE! LET YOUR GENTLENESS BE EVIDENT TO ALL. THE LORD IS NEAR. DO NOT BE ANXIOUS ABOUT ANYTHING, BUT IN EVERY SITUATION, BY PRAYER AND PETITION, WITH THANKSGIVING, PRESENT YOUR REQUESTS TO GOD. AND THE PEACE OF GOD, WHICH TRANSCENDS ALL UNDERSTANDING, WILL GUARD

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YOUR HEARTS AND YOUR MINDS IN CHRIST JESUS. FINALLY, BROTHERS AND SISTERS, WHATEVER IS TRUE, WHATEVER IS NOBLE, WHATEVER IS RIGHT, WHATEVER IS PURE, WHATEVER IS LOVELY, WHATEVER IS ADMIRABLE—IF ANYTHING IS EXCELLENT OR PRAISEWORTHY—THINK ABOUT SUCH THINGS. WHATEVER YOU HAVE LEARNED OR RECEIVED OR HEARD FROM ME, OR SEEN IN ME—

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PUT IT INTO PRACTICE. AND THE GOD OF PEACE WILL BE WITH YOU.

#### PHILIPPIANS 4:4-9

## CITY ON A HILL BECOMING A CHURCH THE WORLD NEEDS



#### PHILIPPIANS 4

V. 4-9

SOCIETIES APPEAR TO BE SUBJECT, EVERY NOW AND THEN, TO PERIODS OF MORAL PANIC. [...] SOMETIMES THE PANIC PASSES OVER AND IS FORGOTTEN, EXCEPT IN FOLKLORE AND COLLECTIVE MEMORY; AT OTHER TIMES IT HAS MORE SERIOUS AND LONG-LASTING REPERCUSSIONS AND MIGHT PRODUCE SUCH

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CHANGES AS THOSE IN LEGAL OR SOCIAL POLICY OR EVEN IN THE WAY SOCIETY CONCEIVES ITSELF.

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# PRAY THANKFULLY (VERSE 6)

# THINK DIFFERENTLY (VERSE 8)

### PRACTICE PERSISTENTLY (VERSE 9)

### REALIZE PEACE IS A PERSON (VERSE 9)



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.

JOHN 16:33

