

Left Behind but Not Left Alone

SERIES: GETTING READY FOR EASTER - Part 1

John 13:1 (MSG) *Just before the Passover Feast, Jesus knew that the time had come to leave this world to go to the Father. . . .*

PROMISES FROM GOD IN UNCERTAIN TIMES

1. GOD HAS PROMISED YOU A FUTURE

John 14:2-3 (MSG) ² *There is plenty of room for you in my Father's home. If that weren't so, would I have told you that I'm on my way to get a room ready for you? ³ And if I'm on my way to get your room ready, I'll come back and get you so you can live where I live.*

2. GOD HAS PROMISED YOU A FRIEND

John 14:16-17 (NLT) *“And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Counselor, who will never leave you. He is the Holy Spirit, who leads all to Truth... He lives with you now and later will be in you.”*

Romans 8:9 (NLT) *“You are controlled by the Spirit if you have the Spirit of God living in you. (And remember that those who do not have the Spirit of Christ living in them are not Christians at all).”*

- Our friend will bring **GOD'S PEACE**
- Our friend will bring **GOD'S JOY**

3. GOD HAS PROMISED YOU A FAMILY

John 15:12 (NLT) *“I command you to love each other in the same way that I love you.”*

My response – **CHOOSE to trust God.**

John 14:1 (NIV) *“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God; trust also in Me.”*

John 16:33 (MSG) *“I’ve told you all this so that trusting Me, you will be unshakable and assured, deeply at peace. In this godless world you will continue to experience difficulties. But take heart! I’ve conquered the world.”*