

God's High Call To Contrarian Living

1 Peter 3:9-12
(Part 2)



1 Pet. 3:8 // Our call within the church

“Finally, all of you, have:

...unity of mind

...sympathy

...brotherly love

...a tender heart

...a humble mind.”

1 Peter 2:23 (ESV)

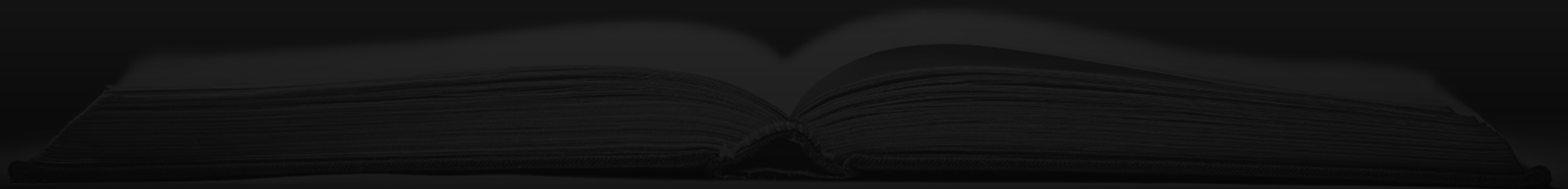
"When He was reviled, He did not revile in return; when He suffered, He did not threaten, but continued entrusting Himself to Him who judges justly."

Luke 6:27 (ESV)

"But I say to you who hear, love your enemies, do good to those who hate you"

Luke 6:28 (ESV)

"bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you."



“bless”

[‘eulogeo’]



invoking God’s goodness and kindness upon another

Romans 8:17 (ESV)

"and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him."

Colossians 3:23–24 (ESV)

"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, (24)knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ."

Deuteronomy 28:1–2 (ESV)

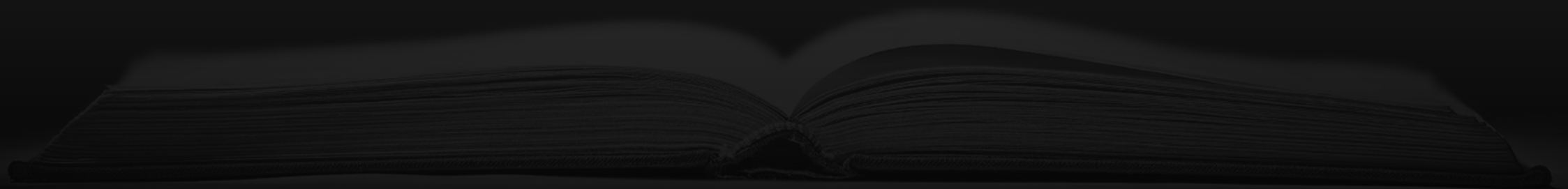
"And if you faithfully obey the voice of the LORD your God, being careful to do all his commandments that I command you today, the LORD your God will set you high above all the nations of the earth. (2)And all these blessings shall come upon you and overtake you, if you obey the voice of the LORD your God."

Proverbs 4:24 (ESV)

"Put away from you crooked speech, and put devious talk far from you."

Proverbs 13:3 (ESV)

"Whoever guards his mouth preserves his life; he who opens wide his lips comes to ruin."



1 Samuel 24:6–7 (ESV)

"He said to his men, 'The LORD forbid that I should do this thing to my lord, the LORD's anointed, to put out my hand against him, seeing he is the LORD's anointed.' (7) So David persuaded his men with these words and did not permit them to attack Saul. And Saul rose up and left the cave and went on his way."

“seek peace”

[‘shalom’]



*Imparting wellness, wholeness, healthfulness;
creating and maintaining an environment of
benefit for all*

Psalm 56:8 (ESV)

"You have kept count of my tossings; put my tears in your bottle. Are they not in your book?"

Psalm 34:18–19 (ESV)

"The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit. (19) Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the LORD delivers him out of them all."

Philippians 4:5-7 (ESV)

“...The Lord is at hand; (6)do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. (7)And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”

Psalm 34:17 (ESV)

"When the righteous cry for help, the LORD hears and delivers them out of all their troubles."

