

Galatians 5:1

For freedom Christ has set us free;
stand firm therefore,
and do not submit again
to a yoke of slavery.

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Genesis 1:26-27

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“Let us make man in our image, after our likeness.

And let them have dominion

over the fish of the sea

and over the birds of the heavens

and over the livestock and over all the earth

and over every creeping thing that creeps

on the earth.”

So God created man in his own image,
in the image of God he created him;
male and female he created them.

Genesis 1:28

And God blessed them.

And God said to them,

“Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth
and subdue it and have dominion
over the fish of the sea
and over the birds of the heavens
and over every living thing that moves
on the earth.”

1 John 2:16

For all that is in the world –
the desires of the flesh
and the desires of the eyes
and pride in possessions –
is not from the Father but is from the world.

Unbelief

Pride

Lust

And did those feet in ancient time,
Walk upon England's mountains green:
And was the holy Lamb of God,
On England's pleasant pastures seen!

And did the Countenance Divine,
Shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here,
Among these dark Satanic Mills?

~William Blake

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1 Peter 5:1-4

So I exhort the elders among you, as a fellow elder
and a witness of the sufferings of Christ,
as well as a partaker in the glory
that is going to be revealed:

shepherd the flock of God that is among you,
exercising oversight, not under compulsion,
but willingly, as God would have you;
not for shameful gain, but eagerly;
not domineering over those in your charge,
but being examples to the flock.

And when the chief Shepherd appears,
you will receive the unfading crown of glory.

1 Peter 5:5

Likewise, you who are younger,

be subject to the elders.

Clothe yourselves, all of you,
with humility toward one another,

for “God opposes the proud
but gives grace to the humble.”

1 Peter 5:6-7

Humble yourselves, therefore,
under the mighty hand of God so that
at the proper time he may exalt you,
casting all your anxieties on him,
because he cares for you.

1 Peter 5:8-9

Be sober-minded; be watchful.

Your adversary the devil
prowls around like a roaring lion,
seeking someone to devour.

Resist him, firm in your faith,
knowing that the same kinds of suffering
are being experienced by your brotherhood
throughout the world.

James 4:7

Submit yourselves therefore to God.
Resist the devil,
and he will flee from you.

1 Peter 5:10-11

And after you have suffered a little while,
the God of all grace, who has called you
to his eternal glory in Christ,
will himself restore, confirm,
strengthen, and establish you.

To him be the dominion forever and ever.

Amen.

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I will not cease from Mental Fight,
Nor shall my Sword sleep in my hand:
Till we have built Jerusalem,
In England's green & pleasant Land

μετὰ πάσης παρρησίας
ώς ἐν τῇ παρουσίᾳ αὐτοῦ
εἰρηνεύετε οὖν ώς ἐλεύθεροι
εἰς τὴν παρουσίαν τοῦ κυρίου

*meta pases parresias
hos en te parousia autou,
eirenuete oun hos eleutheroi
eis ten parousian tou kuriou.*

With all boldness [*parresia*]
as in His presence [*parousia*],
live thus in peace, as free,
till the coming [*parousia*] of the Lord!