

Word WITH BISHOP PHILIP LIM

Clothe
yourself

COLOSSIANS 3: 12-17 (NIV)



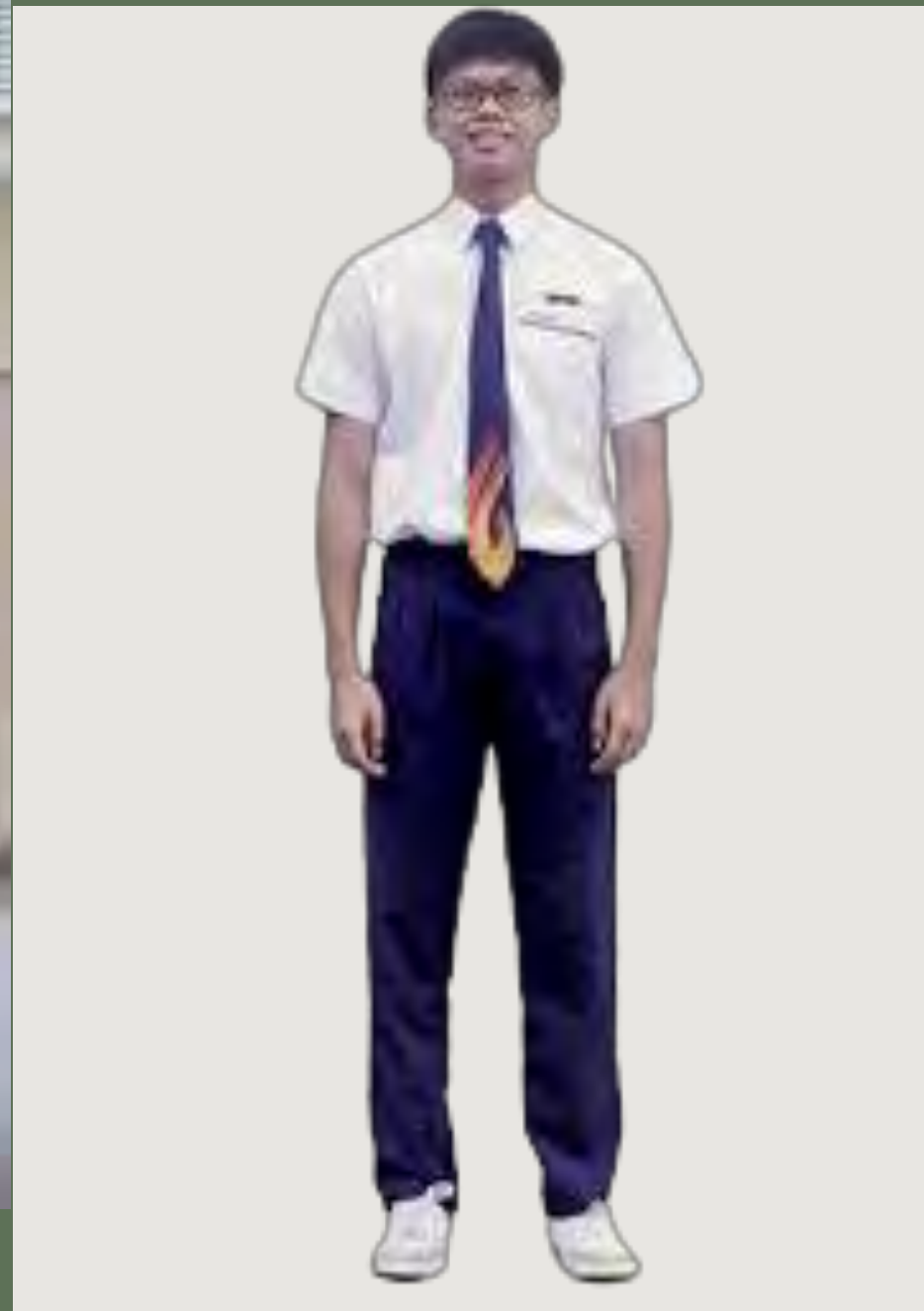
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¹² Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. ¹³ Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. ¹⁴ And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.

¹⁵ Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. ¹⁶ Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. ¹⁷ And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.



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PSALMS 30: 11

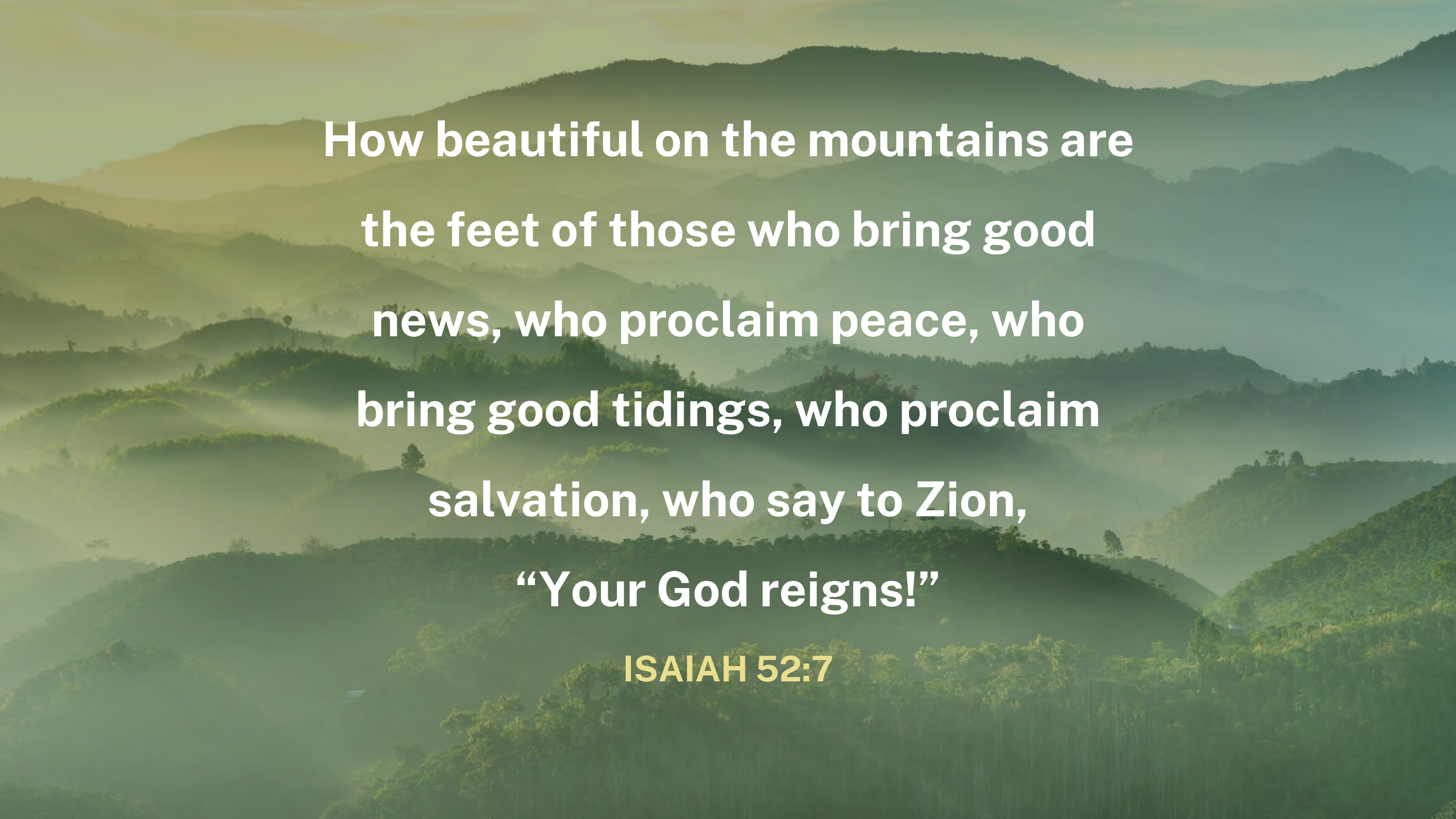
You turned my wailing into dancing;
you removed my sackcloth and clothed me with joy...



ISAIAH 52: 1

Awake awake, O Zion, cloth yourself with strength. Put on your garment of splendor, O Jerusalem, the Holy city.



A scenic view of rolling green mountains under a hazy, golden sky. The mountains are layered, with the foreground being the most detailed and the background fading into a soft, golden light. The text is overlaid in the center of the image.

**How beautiful on the mountains are
the feet of those who bring good
news, who proclaim peace, who
bring good tidings, who proclaim
salvation, who say to Zion,
“Your God reigns!”**

ISAIAH 52:7

ISAIAH 61: 10

I delight greatly in the Lord; my soul rejoices in my God. For he has **clothed me** with garments of salvation and arrayed me in a robe of his righteousness, as a bridegroom adorns his head like a priest, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.

ECCLESIASTES 9: 8

Always be clothed in white, and
always anoint your head with oil.

LUKE 24: 49

I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been **clothed** with power from on high.”

COLOSSIANS 3: 12

Therefore, as God's chosen people,
holy and dearly loved, **clothe
yourselves** with compassion, kindness,
humility, gentleness and patience.

COLOSSIANS 3: 14

And over all these virtues **put on** love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.

COLOSSIANS 3: 12

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Wash clothes on
a full load and save
the laundry water

MAKE EVERY DROP COUNT
Simple Actions. Sustainable Future.

Reuse the laundry
water to flush
your toilets





COLOSSIANS 3: 13

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COLOSSIANS 1: 19-20

For it pleased *the Father that* in Him all the fullness should dwell, and by Him to reconcile all things to Himself, by Him, whether things on earth or things in heaven, having made peace through the blood of His cross.

COLOSSIANS 3: 13

Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

MATTHEW 18: 22

Jesus said to him, “I do not say to you, up to seven times, but up to seventy times seven.

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COLOSSIANS 3: 15-16

Above all **put on** the peace of Christ rule in your heart...and let the word of Christ dwell richly in you.

COLOSSIANS 3: 5-10

Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived. But now you must also **rid yourselves** of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips. **Do not** lie to each other, since you have **taken off** your old self with its practices and have **put on** the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator.

COLOSSIANS 3: 12

Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.

REVELATION 3: 5

He who overcomes will thus be **clothed in white garments**; and I will not erase his name from the book of life, and I will confess his name before My Father and before His angels

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Reflect on specific areas in your life where virtues mentioned in v 12-14 can be more evident. How can you practice these characteristics in your daily interactions?
2. In verse 15, Paul speaks about letting the peace of Christ rule in our hearts. What does it mean for you personally to let Christ's peace rule over situations where there is tension or conflict? Are there areas in your life where you need to surrender to God's peace?
3. Verse 16 emphasizes letting the message of Christ dwell among us richly. How do you make room for God's Word in your life, and how does it shape your thoughts and actions? In what ways can you grow in teaching and encouraging others through Scripture, both with words and through example?