Peace I Leave with You

Based on John 14:1–2, 27; 15:5

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REFRAIN

Peace I leave with you. My peace I give to you.

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

D

A

Em

Bm

F♯m

Bm

G

D

INTERLUDE

Bm

G

D/A

A

to Verses
VERSE 1

Melody

1. Do not let your hearts be troubled. Have faith in God and faith in me.

Harmony

Bm G D/A A

D.S.

VERSE 2

Melody

2. In my Father's house are many dwellings. I

Harmony

Bm G D/A A

D.S.
2. go there to prepare a place for you.

VERSE 3

3. I am the vine and you are the branches, remain in me; you will bear abundant fruit.
Composer Notes

The text of this song is based on some of the most comforting and encouraging words Jesus ever spoke to his disciples. In just a few lines, Jesus reminds us to have faith, to remain close to him, and not to worry, but to receive his gift of peace.

The melody is designed for assembly singing, including the verses. To vary the texture of the verses, tenors and basses could sing verse one, sopranos and altos sing verse two, and tenors and basses on melody in verse three, with sopranos and altos on the harmony part. After verse 2, add the descant, using just a few sopranos.

“Peace I Leave with You” is especially appropriate for funerals and during the Easter season, but can be used year round any time a song of comfort is needed.

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(Guitar/Choral)

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INTRO  Moderato (q = ca. 80)

(Kbd)

REFRAIN

D  A  Em  D

Soprano: Peace I leave with you. My peace I give to you.

Alto: Let not your hearts be troubled. Peace be with you.

Tenor:

Bass:

INTERLUDE

Bm  G  D

Fine

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VERSE 1
Bm
1. Do not let your hearts be troubled. Have

VERSE 2
Bm
2. In my Father's house are many dwellings. I

VERSE 3
Bm
3. I am the vine and you are the branches, remain in me; you will bear abundant fruit.
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Verse 1

Do not let your hearts be troubled. Have faith in God and faith in me.

Verse 2

In my Father’s house are many dwellings. I go there to prepare a place for you.

Verse 3

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