

The Good Life

1 Peter 3:8-12

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Finally, all of you be like-minded and sympathetic, love one another, and be compassionate and humble, not paying back evil for evil or insult for insult but, on the contrary, giving a blessing, since you were called for this, so that you may inherit a blessing.

For the one who wants to love life
and to see good days,
let him keep his tongue from evil
and his lips from speaking deceit,
and let him turn away from evil
and do what is good.

Let him seek peace and pursue it,
because the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and
his ears are open to their prayer.

But the face of the Lord is against
those who do what is evil.

It's found in fellowship
with a community of
people who have been
born again (verse 8).

It's forged through
bringing blessing in a
world that's full of strife
(verses 9-12).

“I found more in Christ than I ever expected to want.”

- Charles Bridges

