

HE SHALL BE CALLED WONDERFUL COUNSELOR

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For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government shall be upon his shoulder. And his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6

pele' (peh'-leh); beyond understanding, too wonderful for words.

ya`ats (yaw-ats'); to advise; to consult, to guide.

*For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. **16** Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. Hebrews 4:15-16*

JESUS—THE WONDERFUL COUNSELOR

- **COMES FOR THE SICK.**

*And Jesus answered them, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. **32** I have not come to call the righteous but sinners to repentance." Luke 5:31-32*

- 1) **BE HONEST WITH THE COUNSELOR.**

*Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." **17** The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband'; John 4:16-17*

Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved. Psalms 55:22

- 2) **LISTEN TO THE COUNSELOR'S VOICE.**

...a voice came out of the cloud: "This is my beloved Son, listen to him!" Mark 9:7

My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. John 10:27

- 3) **DO WHAT THE COUNSELOR TELLS YOU TO DO.**

And he said to him, "Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth." And Jesus, looking at him, loved him. Mark 10:20-21a

*"You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." **22** Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions. Mark 10:21b-22*