## Romans 5:1-5 (CEB)

Therefore, since we have been made righteous through his faithfulness, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>2</sup> We have access by faith into this grace in which we stand through him, and we boast in the hope of God's glory. <sup>3</sup> But not only that! We even take pride in our problems, because we know that trouble produces endurance, <sup>4</sup> endurance produces character, and character produces hope. <sup>5</sup> This hope doesn't put us to shame, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.