Deacon's Beacons

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For godly grief produces a repentance that leads to salvation without regret, whereas worldly grief produces death. 2 Corinthians 7:10

Another translation uses the word sorrow rather than grief. That tends to make more sense when you look at this verse in context. Paul is reflecting on the effect that his first letter had on the community in Corinth and how it saddened them and called them to repentance. Worrying about your relationship with God will cause you to evaluate it and make changes in how you live. Worrying about worldly concerns takes our focus off what is truly important, our relationship with God.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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