

## **YET WILL I REJOICE IN THE LORD**

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**Hab 3:17** Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither *shall* fruit *be* in the vines; the labour of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and *there shall be* no herd in the stalls:

**Hab 3:18** Yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation.

**Phi 4:4** Rejoice in the Lord alway: *and* again I say, Rejoice.

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**Rejoice in the Lord alway** - Be continually happy; but this happiness you can find only in the Lord. Genuine happiness is spiritual; as it can only come from God,

**Eph 1:3** Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly *places* in Christ:

**Psa 32:1** I will bless the LORD at all times: his praise *shall* continually *be* in my mouth.

**Psa 34:2** My soul shall make her boast in the LORD: the humble shall hear *thereof*, and be glad.

**Psa 34:3** O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.

**Psa 32:10** Many sorrows *shall be* to the wicked: but he that trusteth in the LORD, mercy shall compass him about.

**Psa 32:11** Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, ye righteous: and shout for joy, all *ye that are* upright in heart.

## **SORROWS BANISHED**

**Isa 25:8** He will swallow up death in victory; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from off all faces; and the rebuke of his people shall he take away from off all the earth: for the LORD hath spoken *it*.

**Isa 25:9** And it shall be said in that day, Lo, this *is* our God; we have waited for him, and he will save us: this *is* the LORD; we have waited for him, we will be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

## **REJOICING IN HIS SALVATION**

1. **The New Birth Gives You:**
  - a. **A New Beginning:** Redeemed
  - b. **A New Freedom:** Free from the Slavery of sin
  - c. **A New Nature:** Partaker of God's Holy Nature
  - d. **A New Lifestyle:** A new desire, and power to live a holy and righteous life
  - e. **A New Life:** Eternal Life

## **OTHER TIMES TO REJOICE**

1. **When Men shall Revile you and say all manner of evil against your falsely, for my name sake,** Matthew 5:11-12.

**(Mat 5:12)** Rejoice, and be exceeding glad: for great *is* your reward in heaven: for so persecuted they the prophets which were before you.

**Luk 6:23** Rejoice ye in that day, and leap for joy..."

2. **Rejoice That Your Names are Written in Heaven**

**Luk 10:19** Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

**Luk 10:20** Notwithstanding in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.

3. **When One Sinner Prays Through:**

a. **The Lost Sheep:**

**Luk 15:3** And he spake this parable unto them, saying,

**Luk 15:4** What man of you, having an hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?

**Luk 15:5** And when he hath found *it*, he layeth *it* on his shoulders, rejoicing.

**Luk 15:6** And when he cometh home, he calleth together *his* friends and neighbours, saying unto them, Rejoice with me; for I have found my sheep which was lost.

4. **When You fall and Make a Mistake:**

**Mic 7:8** Rejoice not against me, O mine enemy: when I fall, I shall arise; when I sit in darkness, the LORD *shall be* a light unto me.

5. **When You Go Through Fiery Trials:**

**1Pe 4:12** Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you:

**1Pe 4:13** But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.

6. **Through Persecution:** (Acts 5:41)

**Act 5:41** And they departed from the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer shame for his name.

**Act 5:42** And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.

7. **In Poverty**: (2 Cor. 6:10)

**2Co 6:10** As sorrowful, yet alway rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and *yet* possessing all things.

8. **Loss of Property**: (Heb. 10:34).

**Heb 10:34** For ye had compassion of me in my bonds, and took joyfully the spoiling of your goods, knowing in yourselves that ye have in heaven a better and an enduring substance.

9. **Rejoicing With Loud Worship**: (2 Chron. 30:21)

**2Ch 30:21** And the children of Israel that were present at Jerusalem kept the feast of unleavened bread seven days with great gladness: and the Levites and the priests praised the LORD day by day, *singing* with loud instruments unto the LORD.

10. **When Israel Passed Through the Red Sea**:  
(Ex. 15:1-7)

11. **Rejoicing Everyday in His Name**: (Psalms 89: 15\_16)

**Psa 89:15** Blessed *is* the people that know the joyful sound: they shall walk, O LORD, in the light of thy countenance.

**Psa 89:16** In thy name shall they rejoice all the day: and in thy righteousness shall they be exalted.

**Psa 89:17** For thou *art* the glory of their strength: and in thy favour our horn shall be exalted.

12. **Rejoicing When Satan Meets His Doom**: (Rev. 20:10).

**Rev 20:10** And the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet *are*, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.