

The Joyous Life

◆ God Commands Us To Rejoice

» **Philippians 4:4**

◆ Jesus Came To Bring Joy

» **Romans 14:17; John 15:11; 17:13**

- **By His Birth** **Luke 2:10-11**
- **His Resurrection** **Luke 24:41**
- **His Ascension** **Luke 24:50-52**
- **He Provides Eternal Joy** **Matthew 25:21**

◆ Joy Comes From Faith

- **In Believing** **Acts 16:34**
- **Joy Follows Faith** **Hebrews 12:2; Acts 8:5-8; 36-39**

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◆ Joy Is Based On Forgiveness

– The Just Have Joy

Proverbs 21:15

– True Joy Found In Glory of God

Psalm 149:5; Romans 5:1-2

◆ Joy Is Present Even In Trials

» **James 1:2-3**

– Joyful When Suffering With Patience

1Peter 2:19-20

– Joy That We Are Worthy To Suffer

Acts 5:41

◆ The Joy of The Lord Is Forever

– The World Will Pass Away

2Peter 3:10

– But Joy is Here And Forever

John 16:24; Revelation 21:4