



Welcome to Rehoboth New Life Center

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July 30th , 2023



Isaiah 12:3 Therefore with joy shall ye draw
water out of the wells of salvation.

Biblical Joy

Sasown

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Noun Masculine

- 1. gladness, joy, exultation, rejoicing
- 1. exultation, joy

Dictionary

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noun

a feeling of great pleasure and happiness.
"tears of joy"

- A deep feeling of happiness and contentment. A state of being that goes beyond temporary pleasures. And comes with a profound sense of fulfilment.
- 1 Timothy 6:6 ¶But godliness with contentment is great gain.
- An acceptance that God is ultimately in control (Trust) can bring Joy

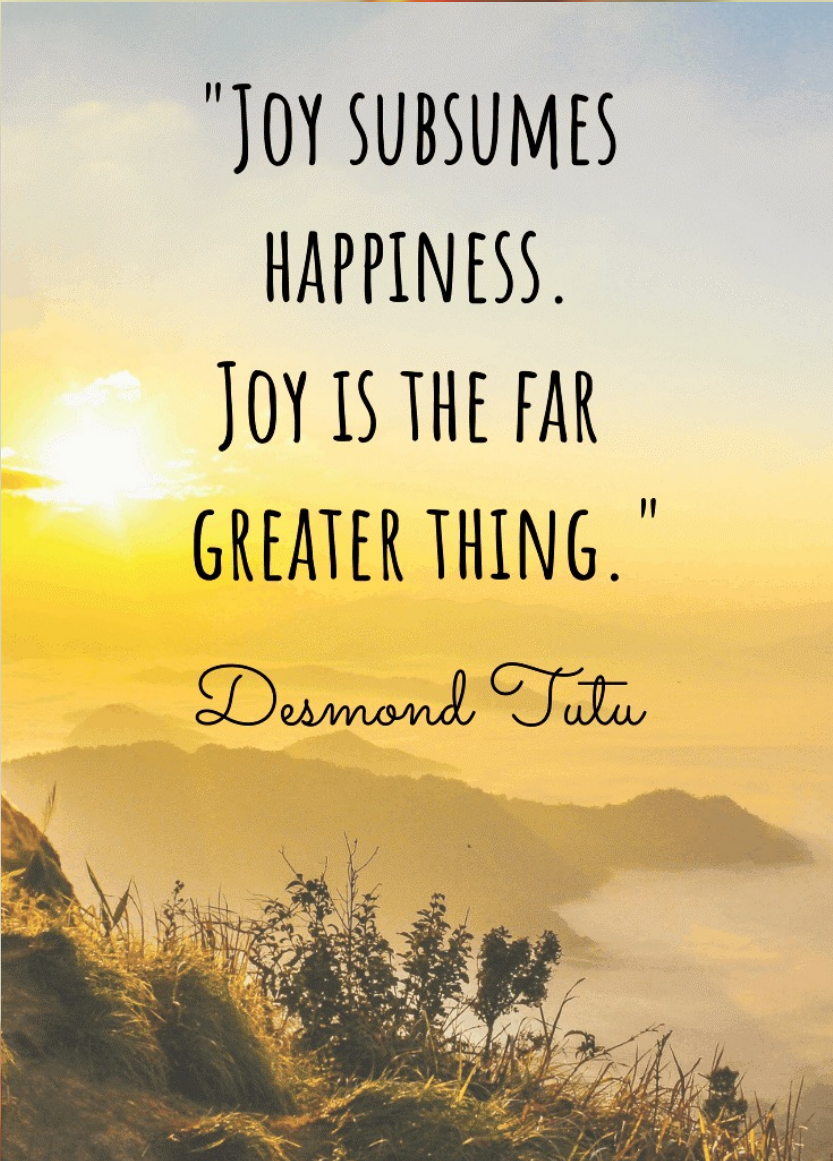
Difference Between Happiness and Joy ?

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JOY

THE SETTLED ASSURANCE THAT GOD IS IN
CONTROL OF ALL THE DETAILS OF MY LIFE,
THE QUIET CONFIDENCE THAT ULTIMATELY
EVERYTHING IS GOING TO BE ALRIGHT,
AND THE DETERMINED CHOICE
TO PRAISE HIM IN ALL THINGS.

- What's the difference between happiness and joy?
- The Difference Between Joy and Happiness
- Joy is an inner feeling. Happiness is an outward expression. Joy endures hardship and trials and connects with meaning and purpose. **A person pursues happiness but chooses joy.**

Joy And Happiness



"JOY SUBSUMES
HAPPINESS.
JOY IS THE FAR
GREATER THING."

Desmond Tutu

- Happiness is often dependent on external circumstances and is more fleeting in nature. It is the feeling of pleasure or satisfaction that arises from achieving a goal, receiving good news, or experiencing something positive. Happiness can be more surface-level and may vary depending on the ups and downs of life.
- Joy, on the other hand, is a deeper and more lasting sense of contentment that transcends circumstances. It comes from within and is not solely reliant on external factors. Joy is often associated with a sense of gratitude, peace, and spiritual or emotional well-being. It can coexist with challenging situations and can be cultivated as an enduring state of being.

The Connection: Joy and Praise

joy

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*the state of happiness
which is not based
on your circumstances*

{John 15:11}



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Psalms 42:4 When I remember these things, I pour out my soul in me: for I had gone with the multitude, I went with them to the house of God, **with the voice of joy and praise**, with a multitude that kept holyday.

Joy goes together with “True” Praise

- Psalms 43:4 Then will I go unto the altar of God, unto God my exceeding joy: yea, upon the harp will I praise thee, O God my God.
- Jeremiah 33:9 And it shall be to me a name of joy, a praise and an honour before all the nations of the earth, which shall hear all the good that I do unto them: and they shall fear and tremble for all the goodness and for all the prosperity that I procure unto it.

Joy , Praise Strength



- Nehemiah 8:1 ¶ And all the people gathered themselves together as one man into the street that was before the water gate; and they spake unto Ezra the scribe to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the LORD had commanded to Israel.
- 2 And Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation both of men and women, and all that could hear with understanding, upon the first day of the seventh month.
- 3 And he read therein before the street that was before the water gate from the morning until midday, before the men and the women, and those that could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law.

Joy , Praise Strength




- Nehemiah 8:8 So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading.
- 9 ¶And Nehemiah, which is the Tirshatha, and Ezra the priest the scribe, and the Levites that taught the people, said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the LORD your God; mourn not, nor weep. **For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law.**
- 10 Then he said unto them, Go your way, eat the fat, and drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared: for this day is holy unto our Lord: **neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the LORD is your strength.**

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- Psalms 66:1 Make a joyful noise unto God, all ye lands:
- 2 Sing forth the honour of his name: make his praise glorious.
- 6 He turned the sea into dry land: they went through the flood on foot: there did we rejoice in him.
- 7 He ruleth by his power for ever; his eyes behold the nations: let not the rebellious exalt themselves. Selah.
- 8 ¶ O bless our God, ye people, and make the voice of his praise to be heard:

Praising God ... Joyfully!



Shout for joy to the
LORD, all the earth.

- Psalm 100:1 -

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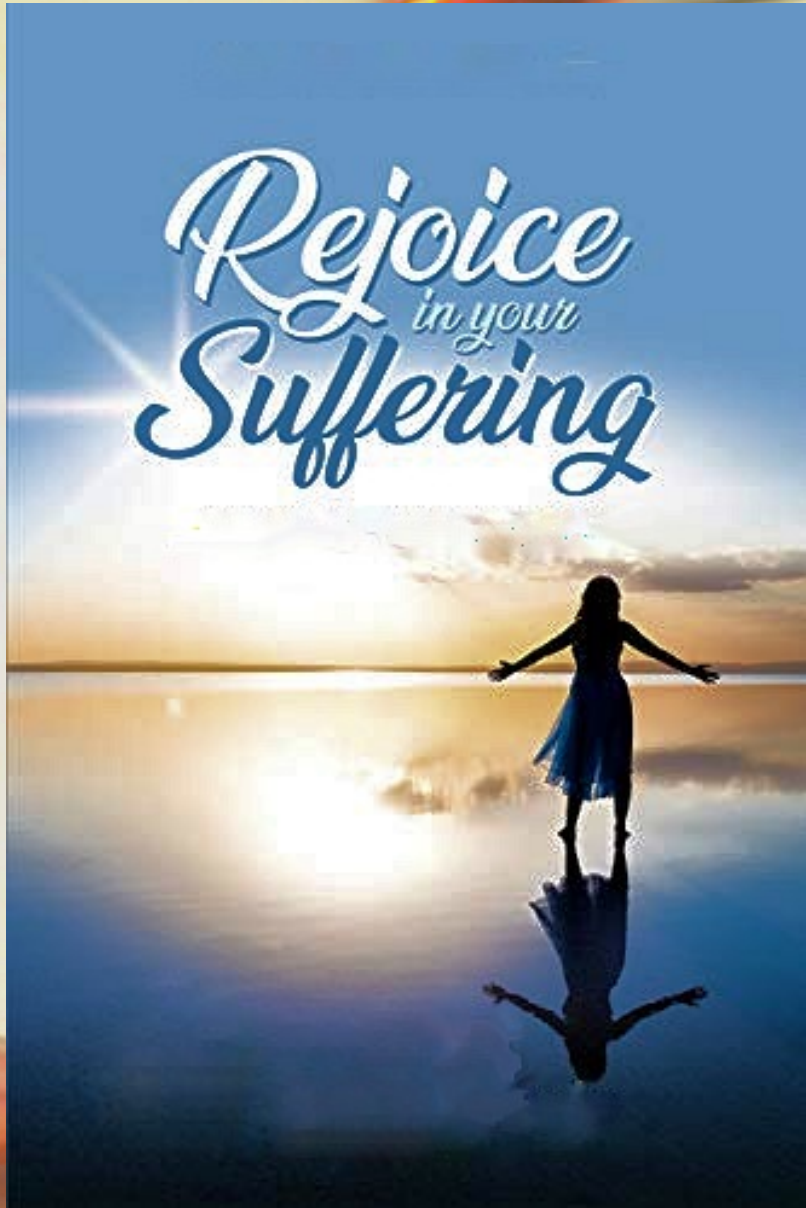
- Psalms 100:1 ¶ <<A Psalm of praise.>> Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands.
- 2 Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing.
- 3 Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
- 4 Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name.
- 5 For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations.

Joy the Fruit Of the Spirit Of Praise



- Thessalonians 1:6 ¶ And ye became followers of us, and of the Lord, having received the word in much affliction, with joy of the Holy Ghost:
- 7 So that ye were ensamples to all that believe in Macedonia and Achaia.
- Galatians 5:22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,

Joy In suffering ?



- 1 Peter 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.
- 1 Peter 1:6 ¶Wherein ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations:

Now is Salvation!



- Revelation 12:10 And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night.
- 11 And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death.
- 12 ¶ **Therefore rejoice**, ye heavens, and ye that dwell in them. Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! for the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time.



- 1 Thessalonians 2:19 For what is our hope, or **joy, or crown of rejoicing**? Are not even ye in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ at his coming?