

YOU WON'T HAVE BAD DAYS

Things Jesus Never Said: PART 2

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WHAT JESUS ACTUALLY SAID

“Very truly I tell you, you will weep and mourn while the world rejoices. You will grieve, but your grief will turn to joy. A woman giving birth to a child has pain because her time has come; but when her baby is born she forgets the anguish because of her joy that a child is born into the world.” (John 16:20-21 NIV)

“So with you: Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy.” (John 16:22 NIV)

“I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace.” (John 16:33 NIV)

“... In this world you will have trouble ...” (John 16:33 NIV)

TROUBLE, TRIALS, AND HARDSHIPS

1. PROVE YOUR FAITH.

So be truly glad. There is wonderful joy ahead, even though you must endure many trials for a little while. These trials will show that your faith is genuine. ... (1 Peter 1:6-7 NLT)

A faith that has been tested is a faith that can be trusted.

2. PREPARE YOU FOR PURPOSE.

Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything. (James 1:2-4 NIV)

For everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world? Only the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God. (1 John 5:4-5 NIV)

“... In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.” (John 16:33 NIV)

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