# Finding Joy

## Philippians 1:3-4

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• "3. I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, 4. always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy...".

#### 1 Corinthians 1:22-23

• "22. For Jews request a sign, and Greeks seek after wisdom; 23. but we preach Christ crucified, to the Jews a stumbling block and to the Greeks foolishness,"

## Philippians 1:12-13

• 12. But I want you to know, brethren, that the things which happened to me have actually turned out for the <u>furtherance of the gospel</u>, 13. so that it has become evident to the whole palace guard, and to all the rest, <u>that my chains are in Christ</u>;"

#### 2 Corinthians 11:24-28a

• "24. From the Jews five times I received forty stripes minus one. 25. Three times I was beaten with rods; once I was stoned; three times I was shipwrecked; a night and a day I have been in the deep; 26. in journeys often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils of my own countrymen, in perils of the Gentiles, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren; 27. in weariness and toil, in sleeplessness often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness. 28. besides the other things, what comes upon me daily."

#### Acts 9:15-16

• "15 But the Lord said to him, "Go, for he is a chosen vessel of Mine to bear My name before Gentiles, kings, and the children of Israel. 16. For I will show him how many things he must suffer for My name's sake."

#### 2 Corinthians 8:1-3

• "1. Moreover, brethren, we make known to you the grace of God bestowed on the churches of Macedonia: 2. that in a great trial of affliction the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded in the riches of their liberality. 3. For I bear witness that according to their ability, yes, and beyond their ability, they were freely willing."

## Philippians 1:13

• "13. so that it has become evident to the whole [b]palace guard, and to all the rest, that my chains are in Christ;"

#### Mark 16:15

• "15. And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

### John 16:33

• "33. These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. <u>In</u> the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

#### 2 Corinthians 12:9-10

• "9. And He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness." Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. 10. Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in needs, in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ's sake. For when I am weak, then I am strong."

## Ruth 3:15

• "Also he said, "Bring the shawl that is on you and hold it." And when she held it, he measured six ephahs of barley, and laid it on her. Then she went into the city."

### Matthew 11:28

• "Come to Me, all you who labor and are <u>heavy laden</u>, and I will give you rest."

#### Acts 4:12

• "Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."