

RADICAL JOY

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"The kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking, but of righteousness, peace and JOY in the Holy Spirit." Romans 14:17 (NIV)

Paul: "I will . . . continue to help all of you grow and experience the <u>iov</u> of your faith."

Philippians 1:25 (NLT)

"Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice!" Philippians 4:4 (NLT)

6 REASONS FOR RADICAL JOY

Romans 8

IF I'M IN CHRIST . . .

1.

"There is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus."

Romans 8:1 (NIV)

"My heart finds JOY in your salvation." Psalm 13:5 (GW)

2

"The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you. And just as God raised Christ Jesus from the dead, he will give life to your mortal bodies by this same Spirit." Romans 8:11 (NLT)

"For God knew his people in advance, and he chose them to become like his Son, so that his Son would be the firstborn among many brothers and sisters."

Romans 8:29 (NLT)

3.

"We know that in ALL things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." Romans 8:28 (NIV)

"Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who <u>for the joy</u> <u>set before Him</u> endured the cross." Hebrews 12:2 (BSB)

"As pressure and stress bear down on me, I find joy in your commands."

Psalm 119:143 (NLT)

4

"What shall we say about such wonderful things as these? <u>If God is for us, who can ever be against us</u>?" Romans 8:31 (NLT)

"Who can accuse the people God has chosen? No one, because God is the One who makes them right." Romans 8:33 (NCV)

"None of this fazes us because Jesus loves us." Romans 8:37 (MSG)

"I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them." John 17:13 (NIV)

"Since [God] did not spare even his own Son but gave him up for us all, won't he also give us everything else?" Romans 8:32 (NLT)

"And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:19 (NIV)

"Ask, using my name, and you will receive, and you will have abundant joy."

John 16:24 (NLT)

6.

"For I am convinced that <u>nothing can ever separate us from his love</u>. Death can't, and life can't. The angels won't, and all the powers of hell itself cannot keep God's love away. Our fears for today, our worries about tomorrow, or where we are—high above the sky, or in the deepest ocean—nothing will ever be able to separate us from the love of God demonstrated by our Lord <u>Jesus Christ</u> when he died for us." Romans 8:38-39 (TLB)

"You will fill me with joy in your presence." Psalm 16:11 (NIV)

"Restore to me the joy of your salvation." Psalm 51:12 (NLT)

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