





A watercolor painting with soft, blended bands of color. From top to bottom, the colors transition through yellow, orange, red, pink, purple, and blue. The brushstrokes are visible, creating a textured, ethereal effect. The text is centered in the upper half of the image.

LOVE

Joy

Peace \*\*\*

# JOY

the emotion evoked by well-being, success, or good fortune or by the prospect of possessing what one desires

- Webster Dictionary

1 Kings 1:39a-40

Then they blew the trumpet, and all the people said, "Long live King Solomon!" And all the people went up after him, playing on pipes, and rejoicing with great joy, so that the earth was split by their noise.



I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth.

(3 John 1:4)

As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy.

(2 Timothy 1:4)

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**FEAR**

#INSIDEOUT



**ANGER**

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**JOY**

#INSIDEOUT



**SADNESS**

#INSIDEOUT



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# JOY

Deep, vibrant satisfaction given by God and that comes with His presence, or by the prospect of being with all that God is and has to offer to us

You have put more joy in my heart than they  
have when their grain and wine abound.

(Psalm 5:7)

You make known to me the path of life;  
in your presence there is fullness of joy;  
at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

(Psalm 16:11)

1 Chronicles 16:27

Splendor and majesty are before him;  
strength and joy are in his place.

Luke 2:10

For behold, I bring you good news of  
great joy that will be for all the people.

*Behold, for I proclaim to you great JOY  
that will be for all the peoples.*

John 15:11

These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

Acts 13:52

And the disciples were filled with joy  
and with the Holy Spirit.

# JOY

- God is new and true Source
- We can choose



Nehemiah 8:10

“Go your way. Eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions to anyone who has nothing ready, for this day is holy to our Lord. And do not be grieved, for the joy of the LORD is your strength.”

Habakkuk 3:17-19

Though the fig tree should not blossom,  
nor fruit be on the vines,  
the produce of the olive fail  
and the fields yield no food,  
the flock be cut off from the fold  
and there be no herd in the stalls,

Habakkuk 3:17-19

yet I will rejoice in the LORD;  
I will take joy in the God of my salvation.  
GOD, the Lord, is my strength;  
he makes my feet like the deer's;  
he makes me tread on my high places.

# JOY

- God is the new and true Source
- We can choose
- Paradox 1

John 16:20

Truly, truly, I say to you, you will weep and lament, but the world will rejoice. You will be sorrowful, but your sorrow will turn into joy.

John 16:24

Until now you have asked nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

# JOY

- God is the new and true Source
- We can choose
- Paradox 1 & 2

Hebrews 12:2

looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.



# Where Are You?

- Need the new and true Source?
- Choose joy?
- Embrace pain and sorrow for joy?
- Learn to look to the future?