

Joy in Suffering

Philippians 3:1-4:1

December 14, 2025

Life is... Opportunity to Rejoice in Hope of the Glory of God

Challenges on the Journey

Know What Sets You Apart

To Let Go and Let God... Gain Christ

Finding Joy in Perspective...

- Embrace the journey
- Live the Upward Call
- Citizenship in Heaven

Make it Count: Stand Firm in the Lord!!

Repeat the Sounding Joy – Part Three

Beyond Sunday...

Verse of the Week

*"Count it all joy, my brothers,
when you meet trials of various kinds."*

James 1:2

This week engage with these quotes and associated Scriptures that call you to find faith and joy in the midst of life's circumstances. Read the verses in context for understanding.

Monday – "Sometimes good things fall apart so better things can fall together"
Romans 8:28

Tuesday – "You can't wear your old identity and walk in your new one."
2 Corinthians 5:17

Wednesday – "Life is 10% of what happens to you and 90% of how you react to it"
James 1:2-4

Thursday – "You don't have to have it all figures out, just take the next faithful step." – Proverbs 3:5-6

Friday – "In life, if you don't risk anything, you risk everything."
Matthew 16:25

Saturday – "No matter how many mistakes you make or how slow your progress, you are still way ahead of everyone who isn't trying."
Philippians 3:13-14

HEART CHALLENGE

What steps of faith have been part of your journey? How have you found joy in the circumstances of your life? Share the Joy of Jesus with one person this week.

Our theme for 2025 is STEADFAST

*"Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable,
always abounding in the work of the Lord,
knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain."*

1 Corinthians 15:58