

Yield Pt108

Joy Amidst The Trials

I PETER 3:12-14

12. *For the eyes of the Lord are over the righteous, and his ears are open unto their prayers: but the face of the Lord is against them that do evil.* 13. *And who is he that will harm you, if ye be followers of that which is good?* 14. *But and if ye suffer for righteousness' sake, **happy are ye:** and be not afraid of their terror, neither be troubled;*

CHURCH AGE BOOK

And how shall I prove my love to Him? **By believing what He said, and by conducting myself with joy amidst the trials** that He in His wisdom allows to come to pass.

I PETER 4:12-14

12. *Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you:* 13. *But **rejoice**, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may **be glad** also **with exceeding joy**.* 14. *If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, **happy are ye**; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you: on their part he is evil spoken of, but on your part he is glorified.*

I KNOW [60-0417S]

And **why does God let troubles come**? God harnesses trouble, puts bits in its mouth, and makes it obey Him, and those troubles bring us into a closer fellowship with God.

I PETER 1:6-8

6. *Wherein ye **greatly rejoice**, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations:* 7. *That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ:* 8. *Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye **rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory**:*

THE CURTAIN OF TIME [55-0302]

Christians shouldn't be sad; they should be happy, real happy, joy.

PSALM 16:11

11. *Thou wilt shew me the path of life: **in thy presence is fulness of joy**; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore.*

PROVERBS 16:20

20. *He that handleth a matter wisely shall find good: and whoso trusteth in the LORD, happy is he.*

ROMANS 14:22b

22b. *Happy is he that condemneth not himself in that thing which he alloweth.*

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS PT2 [64-0823E]

Q290. Question: Brother Branham, what shall we do? Something has settled over me that I cannot break through. Last fall, I dreamed I was lost in white sand. It was getting dark; I couldn't find my way. This dream has stayed with me since last fall. Now, I am as one groping in darkness. My son (E-r-v--), Ervin and wife were included in my dream. Now, they are also in darkness. We are in a desperate--we are in desperation. I believe God will show you what is-- what is in our hearts now. (Miss... Oh, all right.) If we are wrong or sinning places, tell us. We want to be right.

I don't know the lady, but I just feel if you're here, lady, that here is your trouble. You have let something happen to you that's made you nervous, because being in "white sands" represents purity and righteous. And you're just letting Satan put one over on you. Your dream proved that there's nothing wrong. **You're only nervous, and by doing this and thinking this, you're making the rest of your family nervous. Stop doing it; claim your God given rights.** Your dream proves by the interpretation that you are in white sand. Everything's all right. It's you, yourself, nervous.

And you let one member of the family get nervous, it goes to the next member, and the next member, and the first thing you're all fussing and going on. And one member of the family gets kinda upset about something, it upsets the other, and the other, and the other, and the first thing you know the whole family's upset. **It's Satan.** Then if one member of the family rejoices, let the rest of them rejoice with it. So every one of the family try to do that.

Try, each one of you children, to help your papa, mama. Mama, you... Papa, you try to help the children. **Don't let that gloomy, unbelieving spirit get around you.** You are Christians. You are borned of the Spirit of God. You're the salt of the earth. **You have God given rights.**

"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

~ The Declaration Of Independence

THE ANGEL OF GOD [47-1102]

Oh people, rise in the Name of your Lord. **Claim your God given privilege**, for the hour is here for you to be healed. That's right, to glorify God and to receive of His Spirit and His blessings. Cut off of all formalities. Cut off of all this ritualistic religion and come into the realms of the living God, Who awakens the human soul and brings you into righteousness, into worship of Him in the Spirit and in the Truth. For the hour is come and now is that God has sent forth His warning.

DO YOU NOW BELIEVE [52-0817E]

Now, sir, as you go, go rejoicing. **Go, be happy**. Sing songs all day long. You're that quiet type of person, which would hurt you a little later in your life. You go on, and just start singing hymns, and rejoicing, testifying of your healing, **it'll leave you**.

COME LET US REASON TOGETHER [55-1004]

Dear heavenly Father, knowing that this woman is walking in the shadows of death, but now standing in the shadow of Life and light. O God, may the darkness be turned back, and light shine in. And may she live, in Jesus Christ's Name I pray. Amen. Now, go believing, rejoicing. It's made you awful nervous, your trouble, so don't worry now. **Go be happy, you get well**.

PSALM 23:4

4. *Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, **I will fear no evil: for thou art with me**; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.*

JAMES 5:10-11

10. *Take, my brethren, the prophets, who have spoken in the name of the Lord, for an example of suffering affliction, and of patience.*

11. *Behold, **we count them happy which endure**. Ye have heard of the patience of Job, and have seen the end of the Lord; that the Lord is very pitiful, and of tender mercy.*