

## J o y t o t h e W o r l d

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- 1.) Replace the search for happiness with the search for J O Y.
- 2.) Let J O Y point you to where you should be focused.

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[James 1:2](#)

[1Peter 1:6](#)

[Hebrews 10:34](#)

[Luke 2:10](#)

[Luke 6:22–23](#)

[Luke 10:20](#)

[Luke 24:52](#)

[Luke 1:13,14](#)

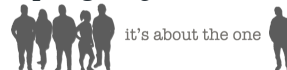
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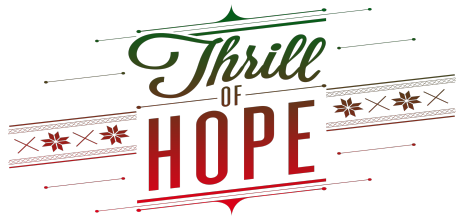
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[Romans 15:13](#)

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