

Everlasting Joy

Everlasting Light Series

JOY LOST

A joyful heart is good medicine, but a broken spirit dries up the bones. Proverbs 17:22 (NASB)

Looking for Joy Replacements in All the Wrong Places

- Fall apart
- Fill in
- Spiral down
- Lash out
- Fake it

Source

Don't be dejected and sad, for the joy of the LORD is your strength!" Nehemiah 8:10 (NLT2)

Joy in God's Salvation

"I have seen your salvation, which you have prepared for all people. He is a light to reveal God to the nations, and he is the glory of your people Israel!" Luke 2:25-32 (NLT2)

Joy in the Good News of Jesus

The eunuch never saw him again but went on his way rejoicing. Acts 8:38-39 (NLT2)

God Designed Solution for Lost Joy

- Getting mind, body, and spirit aligned with God
- Trusting God's fulfillment over personal ideas, people's pressure, and problems.
- Going God's way even when there is little light, the way is rocky, and you lack energy.

Joyful Harvest

No discipline is enjoyable while it is happening—it's painful! But afterward there will be a peaceful harvest of right living for those who are trained in this way. Hebrews 12:11 (NLT2)

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