

The Resurrections (37)

The Judgment of Seat of Christ (12)

[\(1 Corinthians 3:10-17\)](#)

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[Matthew 28:1-10](#)

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The Doctrine of the Resurrections

[\(1 Corinthians 3:10-17\)](#)

A Walk Bearing God's Nature: The Fruit of the Spirit (3)

[\(Galatians 5:22-23\)](#)

1. [\(Galatians 5:22-23\) Holy Spirit— Believer, Walk:](#) the believer is to walk bearing God's nature, that is, the fruit of God's Spirit.

[Galatians 5:22-23 \(NASB\)](#)

²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,
²³ gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

2. There is the fruit of joy (*chara*): “an inner gladness; a deep seated pleasure.”

It is a **depth of assurance** and **confidence** that ignites a cheerful heart. It is a cheerful heart *that leads* to cheerful behavior.

The source of the believer's joy is several-fold.

1. The fellowship of the Father and His Son brings joy ([1 John 1:3-4](#)).
2. Victory over sin, death, and hell brings joy ([John 14:28](#); [John 16:20-22](#)).
3. Repentance brings joy ([Luke 15:7](#), [10](#)).
4. The hope of glory brings joy ([Romans 14:17](#); [Hebrews 12:2](#); [1 Peter 4:13](#)).
5. The Lord's Word—the revelations, commandments, and promises which He made—brings joy ([John 15:11](#)).
6. The commandments of Christ and the will of God bring joy. Obeying and doing a good job stirs joy within the believer's heart ([John 15:11](#); [John 17:13](#); [Acts 13:52](#)).
7. Prayer brings joy ([John 16:24](#)).
8. The presence and fellowship of believers brings joy ([1 John 1:3-4](#)).
9. Converts bring joy ([Luke 15:5](#); [Philippians 4:1](#); [1 Thes. 2:19-20](#)).
10. Hearing that others walk in the truth brings joy ([3 John 1:4](#)).
11. Giving brings joy ([2 Corinthians 8:2](#); [Hebrews 10:34](#)).

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Romans 14:17 (NASB)

¹⁷ For the kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.

1 Peter 1:8 (NASB)

⁸ And though you have not seen Him, you love Him, and though you do not see Him now, but believe in Him, you greatly rejoice with joy inexpressible and full of glory,

Psalms 16:11 (NASB)

¹¹ You will make known to me the path of life; In Your presence is fullness of joy; In Your right hand there are pleasures forever.

Isaiah 12:3 (NASB)

³ Therefore you will joyously draw water From the springs of salvation.

Isaiah 61:10 (NASB)

¹⁰ I will rejoice greatly in the LORD, My soul will exult in my God; For He has clothed me with garments of salvation, He has wrapped me with a robe of righteousness, As a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, And as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.