

A young boy with dark hair and a bright smile is the central focus. He is wearing a red t-shirt. The background is a soft-focus outdoor setting with green bushes and a light sky. A semi-transparent grey banner is at the bottom, containing the title and subtitle.

Joy at Work

Bible Passages on Joy for Children

Now the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that ye may abound in hope, through the power of the Holy Ghost. You love him even though you have never seen him. Though you do not see him now, you trust him; and you rejoice with a glorious, inexpressible joy. The reward for trusting him will be the salvation of your souls.

Happy is that people, that is in such a case: yea, happy is that people, whose God is the LORD. (Romans 15:13, 1 Peter 1:8-9, Psalm 144:15)





When troubles of any kind come your way, consider it an opportunity for great joy. For you know that when your faith is tested, your endurance has a chance to grow.

So be truly glad. There is wonderful joy ahead, even though you must endure many trials for a little while. These trials will show that your faith is genuine. So when your faith remains strong through many trials, it will bring you much praise and glory and honor on the day when Jesus Christ is revealed to the whole world.

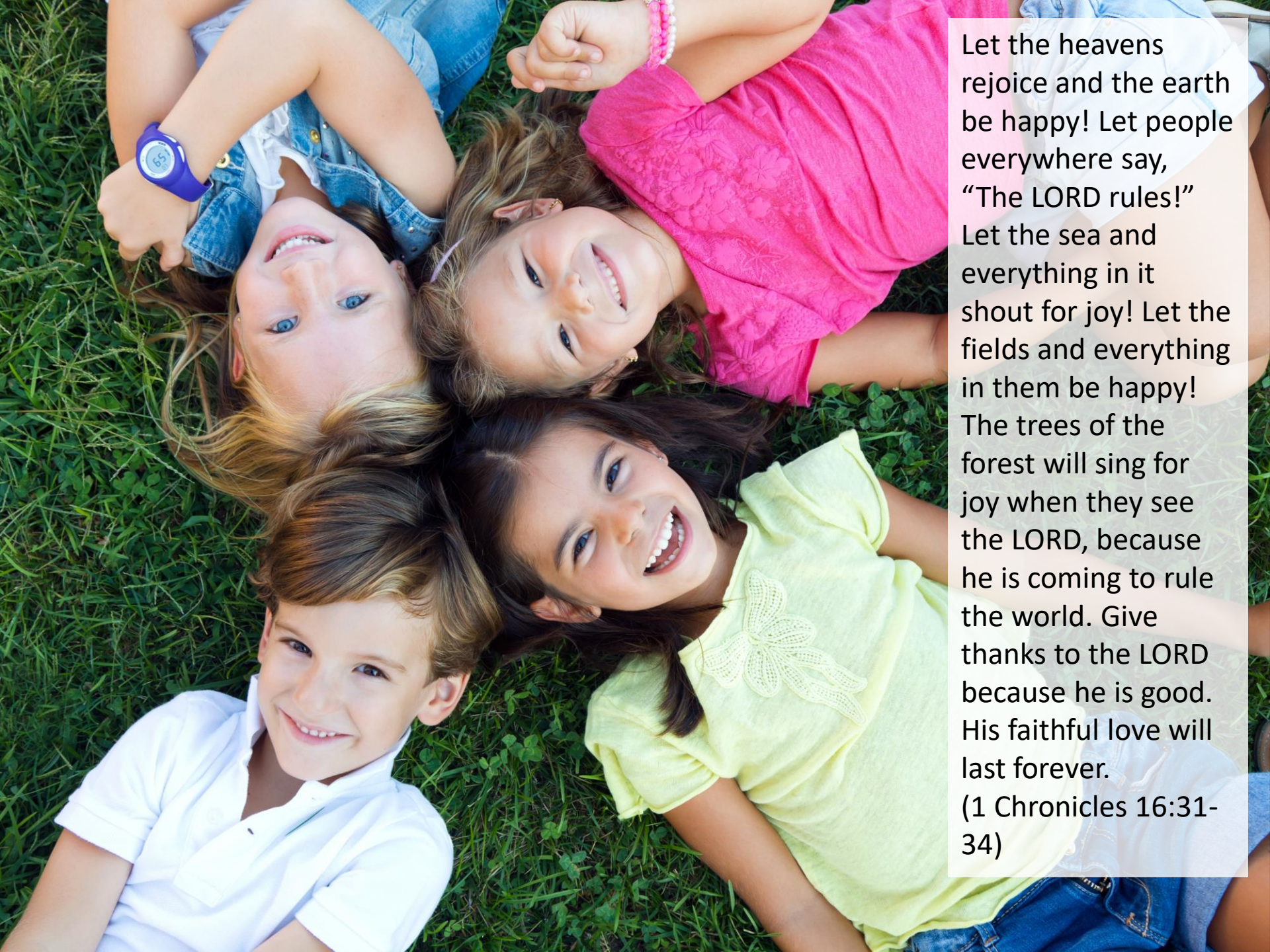
(James 1:2-3, 1 Peter 1:6-7)



I know the LORD is always with me. I will not be shaken, for he is right beside me. No wonder my heart is glad, and I rejoice. ...You will show me the way of life, granting me the joy of your presence and the pleasures of living with you forever.

Blessed is the people that know the joyful sound: they shall walk, O LORD, in the light of thy countenance. In thy name shall they rejoice all the day: and in thy righteousness shall they be exalted.

(Psalm 16:8-9,11; Psalm 89:15-16)



Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be happy! Let people everywhere say, "The LORD rules!" Let the sea and everything in it shout for joy! Let the fields and everything in them be happy! The trees of the forest will sing for joy when they see the LORD, because he is coming to rule the world. Give thanks to the LORD because he is good. His faithful love will last forever.
(1 Chronicles 16:31-34)

The LORD will save his people...They will be very happy. Their happiness will be like a crown on their heads forever. They will be singing with joy. All sadness will be gone far away.

God's home is with people. He will live with them. They will be his people. God himself will be with them and will be their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death, sadness, crying, or pain. All the old ways are gone. And the one sitting on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new!"

(Isaiah 51:11, Revelation 21:3-5)



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