

Romans 15:13

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⁷ Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God. ⁸ For I tell you that Christ has become a servant of the Jews on behalf of God's truth, so that the promises made to the patriarchs might be confirmed ⁹ and, moreover, that the Gentiles might glorify God for His mercy. As it is written: "Therefore I will praise You among the Gentiles; I will sing the praises of Your name." ¹⁰ Again, it says, "Rejoice, you Gentiles, with His people." ¹¹ And again, "Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles; let all the peoples extol Him." ¹² And again, Isaiah says, "The Root of Jesse will spring up, One who will arise to rule over the nations; in Him the Gentiles will hope." ¹³ May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Psalm 71:5

For You have been my hope, Sovereign Lord, my confidence since my youth.

1 Timothy 1:1

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the command of God our Savior and of **Christ Jesus our hope**



Hebrews 6:18-19

We have this hope as an anchor
for the soul, firm and secure

Hebrews 10:23

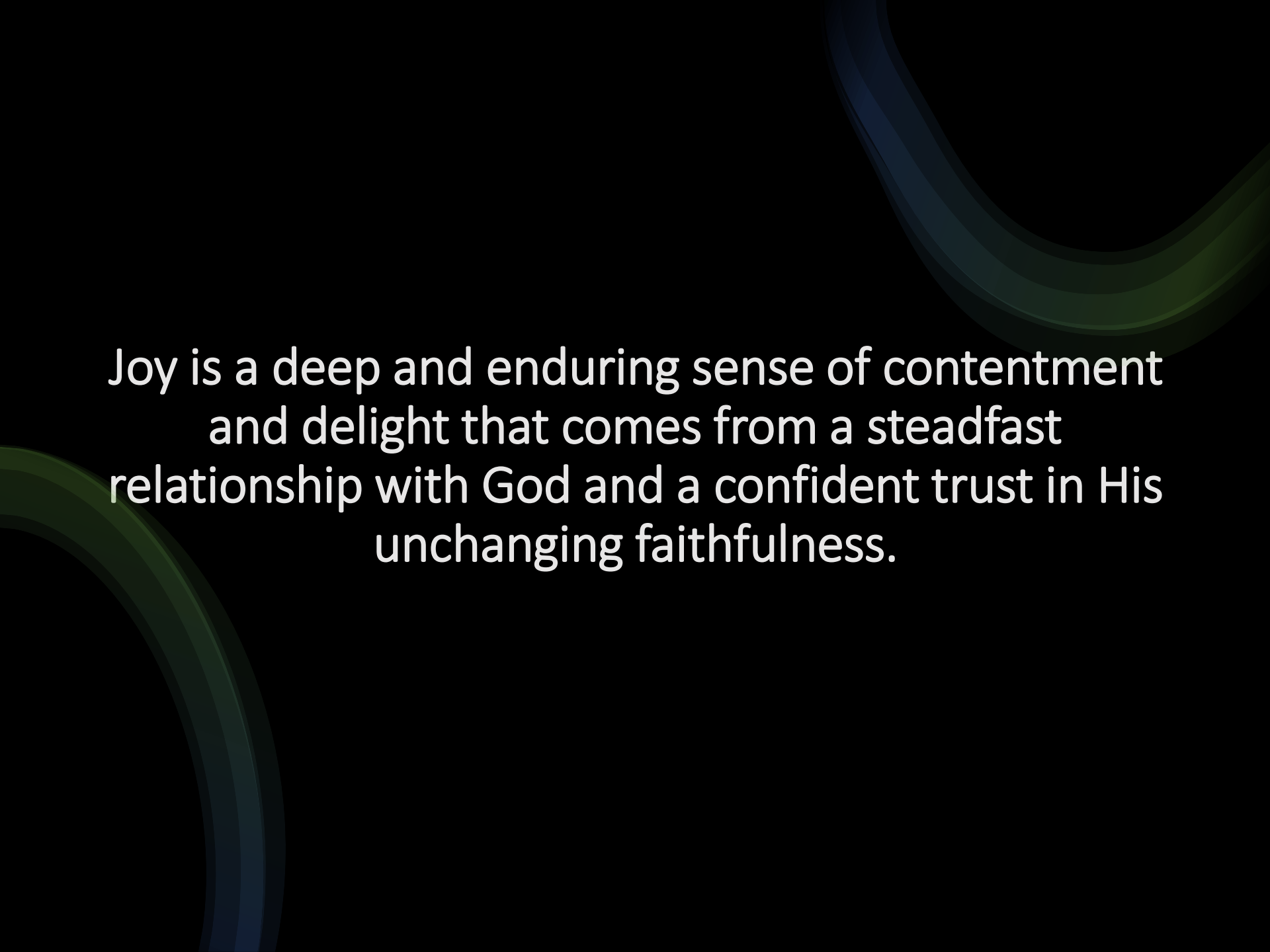
Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful.

Psalm 46:1-2

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear.

Romans 4:18

Against all hope, Abraham in hope believed.



Joy is a deep and enduring sense of contentment and delight that comes from a steadfast relationship with God and a confident trust in His unchanging faithfulness.

Habakkuk 3:17-18

“Though the fig tree does not bud and there are no grapes on the vines, though the olive crop fails and the fields produce no food, though there are no sheep in the pen and no cattle in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will be joyful in God my Savior.”

Nehemiah 8:10

Do not grieve, for the joy of the Lord is your strength.

“There is a marvelous medicinal power in joy. Most medicines are distasteful, but this, which is the best of all medicines, is sweet to the taste and comforting to the heart.”

Charles Spurgeon

John 15:11

I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that
your joy may be complete.

True peace is an inner assurance, a deep sense of wholeness and rest that comes from trusting God's character and His promises.

Philippians 4:6-7

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Isaiah 26:3

You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in You.

Daniel 3:17-18

If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to deliver us from it, and he will deliver us from Your Majesty's hand. But even if he does not, we want you to know, Your Majesty, that we will not serve your gods or worship the image of gold you have set up.

When we truly trust God, we can:

- > Hold onto hope because we know His promises are true
 - > Experience joy because we're confident in His love
 - > Rest in peace because we trust His control over our lives
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How to Cultivate Faith

- o Feed your faith with God's Word
- o Talk to God throughout your day
- o Focus on God's Presence and Promises
- o Rely on the Power of the Holy Spirit

