



Rejoice

Philippians 4:4

“Rejoice in the LORD always again I will say Rejoice”.

When you are eagerly waiting for your friend to arrive, do you wait for him to first arrive and then be happy??? No... As soon as you get to know that your friend is visiting you, there is a joy within.. similarly, when the Dr confirms the lady, that she is going to enter motherhood, the joy starts from within...

Likewise, as soon as December sets in we feel the sense of happiness, inside which we find difficult, to express in words at times...it starts reflecting in our actions, deeds. thoughts etc. 'Rejoicing' starts as soon as you get to know about it...in other words "joy in advance" or rejoicing for something today which is yet to happen in the future.

To rejoice we do not need anything....it's just a shift of mind. Our mind has so much of power in itself, that, you can be as joyful as a billionaire. There is no unit or degree to measure it, as we have in mathematics like km, litre, decibel etc.

So, we rejoice for things which have happened or will happen...but our Scripture wants us to do a bit more "Rejoice in the lord A-L-W-A-Y-S" which mean be happy in the Lord for things HE has done in the past, along with the present and for things which is yet to happen.

For eg...be happy for getting a loving parent, for being born without any handicap, etc...

Isn't that interesting...HE wants us to Rejoice round the clock...:).

Shalom to All!

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