



Philippians 4:4-13



Philippians 4:4

"Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice."





Χαίρετε "Chairete"

Means to <u>rejoice</u>

To be exceedingly <u>glad</u>

To celebrate and <u>delight</u> in



Thankfulness and Gratitude



Philippians 4:4

"Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice."



What characterizes your life?



Psalm 107:1-2

"Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever! Let the redeemed of the Lord say so..."



Deuteronomy 8:10

"And you shall eat and be full, and you shall bless the Lord your God for the good land He has given you."



Learning to thank the Lord for the...



James 1:17

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of Lights..."













Is your praise





I Love You Lord And I lift my voice To worship You Oh my soul rejoice



Take joy my King In what You hear May it be a sweet Sweet sound in Your ear



I Love You Lord And I lift my voice To worship You Oh my soul rejoice



Take joy my King In what You hear May it be a sweet Sweet sound in Your ear



Deuteronomy 8:17

"Beware lest you say in your heart,
'My power and the might of my hand
have gotten me this wealth."



If we don't turn
God's <u>provision</u> into <u>praise</u>
it will rot into <u>pride</u>



It's time to GROW UP



Philippians 4:5-8



Philippians 4:6

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God."



Psalm 23



Psalm 23:4

"Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies."









The Banquet Table





The <u>Banquet</u> Table

Learning to thank the Lord even though...





Moses shows us to be thankful For the...

David teaches us to be thankful Even though...





The <u>Banquet</u> Table

Learning to Feast on His Faithfulness





When you find yourself surrounded by enemies, it becomes a sign to you that God is about to serve up your entrée





When peace like a river Attendeth my way When sorrows Like sea billows roll





Whatever my lot Thou hast taught me to say It is well It is well with my soul





It is well (it is well) With my soul (with my soul) It is well, It is well With my soul





The <u>Banquet</u> Table

Learning to Feast on His Faithfulness





The <u>Banquet</u> Table

It's time to GROW UP



Philippians 4:10-13



This is a Ph. D. level of gratitude



Philippians 4:12-13

"I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. I can do all things through Him who strengthens me."



Acts 5:38-41



Acts 5:40-41

"And when they had called in the apostles, they beat them and charged them not to speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. Then they left the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer dishonor for the Name."



Learning to thank the Lord Because of...



II Corinthians 12:7-10

II Corinthians 12:9

"But He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me."



Hebrews 12:2

"Looking to Jesus, the Founder and Perfecter of our faith, Who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God."



Set the Table The Lord's Table







Those who don't know Christ Have a hopeless end Those who know Christ Have endless hope





Romans 8:28-29

"And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son."





Do you trust God's <u>process</u> even though you can't see the finished <u>product</u>?





God won't allow Anything into your <u>pot</u> If it doesn't serve His <u>purpose</u>





I am thankful to the Lord Because of...





Moses shows us how to be Thankful for His provision David teaches us how to be Thankful for His presence Jesus reveals to us how to be Thankful for His promises





You don't necessarily have to feel thankful to be thankful





"God is most glorified in us when we are most satisfied in Him." John Piper



The Table by Chris Tomlin

I will feast at the Table of the Lord I will feast at the Table of the Lord I won't hunger any more **At His Table**

I will feast at the Table of the Lord
I will feast at the Table of the Lord
I won't hunger any more

At His Table

Come all you weary come and find

His yoke is easy His burden light

He is able He will restore

At the Table of the Lord

There is peace at the Table of the Lord

There is peace at the Table of the Lord

I won't worry anymore

At His Table

There is healing at the Table of the Lord

There is healing at the Table of the Lord

I won't suffer anymore

At His Table

Come all you weary come and find

His yoke is easy His burden light

He is able He will restore

At the Table of the Lord

I know He has a place for me
Oh what joy will fill my heart

With the saints around

The mercy seat of God

Come all you weary come and find

His yoke is easy His burden light

He is able He will restore

At the Table of the Lord

At the Table of the Lord

I'm invited to the Table of the Lord
I'm invited to the Table of the Lord

He says, "Come just as you are"

To His Table

