## JOY IN THE HOLY GHOST

Because We Trust Him

- Joy because we trust Him-Ps33:1-Rejoice (shout for joy/be joyful) in the Lord, I. O ye righteous: for praise is comely for the upright. 2 Praise the Lord with harp: sing unto him with the psaltery and an instrument of ten strings. 3Sing unto him a new song; play skillfully with a **loud noise** (joyful).4 For the word of the Lord is <u>right</u>; and all his works are done in <u>truth</u> (ER-The Lord's word is true and He is faithful in everything in does). 5He loves righteousness and judgment: the earth is full of the **goodness** (kindness, mercy) of the Lord. By the word of the Lord were the heavens made; and all the host of them by the breath of his mouth. He gathers the waters of the sea together as an heap he lays up the depth in storehouses. BLet all the earth fear the Lord: let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him. For he spake, and it was done; he commanded, and it stood fast. 10 The Lord brings the counsel (plans) of the heathen to nought: he makes the **devices** (intentions) of the people of none effect. 11 The counsel (plans) of the Lord stands forever, the thoughts of his heart to all generations. $^{12}$ Blessed is the **nation** (people) whose God is the Lord and the people whom he hath chosen for his own inheritance. 16 There is no king saved by the multitude of an host: a mighty man is not delivered by much strength. 17 An horse is a vain thing for safety: neither shall he deliver any by his great strength. 18 Behold, the eye of the Lord is upon them that fear him, upon them that hope (trust) in his mercy; 19 To deliver their soul from death and to keep them alive in famine. 20 Our soul waits for the Lord: he is our help and our shield. 21 For our heart shall rejoice in him because we have trusted in his holy name
  - A. Praise and joy are inseperable-Ps149:1-Praise ye the Lord. Sing unto the Lord a new song and his praise in the congregation of saints. Let Israel rejoice in him that made him: let the children of Zion be joyful in their King. Let them praise his name in the dance: let them sing praises unto him with the timbrel and harp. For the Lord taketh pleasure in his people: he will beautify the meek with salvation. Let the saints be joyful in glory: let them sing aloud upon their beds. Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a two-edged sword in their hand
  - B. Why we're rejoicing-He's faithful (Word is true), fair, kind, merciful
  - C. <u>Bigness of God</u>-1.Creat with words 2.Gathers waters (352Qn gallons (1 mil every second, 11mil years) 3.Enemy's plans nothing 4.His plans stand
  - D. <u>If **HE** your God and **HE** chose you, you're blessed</u>-It'll take more than natural means to be kept in this life-**1Pt2:9**-Chosen generation
  - E. <u>If we'll reverence Him, trust Him, keep our eyes on Him, He'll keep His</u> eye on us and be our help and shield-HE ^^^ will
  - F. Our heart is glad, we rejoice because we trust Him-We are confident He will help us, shield us, deliver us, provide for us-Ps33:21-AM-For in Him our heart rejoices, Because we trust [lean on, rely on, and are confident] in His holy name-ESV-For our heart is glad in him because we trust in his holy name-TP-As we trust we rejoice with an uncontained joy
- II. Fear and sorrow aren't harmless emotions, but evidences of a lack of trust and that faith is little/weak and little faith means defeat (Mt14:31)