JOY

"When you are feeling good and all seems to be going well, you feel joy. When you give to another unselfishly, you feel joy. When you have a clear conscience and harbor no hate for anyone, you feel joy. When you have self-respect and have a humble pride about who you are, you feel joy. When you are at peace with your family and friends, you feel joy. When you make healthy decisions and see good results, you feel joy. When you are diligent at work and see the results, you feel joy. When you are at peace with your Creator, you feel joy.

There is a huge difference between joy and satiation or pleasure, for joy is in the Plan of God; but satiation and pleasure is not, and many times can be considered sin. Sin never gives joy, for the two are diametrically opposed to one another, and one leads to life and the other leads to death and destruction.

Many physical pleasures seem to bring a feeling of well-being, but that feeling is transitory, and in feeding the body's desires for pleasure, the body then desires more and more to be satiated; and physical pleasure is not an end that God's Word espouses as an act that is productive in order to bring about the necessities of salvation—which are righteousness, holiness, and purity. In fact many times, in seeking for physical pleasure, purity is compromised; or if the event is significant, purity can be destroyed to the point of non-reconciliation with God.

Once purity is gone, this is one spiritual trait that cannot be fully restored. It can be forgiven, repented, and expiated, but the blemish will last forever; even if it is covered by the Blood of Jesus, and penance. A loss of purity translates to the loss of the status of 'Bride' at the Wedding Supper of the Lamb, for only those who are perfect in purity can be presented by Jesus to The



Father; for the Father is out of time and can see all events of the past, and Jesus knows the Covenant Laws and does not compromise them.

Therefore you must, especially from a young age, focus on never breaching your purity; and parents, and guardians, and friends, must always instruct the young in this practice of purity, and insure that the young know the cost of losing purity...purity of thought, intention, and action. A revocation of purity is a terrible thing, and a huge loss to the being, and affects a multitude of things on Earth and in the heavenly realms.



Loss of purity causes a loss of blessings, guidance, wisdom, prosperity, peace, rewards in the heavenlies, and can cause one to go to Hell, or the realms of pain and purification, and will cause a loss of the number of heavenly realms that one has access to, if one is granted entrance to Heaven.

Purity is given by God with the assumption that it will be maintained, and never given up; but with modern man, purity is given away like an old shirt and treated as it has no value—when truly the value is great, and the loss thereof effects the being eternally.

All things good come from God, and you mock Him by not reverencing these, and deny His Majesty by throwing them away; and this is a great sin that requires great penance. Thus wisdom cries loudly to you and says, 'Hold your purity in high esteem and protect it at all costs, and always thank God for it.' Never allow the cursed world to convince you that you have no worth, and that you have full control of your body, mind, spirit, and soul; for you were bought with a price, and you belong to God if you have given your life to Jesus; or if you have not, insure that you do this now, for if you belong not to God, you belong to Satan—there is no in-between.

Live righteously in holiness and purity, and you will reap rewards eternally."

Ruach HaKodesh

-John Patmos

Ye have heard that it was said by them of old time, Thou shalt not commit adultery: But I say unto you, That whosoever looketh on a woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her already in his heart. Matthew 5: 27

For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost..... 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. Romans 14:17; 15:13

For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace. Romans 8:6

Who can bring a clean thing out of an unclean? not one. Job 14: 4

And he saith unto me, Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the Marriage Supper of the Lamb. Revelation 19: 9

Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready. And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints. Revelation 19:7

He that loveth pleasure shall be a poor man: he that loveth wine and oil shall not be rich. Proverbs 21:17

Ye are bought with a price; be not ye the servants of men. 1 Corinthians 7:23

He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not with me scattereth abroad. Matthew 12:30

Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor jesting, which are not convenient: but rather giving of thanks. For this ye know, that no whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, hath any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God. Ephesians 5: 4-5

For this is the will of God, even your sanctification, that ye should abstain from fornication: That every one of you should know how to possess his vessel in sanctification and honour; Not in the lust of concupiscence, even as the Gentiles which know not God: That no man go beyond and defraud his brother in any matter: because that the Lord is the avenger of all such, as we also have forewarned you and testified. For God hath not called us unto uncleanness, but unto holiness. He therefore that despiseth, despiseth not man, but God, who hath also given unto us his holy Spirit. 1 Thessalonians 4: 3-8

Flee also youthful lusts: but follow righteousness, faith, charity, peace, with them that call on the Lord out of a pure heart. 2 Timothy 2:22

I said in mine heart, Go to now, I will prove thee with mirth, therefore enjoy pleasure: and, behold, this also is vanity. Ecclesiastes 2: 1

Meats for the belly, and the belly for meats: but God shall destroy both it and them. Now the body is not for fornication, but for the Lord; and the Lord for the body......Know ye not that your bodies are the members of Christ? shall I then take the members of Christ, and make them the members of an harlot? God forbid. What? know ye not that he which is joined to an harlot is one body? for two, saith he, shall be one flesh. But he that is joined unto the Lord is one spirit. Flee fornication. Every sin that a man doeth is without the body; but he that committeth fornication sinneth against his own body. What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? For ye are bought with a price: therefore, glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's. 1 Corinthians 6: 13; 15-20

Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God. Matthew 5:8

Seeing ye have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit unto unfeigned love of the brethren, see that ye love one another with a pure heart fervently: <u>1 Peter 1:22</u>

I made a covenant with mine eyes; why then should I think upon a maid? Job 31:1

Now the end of the commandment is charity out of a pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith unfeigned: 1 Timothy 1:5

That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish. Ephesians 5: 27