

Joy
Fruit of The Spirit
November 5, 2025 - First Wednesday

Galatians 5:16

- Theme: Joy is a serious problem today; God shows us how to HAVE IT!
- Nehemiah 8:10, John 15:10-11, Psalm 16:11 AMP
- Three truths about joy:
 1. Joy is not out there somewhere; it is RIGHT HERE.
 - ✓ The son thought joy was doing what HE WANTED to do
- Luke 15:12-20a
 - ✓ It doesn't WORK - James 1:2
 - ✓ Joy was right in his FATHER'S HOUSE - Luke 15:20
 2. Joy is to be RELEASED not reserved - Luke 15:25-32
 - ✓ The brother WITHHELD his joy - Psalm 30:5 NLT, Psalm 34:8 NLT
 3. Never lose sight of the fact that you're FOUND. - Luke 15:32,
- Psalm 51:10-12
 - ✓ If we can't rejoice with others, we need God to RESTORE the joy of our salvation.