

The Joy That Was Set Before Him

John 12:24

Verily, verily, I say unto you, Except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone: but if it die, **it bringeth forth much fruit.**

Hebrews 12:2

Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of *our* faith; **who for the joy that was set before him** endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Isaiah 53:10 - 12

Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise him; he hath put *him* to grief: when thou shalt make his soul an offering for sin, **he shall see his seed**, he shall prolong *his* days, and the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in his hand.

He shall see of the travail of his soul, and shall be satisfied: by his knowledge shall my righteous servant justify many; for he shall bear their iniquities.

Therefore will I divide him *a portion* with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he hath poured out his soul unto death: and he was numbered with the transgressors; and he bare the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

Genesis 2:18 - 23

And the LORD God said, ***It is not good that the man should be alone***; I will make him an help meet for him.

And out of the ground the LORD God formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air; and brought *them* unto Adam to see what he would call them: and whatsoever Adam called every living creature, that *was* the name thereof.

And Adam gave names to all cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field; but for Adam there was not found an help meet for him.

And the **LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam**, and he slept: and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof;

And **the rib, which the LORD God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man.**

And Adam said, ***This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh***: she shall be called **Woman, because she was taken out of Man.**

Genesis 41:46 - 53

And Joseph was thirty years old when he stood before Pharaoh king of Egypt. And Joseph went out from the presence of Pharaoh, and went throughout all the land of Egypt.

And in the **seven plenteous years the earth brought forth by handfuls.**

And he **gathered up all the food** of the seven years, which were in the land of Egypt, and laid up the food in the cities: the food of the field, which was round about every city, laid he up in the same.

And Joseph **gathered corn** as the sand of the sea, very much, until he left numbering; for *it was without number.*

And unto Joseph were born **two sons** before the years of famine came, which Asenath the daughter of Potipherah priest of On bare unto him.

And Joseph called the name of the firstborn Manasseh: *For God, said he, hath made me forget all my toil, and all my father's house.*

And the name of the second called he Ephraim: *For God hath caused me to be fruitful in the land of my affliction.*

And the seven years of plenteousness that was in the land of Egypt were ended.