

The prophet Isaiah could have just said: "I will rejoice", but he was saying: "God, I rejoice greatly in You today. My soul exults in You for the gift of salvation. I am not going to waste this day living negative, focused on my problems. I am going to live this day to the full."

As believers, we are not here by accident. Billions of people have lived and died, but God chose you to be here at this time. He woke you up this morning and clothed you with the robe of righteousness. He has crowned you with favour. He put seeds of greatness in you and calls you more than a conqueror. One way we honour God is by living joyfully and happily. He didn't create you to drag through the day, overcome by problems, discouraged by disappointments. No, this day is a gift from God. Once this day is over, we can never get it back. We don't have time to waste another minute focused on what didn't work out, or complaining about who did us wrong. Live each day in faith, good-natured, rejoicing and being exceedingly glad.

Isaiah 61:10 "I will greatly rejoice in the LORD; my soul shall exult in my God, for He has clothed me with the garments of salvation; He has covered me with the robe of righteousness...."