

THE SECRETS OF

JOY

The Joy of Giving and Receiving
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You yourselves also know, Philippians, that at the first preaching of the gospel, after I left Macedonia, no church shared with me in the matter of giving and receiving but you alone; ¹⁶ for even in Thessalonica you sent a gift more than once for my needs. ¹⁷ Not that I seek the gift itself, but I seek for the profit which increases to your account. ¹⁸ But I have received everything in full and have an abundance; I am amply supplied,

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having received from Epaphroditus what you have sent, a fragrant aroma, an acceptable sacrifice, well-pleasing to God. ¹⁹ And my God will supply all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

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The Joy of what God starts, He finishes. – 1:6

The Joy is living or dying for Jesus Christ. – 1:21

The Joy is a life of service to others. – 2:17

The Joy of losing and gaining – 3:7-8

The Joy of Christlikeness – 3:14

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The Joy of praying about everything – 4:6-7

The Joy of thinking deeply about godly things
– 4:8

The Joy of a contented life – 4:12-13

The Joy of giving and receiving – 4:19

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Rejoice in the Lord – there is great gain in giving. – 4:15-17

Rejoice in the Lord – sacrificial giving pleases God. – 4:18

Rejoice in the Lord – God supplies our needs as we give. – 4:19

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