

Rejoicing in the Mighty One

Finding joy in the exaltation of God

1. How would you rate your joy this morning? _____
2. Mary went to visit Elizabeth as an act of faith regarding what the angel had told her. (Yes/No)
3. How would you define "blessed"? _____
4. Mary is blessed because she is worthy of such treatment by God. (Yes/No)
5. Mary is not only rejoicing that God has done great things for her, but that God is also merciful to those who _____.
6. List the five "he has" statements along with how it helps us to rejoice in God:
 - i. **He has** shown _____ with his _____.
It may be that we lack joy in God because we are confident in our own _____.
 - ii. **He has** _____ the proud.
What are signs of pride that keep us from joy in God? _____
 - iii. **He has** brought down the mighty and _____ the humble.
Maybe we lack joy because we are looking to earthly _____ for deliverance.
 - iv. **He has** filled the _____ and emptied the _____.
Maybe we lack joy because we are serving _____ and not God.
 - v. **He has** helped Israel because of his _____.
Maybe we aren't considering God's _____ in the present crisis.
7. What must you do to live in joy and magnify the Lord?
