

New Life

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Celebration:

#1

To show happiness that something good or special has happened by doing such things as eating and drinking together or playing music.

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#2

The action of marking one's pleasure at an important event or occasion by engaging in enjoyable, typically social, activity

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To perform a religious
ceremony according to the
prescribed forms

I understand that, at times,
walking with God may be like
an hour of p90x, or a hard day
at work, or like undergoing
surgery, or studying for an
exam, or like being on a battle
field, but celebration is also part
of the LIFE

Genesis 1:1-4a

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters. And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. God saw that the light was **good...**

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Leviticus 23:1-2

The LORD said to Moses,
"Speak to the Israelites and say
to them: 'These are my
appointed feasts, the appointed
feasts of the LORD, which you
are to proclaim as sacred
assemblies.'

Vs 3- You are not to do any work

Vs 7- Do no regular work

Vs 8- Do no regular work

Vs 21- Do no regular work

Vs 25- Do no regular work

Vs 28- Do no work on that day

Vs 36- Do no regular work

Vs 31- You shall do no work at all

Sabbath

A weekly celebration of God and
creation

Passover

The blood of a lamb was on the
doorpost of Jewish homes caused
the Spirit of the Lord to pass over
those homes during the last plague
on Egypt (Exodus 12)

Exodus 12:14

This is a day you are to
commemorate; for the
generations to come you shall
celebrate it as a festival to the
LORD-- a lasting ordinance.

The Feast of Unleavened Bread

immediately after Passover and lasted one week, during which time the Israelites ate no bread with yeast in remembrance of their haste in preparing for their exodus from Egypt

The Feast of Firstfruits

took place at the beginning of the harvest and signified Israel's gratitude to and dependence upon God

The Feast of Weeks

occurred 50 days after the
Firstfruits festival and
celebrated the end of the grain
harvest

(the Greek word *Pentecost* means “fiftieth”)

The Feast of Trumpets

The Day of Atonement

The Feast of Tabernacles

about 20% of the year was
scheduled by God for celebration

Psalm 126:3

The LORD has done great things for us, and we are filled with joy.

Ephesians 1 & 2

Vs 3

Praise be to the God and Father
of our Lord Jesus Christ, who
has blessed us in the heavenly
realms with every spiritual
blessing in Christ.

Vs 4-5

For He chose us in Him before
the creation of the world to be
holy and blameless in His sight.
In love He predestined us to be
adopted as His sons through
Jesus Christ

Vs 7-8

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace that He lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding.

John 1:29

The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, “Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!”

“There is Power in the Blood”

Verse 3

Would you be whiter, much whiter than snow?
There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;
Sin-stains are lost in its life-giving flow;
There's wonderful pow'r in the blood.

Refrain:

There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder-working pow'r
In the blood of the Lamb;
There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder-working pow'r
In the precious blood of the Lamb.

Vs 9

And He made known to us the
mystery of His will according to
His good pleasure, which He
purposed in Christ,

Deuteronomy 30:19

This day I call heaven and earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live

Ephesians 2:6-7

And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with Him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages He might show the incomparable riches of His grace, expressed in His kindness to us in Christ Jesus.

Those times I see glimpses of
heaven

Those times when there is an
unexplainable occurrence in my
soul, heart, life

Those times when peace comes on
me in a chaotic place

Those times when strength comes at
my weakest moment

Those time when comfort arrives in
the most pressured occasion

Is because I am seated with
Jesus and I am experiencing
heaven on earth

Vs 8-10

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith-- and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God--not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Vs 11-13

But now in Christ Jesus you
who once were far away have
been brought near through the
blood of Christ.

John 12:12-13

The next day the great crowd that had come for the Feast heard that Jesus was on His way to Jerusalem. They took palm branches and went out to meet Him, shouting, "Hosanna!" "Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the King of Israel!"