

JOY AS A STANDARD

I. Our greatest warfare

- A. Gal. 5:22; Rom. 14:17
- B. Keeping our joy/Maintaining our joy

II. Joy as a standard

- A. Ps. 100:1, 2 - Service
- B. Eccl. 9:9 – Husbands to wives
- C. Ps. 113:9 – Mothers to children
- D. Deut. 12:7; Eccl. 5:9; Is. 65:22 – Work
- E. Acts 20:24 – Ministry

III. Joy killers and joy stealers

- A. Ask the Lord to help you experience more joy & to show you what may be killing/stealing your joy.
- B. If it is something you are practicing stop sowing it (Gal. 6:8); if it is something the enemy presents to you, resist him (Jms. 4:7)