

Resurrection Living

Everything's changed...

Taking Joy Seriously

"You hearts will rejoice and no one will take your joy from you"
John 16 v22

Christmas Joy-

Joy to the world the Lord has come
What happened next?

John Chapter 16

Jesus turns death and despair into..
Resurrection and Joy.

Early Christian Joy John 20:19-20

Paul "Be joyful always" 1 Thess 5:16-18

Today?

What would people say today about us? Think of those
who we know are always joyful?

"Joy is the rarest and most infrequent thing in the world. We already have enough fanatical seriousness, enthusiasm, and humorless zeal in the world. But joy? This shows us that the perception of the living God is rare. When we have found God our Saviour- or when he has found us- we will rejoice in him."
Karl Barth

Tips for Joyful living

Join in Jesus our Saviour, and know God's peace.
John 20:19-20

Open your spiritual eyes and see the victory in
Christ John 16: 22 & 33

Yearn for Gods kingdom come in prayer John 16:24

Find little moments each day Psalm 65:8

Unbridled worship Luke 24:52-53

Laugh lots, don't take yourself too seriously. Take
God seriously. "Walk humbly with the Lord" Micah 6:8

What other tips would you add?