

Ecclesiastes 3:4 • **A time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to wail and a time to skip about.**

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- **Most truly I say to YOU, YOU will weep and wail, but the world will rejoice, YOU will be grieved, but YOUR grief will be turned into joy. (John 16:20)**
- **Rejoice with people who rejoice, weep with people who weep. (Romans 12:15)**
- **For, look! This very thing, YOUR being saddened in a godly way, what a great earnestness it produced in YOU, yes, clearing of yourselves, yes, indignation, yes, fear, yes, longing, yes, zeal, yes, righting of the wrong! In every respect YOU demonstrated yourselves to be chaste in this matter. (2 Corinthians 7:11)**
- **Give way to misery and mourn and weep. Let YOUR laughter be turned into mourning, and YOUR joy into dejection. (James 4:9)**
- **At that time our mouth came to be filled with laughter, and our tongue with a joyful cry. At that time they proceeded to say among the nations; Yehowah has done a great thing in what he has done with them. (Psalms 126:2)**
- **So Sarah died in Kiriatharba, that is to say, Hebron, in the land of Canaan, and Abraham came in to bewail Sarah and to weep over her. (Genesis 23:2)**
- **Howl, YOU shepherds, and cry out! And wallow about, YOU majestic ones of the flock, because YOUR days for slaughtering and for YOUR scatterings have been fulfilled, and YOU must fall like a desirable vessel! (Jeremiah 25:34)**
- **And Miriam the prophetess, Aaron's sister, proceeded to take a tambourine in her hand, and all the women began going out with her with tambourines and in dances. (Exodus 15:20)**
- **And it occurred that when the ark of Yehowah came into the City of David, Michal, Saul's daughter, herself looked down through the window and got to see King David leaping and dancing around before Yehowah, and she began to despise him in her heart. (2 Samuel 6:16)**

- **Consequently the people came to Bethel and kept sitting there before the true God until the evening and continued to raise their voice and indulge in a great deal of weeping. (Judges 21:2)**
- **Eventually Yehowah said to Samuel; For how long will you be mourning for Saul, while I, on the other hand, have rejected him from ruling as king over Israel? Fill your horn with oil and go. I shall send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, because I have provided among his sons a king for myself. (1 Samuel 16:1)**
- **You have changed my mourning into dancing for me, you have loosened my sackcloth, and you keep me girded with rejoicing. (Psalms 30:11)**
- **He that is removing a garment on a cold day is as vinegar upon alkali and as a singer with songs upon a gloomy heart. (Proverbs 25:20)**