

**1 PETER**  
**Joy In Trials**  
**1 Peter 1:6-9**

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**1. Christian \_\_\_\_\_ and trials.**

- a. Believers have \_\_\_\_\_ to rejoice greatly because they have been born again, have a certain inheritance, and are protected by the power of God.
- b. Believers are enabled by God to have great joy \_\_\_\_\_ of great sorrow in the midst of trials.
  - 1) Christians deal with many different \_\_\_\_\_ of trials.
  - 2) The trials of Christians are for “a \_\_\_\_\_ while”.
  - 3) The trials of Christians are \_\_\_\_\_, they are not without purpose.

**2. Christian \_\_\_\_\_ in the context of trials.**

- a. Trials are necessary for Christians because they \_\_\_\_\_ the genuineness of their faith.

b. A sure and tested faith is much more \_\_\_\_\_ than the purest gold.

c. Genuine saving faith will be rewarded to believers by Christ at His Second Coming with praise, glory and \_\_\_\_\_.

*“While their faithfulness to God may be why they are \_\_\_\_\_ receiving any praise, glory, or honor from their society, that same faithfulness will ultimately result in praise, glory, and honor when all is said and done.”*  
- Karen Jobes

**3. Christian \_\_\_\_\_, joy, and faith and the Lord Jesus Christ.**

- a. True faith in Christ produces a love for \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. True faith in Christ produces an exceedingly great joy that is a \_\_\_\_\_ of the joy that is now being experienced by glorified souls in heaven.
- c. The ultimate outcome of a tested and persevering faith is the \_\_\_\_\_ salvation of their soul in Christ.