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MYTHBUSTERS for Christians

"God wants me to be happy!"

Define "happy" 1) delighted, pleased, glad
 2) characterized by well being/contentment
 3) favored by fortune

Biblical.....Rejoice Blessed

Matthew 5:11-12

Romans 12:12

2Corinthians 7:9

Philippians 4:4

Colossians 1:24

Biblical "BLESSED"

_____ condition

God _____

Contains _____

HAPPY

Subjective _____

_____ of _____

_____ suffering

The Case of Job

Was Job happy?

Was Job blessed?

Does God want you to be happy?

Is happiness God's number one value for your life?

Happiness is the result of values _____, not a means to an end.

You can't _____ happiness to make yourself happy!

Hebrews 11:23-28

2 Choices

Result

Outcome

Blessed now! (Condition you live in because of God)

Boundaries

Blessed by God, not _____ blessed

Obedience, sacrifice, discipline, love

Happy (_____ and _____)

Happy is not a decision maker!