

(Topics, Lead-in, and Lead-in Devotional Reading below)

# I Am Rejoicing!

TUNE: I Must Tell Jesus (ORWIGSBURG, alt.)  
Philippians 4:4-9

♩ = 116

Unison

C C/G C C/B Am G7 C C/G F/G

1. I am re - joic - ing here in this tri - al, Sing - ing a  
 2. Lord, You are with me. Why should I wor - ry? Bear - ing con -  
 3. All that is pure and all that is love - ly, All that is

C C/G C C/B Am G7sus G7sus G F/G C C/G C C/B Am

joy so long o - ver - due. Lord, You're a - maz - ing! You are un -  
 cerns, I come, and I bow. Al - might - y God, all - wise and all -  
 right and all that is true - Lord, may they fill my think - ing and

E7/G# E7 Am Am/G F C/G C/E Am Am7 F G7 C C/G F/G G7 F/G

chang - ing! I am at peace here liv - ing in You!  
 lov - ing, I am at peace while trust - ing You now.  
 do - ing. Fill all I am with all that is You!

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ORWIGSBURG 2  
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Refrain

$\frac{C_{sus}}{G}$  C  $\frac{C}{G}$  C  $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{C}{E}$  F  $\frac{E}{C}$  F  $\frac{E}{E}$  Dm<sup>7</sup> D<sup>7sus</sup> Dm<sup>7</sup>

Fa-ther, my Fa-ther! Je-sus, my Bro-ther! Spir-it of

$\frac{C_{add^9}}{G}$   $\frac{C_{add^9}}{G}$  C  $\frac{C}{B}$  Am<sup>7</sup>  $\frac{E}{A}$  Am<sup>7</sup> F<sup>6</sup>  $\frac{F^6}{A}$  G<sup>7</sup>  $\frac{E}{G}$  C  $\frac{C}{G}$  C  $\frac{C}{B}$  Am

Life, so gen-tle, so strong! Al-might-y Pres-ence, with and with-

$\frac{E^7}{G\#}$  E Am  $\frac{Am}{G}$  F  $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{C}{E}$  Am Am<sup>7</sup> F G C  $\frac{C}{G}$  C

in me, You hold me stead-y! You are my song!

TOPICS: Assurance & Comfort; God’s Presence; Joy; Peace in Christ

LEAD-IN: *Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice! Let your gentle spirit be known to all people. The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and pleading with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.*

*Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, think about these things.*  
 (Philippians 4:4-8, NASB)

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

## **All God's Best**

*Philippians 4:4-9*

Father, in Philippians 4:4-9, You  
invite us,  
call us,  
urge us  
to enjoy all Your wonderful blessings  
all day,  
every day.

You urge us to always rejoice,  
not in response to changing circumstances,  
but in response to Your unchanging goodness.  
Even when we can't rejoice in our situation,  
we can rejoice in You!

When concerns arise,  
we can bring them immediately to You  
with grateful, trusting hearts,  
before these concerns become worries.  
As we do,  
You keep us, guard us, protect us in Your peace.

And with the help of Your Spirit,  
we can fill my minds and hearts with  
*whatever is true,*  
*whatever is honorable,*  
*whatever is right,*  
*whatever is pure,*  
*whatever is lovely,*  
*whatever is commendable, and*  
*whatever is*  
*excellent and*  
*praiseworthy.* (Philippians 4:8, NASB adapted)

For as we set our minds on the things of the Spirit,  
You give what You promise:  
life and  
peace. (Romans 8:5-6)