"Don't Worry, Be Happy" • Matthew 6:19-34

Matthew 5:3 "Blessed are the **poor in spirit**, for **theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

Matthew 5:20 For I tell you, unless your **righteousness exceeds** that of the scribes and Pharisees, **you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.**

Here's a little song I wrote
You might want to sing it note for note
Don't worry be happy
In every life we have some trouble
When you worry you make it double
Don't worry, be happy

Ooh, ooh ooh ooh oo-ooh ooh ooh ooh oo-ooh

(Don't worry)

Ooh oo-ooh ooh oo-ooh

(Be happy)

Ooh oo-ooh oo-ooh

Ooh, ooh ooh ooh oo-ooh ooh ooh ooh oo-ooh

(Don't worry)

Ooh oo-ooh ooh oo-ooh

(Be happy)

Ooh oo-ooh oo-ooh

(Don't worry, be happy)

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Ephesians 4:21b ...the truth is in Jesus

Matthew 6:19 "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal,

Ecclesiastes 2:18 I hated all my toil in which I toil under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to the man who will come after me,

Proverbs 18:11 A rich man's wealth is his strong city, and **like a high wall in his imagination.**

1Timothy 6:9 But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction.

Matthew 6:20 but **lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven**, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.

Acts 20:35 In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and **remember the words of the Lord Jesus**, how he himself said, **'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"**

Ephesians 4:28 Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, **doing** honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need.

Luke 12:32 "Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

Luke 12:33 **Sell your possessions, and give to the needy.** Provide yourselves with moneybags that do not grow old, with a treasure in the heavens that does not fail, where no thief approaches and no moth destroys.

Matthew 6:21 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Matthew 6:22 "The **eye** is the **lamp of the body**. So, if your **eye is healthy**, your whole body will be full of light,

Matthew 6:23 but if your **eye is bad**, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness!

Matthew 20:15 Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you **begrudge** my generosity?'

Matthew 6:24 "No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

Matthew 6:25 "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing?

Matthew 6:26 Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they?

Matthew 6:27 And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life?

Matthew 6:28 And **why are you anxious** about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin,

Matthew 6:29 yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.

Matthew 6:30 But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?

Matthew 6:31 Therefore **do not be anxious**, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?'

Matthew 6:32 For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all.

Matthew 6:33 But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

Ephesians 2:19 So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and **members of the household of God**,

1Timothy 5:8 But if anyone does not **provide for his relatives**, and **especially for members of his household**, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.

Matthew 6:34 "Therefore **do not be anxious about tomorrow**, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.

Lamentations 3:22 The steadfast love of the LORD **never ceases**; his mercies **never come to an end**;

Lamentations 3:23 they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Matthew 24:6 And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not alarmed, for this must take place, but the end is not yet.

Luke 10:3 Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves.

John 16:2 They will put you out of the synagogues. Indeed, the hour is coming when whoever kills you will think he is offering service to God.

Luke 12:4 "I tell you, my friends, **do not fear those who kill the body**, and after that have nothing more that they can do.

Psalms 56:3 When I am afraid, I put my trust in? I put my trust in you.

Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Romans 8:35 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword?

Romans 8:37 **No**, in all these things we are more than conquerors **through him** who loved us.

Philippians 1:21 For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain.

Philippians 4:4 Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice.

Philippians 4:5 Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. **The Lord is at hand;**

Philippians 4:6 **do not be anxious about anything**, but in everything by prayer and supplication **with thanksgiving** let your requests be made known to God.

1Thessalonians 5:18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Philippians 4:7 And the **peace of God**, which surpasses all understanding, will **guard your hearts** and **your minds in Christ Jesus.**

Philippians 4:8 Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.

2Corinthians 10:5 We destroy arguments and every lofty opinion raised against the knowledge of God, and take every thought captive to obey Christ,

1Peter 5:5 Likewise, you who are younger, be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble."

1Peter 5:6 **Humble yourselves**, therefore, **under** the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you,

1Peter 5:7 casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.

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Matthew 11:28 Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and **I will give** you rest.