

How To Have a Joyful Life  
“Joy In Knowing God Finishes Well”

*Philippians 1:6 And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.*

Find Joy In the Sure Fact That Your Salvation is God’s Visible and Lasting Work

1. Your Salvation Is God’s Work - “**he who began a good work in you**”

Everything is God’s work

*John 5:17*

What is this specific “beginning’ Work....

*Romans 8:29-30*

*Eph 2:8-9*

Therefore the beginning work is....

*1 Peter 1:3 & 23*

*Acts 16:14*

2. God’s Work Looks Like God’s Work. - “**he who began a good work in you**”

God’s work is noticeably...

*Ephesians 2:10* The Sure Fact – “I am sure of this”...

If there is a good work... there is also a bad work...not a work of God

*James 2:17*

3. God’s Work Lasts Like God’s Work - “**will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus**

**Christ.**”

What God starts, God finishes!

*Romans 8:30*

BUT WHAT ABOUT.....

*Luke 8:15*

Ground rules.... Which position deals most fairly with the other texts?

*Hebrews 6:4-6*

**1 John 2:19**