

is material wealth, but God does not want us to follow Christian principles in order to get these results, and He does not guarantee that it will come in a ny individual's case. If we truly are His we have the attitude that Habakkuk has here: God loves me, I belong to Him, Jesus died that I might live. He is my Saviour and I know through all eternity **a** I am going to rejoice with Him, and He may give me a foretaste of the se wonderful blessings in the material aspects of my life here upon earth and He very frequently does, but - and He may not, but whether He does or whether He doesn't , God is so good and so great and so wonderful that is what in what He has done in saving me from sin and lifting me out of the kind kingdom of darkness into the kingdom of light and making me an heir of the Lord Jesus Christ and a me mber of His kingdom, that even though He should want to use me to show people how His grace can work in a life adm and give me miseries that Job had , if that should be His will, yet will I rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation. Let us pray.