Living in a war zone

• 3 John 1:2 John 16:33 John 15:20 Acts 8:1-3

Joy in the war zone

• 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 Philippians 4:4 John 15:11 John 15:18-20

- This is not a joy that ignores pain and trouble.
 - John 11:35 Luke 19:41 Romans 12:15
 - 2 Corinthians 4:8-9 Hebrews 10:34 John 16:33 Hebrews 12:1-2 Hebrews 12:1-3 Hebrews 10:32-34 Hebrews 13:14 Colossians 3:2

What is heaven like?

Heaven will be the New Heaven and the New Earth

- 2 Peter 3:10-13 Matthew 5:5 Romans 8:19-21
- "The biblical doctrine of the New Earth implies something startling: that if we want to know what the ultimate Heaven, our eternal home, will be like, the best place to start is by looking around us. We shouldn't close our eyes and imagine the unimaginable. We should open our eyes because the present earth is as much a valid reference point for envisioning the new earth as our present bodies are a valid reference point for envisioning our new bodies"- Dr Randy Alcorn
- Revelation 22:1-2

Heaven will be all good, joy filled and safe

Revelation 21:4 Revelation 21:1 Isaiah 11:6

Heaven will include us having new glorified bodies

- 2 Corinthians 5:1-5 1 Corinthians 15:43-44
- "One day, no more bulging middles or balding tops. No varicose veins or crow's feet. No more cellulite or support hose. Forget the thunder thighs and highway hips. Just a quick leapfrog over the tombstone and it's the body you've always dreamed of. Fit and trim, smooth and sleek." - Joni Eareckson Tada, Heaven: Your Real Home
- Philippians 3:21 1 John 3:2

Heaven will include music, eating and drinking

• Revelation 19:9 Isaiah 25:6-8

Heaven will include learning, work, art and creativity

• Revelation 7:15 Genesis 2:15

Heaven will include perfect relationships

• Revelation 7:9-10

Heaven is time forever

Revelation 22:2

Heaven will include perfect fellowship with God

Revelation 21:3

Heaven is far beyond anything we can imagine!

• 1 Corinthians 2:9

Hebrews 13:14

Philippians 1:27