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*If you make fun of the poor, you insult God, who made them. If you laugh at someone's trouble, you will be punished.*

*Proverbs 17:5 (ICB)*

*Then God said, “Let Us make mankind in  
Our image, according to Our likeness...”*

*Genesis 1:26*

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promotes love, but someone who gossips  
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*Proverbs 17:9 (ISV)*



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*For if you forgive other people their offenses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you.*

*Matthew 6:14*

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promotes love, but someone who gossips  
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*Proverbs 17:9 (ISV)*

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***Who gets your approval?***

***Who gets your condemnation?***

**(v. 15)**

*Whoever approves of wicked people and  
whoever condemns righteous people is  
disgusting to the LORD.*

*Proverbs 15:15 (GWT)*

***Who gets your approval?***

***Who gets your condemnation?***

**(v. 15)**

***Ready to be a friend, a sibling?***

**(v. 17)**



*A friend always loves, and a brother is born  
to share trouble.*

*Proverbs 17:17 (GWT)*

***Ready to be a friend, a sibling?***

**(v. 17)**

*Bear one another's burdens, and thereby  
fulfill the law of Christ.*

*Galatians 6:2*

***Staying healthy, or staying crippled?***

**(v. 22)**

*A joyful heart is good medicine, but a broken spirit drains one's strength.*

*Proverbs 17:22 (ISV)*

***Staying healthy, or staying crippled?***

**(v. 22)**

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your condemnation?***

***Ready to be a friend, a sibling?***

***Staying healthy, or staying crippled?***





**There is joy in serving Jesus  
As I journey on my way,  
Joy that fills my heart with praises  
Every hour and every day.**

**There is joy, joy,  
Joy in serving Jesus,  
Joy that throbs within my heart.  
Every moment, every hour  
As I draw upon His power,  
There is joy, joy  
Joy that never shall depart.**

**There is joy in serving Jesus  
Joy that triumphs over pain,  
Fills my heart with heaven's music  
Till I join the glad refrain.**

**There is joy, joy,  
Joy in serving Jesus,  
Joy that throbs within my heart.  
Every moment, every hour  
As I draw upon His power,  
There is joy, joy  
Joy that never shall depart.**

**There is joy in serving Jesus**

**As I walk alone with God.**

**'Tis the joy of Christ my Savior**

**Who the path of suffering trod.**

**There is joy, joy,  
Joy in serving Jesus,  
Joy that throbs within my heart.  
Every moment, every hour  
As I draw upon His power,  
There is joy, joy  
Joy that never shall depart.**

**There is joy in serving Jesus**

**Joy amid the darkest night.**

**For I've learned the wondrous secret**

**And I'm walking in the light.**

**There is joy, joy,  
Joy in serving Jesus,  
Joy that throbs within my heart.  
Every moment, every hour  
As I draw upon His power,  
There is joy, joy  
Joy that never shall depart.**



