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# Psalm 126

A golden horn, intricately decorated with patterns, pours a thick, golden liquid onto several unrolled scrolls resting on a stone surface. The scene is set against a dramatic, golden-hued sky with rays of light breaking through the clouds. In the foreground, a lit candle and a small golden vessel are visible. The background shows a vast, hazy landscape with mountains and a distant city or ruins.

*A Message of Joy, Hope & Divine Reversal*

**Psalm 126**

A golden horn, intricately decorated with patterns, is shown pouring a thick, golden liquid, likely oil, onto several unrolled scrolls of parchment. The scrolls are resting on a stone surface. In the background, a dramatic landscape unfolds under a sunset sky, with rays of light breaking through the clouds. A small fire burns in a brazier to the left, and a stone structure is visible on the right. The overall scene is bathed in warm, golden light, creating a sense of divine presence and hope.

# THE TURNAROUND ANOINTING

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Psalm 126



# WHY THIS PSALM MATTERS

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*Written after 70 years of Babylonian captivity*

*Israel returning home*

*A nation experiencing divine reversal*

*A song of restoration, joy, and freedom*



*The Turnaround Anointing Begins with God*

# **WHEN GOD RESTORES**

*Psalm 126:1*

**God Initiates the Turnaround**

**God Orchestrates the Turnaround**

**God Completes the Turnaround**

# EXEGESIS: “RESTORED”

*Hebrew Means:*

To Reverse

To Bring Back

To Revive

To Return to Rightful Place

# LIKE THOSE WHO DREAMED

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**Joy- Shocked**

**Overwhelmed**

**Living in Answered Prayer**

The image depicts a dark, atmospheric interior of a stone building. A large, multi-paned gothic window is the central focus, with light streaming through it. The walls are made of rough, dark stone, and several large, intricate spider webs are draped across the left side of the frame. The air is filled with a dense, golden-brown dust or mist, creating a sense of mystery and age. The overall color palette is dominated by dark browns, greys, and a warm, golden light from the window.

**LIGHT- HEARTED TRUTH**

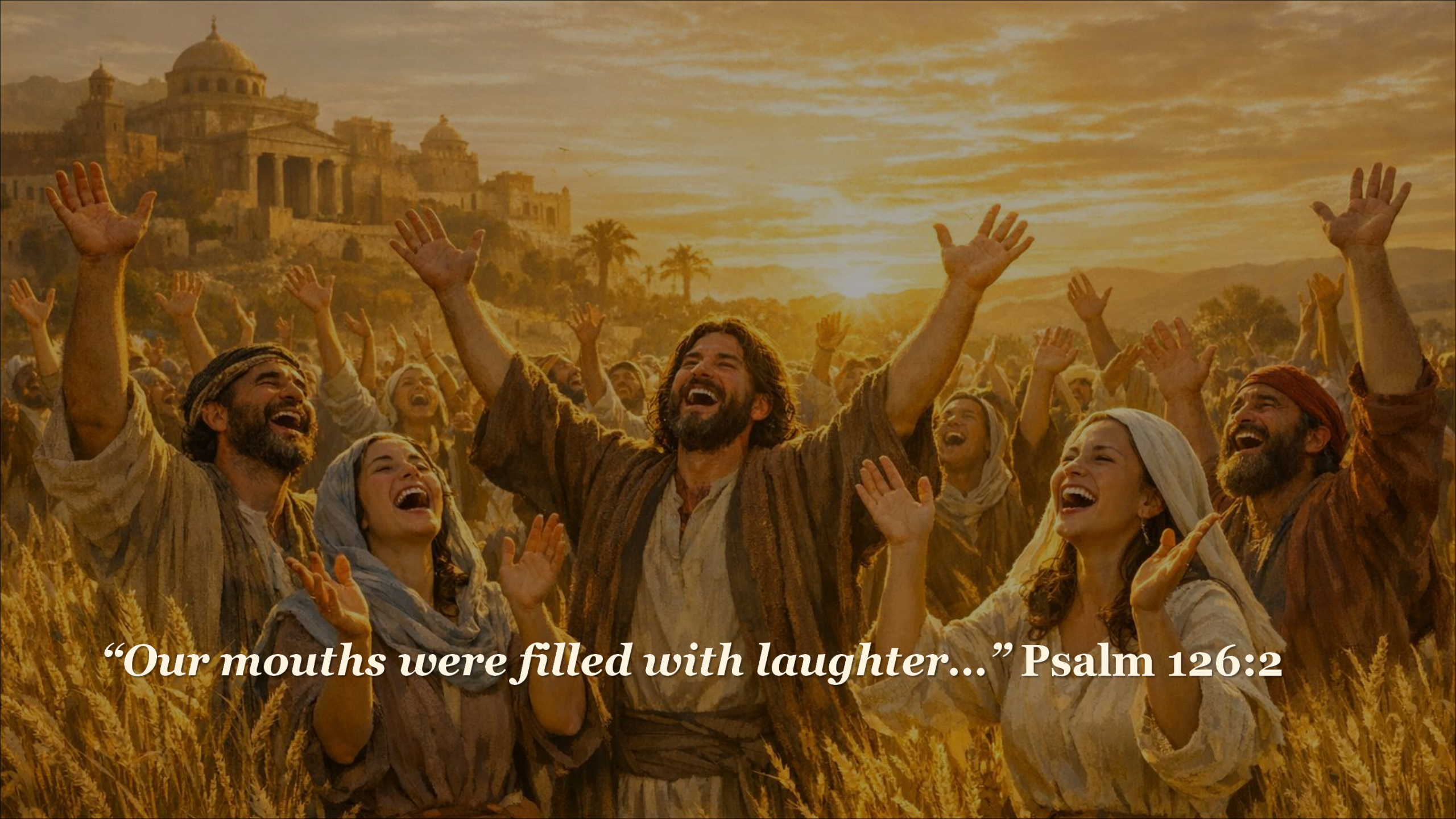


# LIGHT- HEARTED TRUTH

*Some of us haven't dreamed in so long  
our imagination has cobwebs on it.*



**DECLARATION**  
*If God Started It...*  
*...Nothing Can Stop It.*



*“Our mouths were filled with laughter...”* Psalm 126:2

A large crowd of people in ancient attire, including men with beards and women in headscarves, are shown in a field of golden wheat. They have their hands raised in the air, some with open mouths as if laughing or shouting in joy. In the background, a city with a prominent domed building and other structures is visible under a warm, golden sky, suggesting a sunrise or sunset. The overall atmosphere is one of triumph and celebration.

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**JOY IS THE EVIDENCE OF A TURNAROUND**



# HEBREW WORD: Laughter

Loud Laughter

Free Laughter

Turnaround Laughter



**JOY IS A MOVE OF GOD**

*Joy is Not a Mood —*

*Joy is a Move of God.*

# CHALLENGE

*Where Has Heaviness Blocked Your Turnaround?*





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**Stress**

**Schedules**

**Struggles**

**Situations**

A close-up photograph of a person's hands, weathered and stained with dirt, holding a large quantity of small, light-colored seeds. The hands are positioned as if about to sow the seeds into the soil. Several large, clear tears are falling from the fingers and palm of the hands. The background is a vast field of golden wheat under a dramatic, golden sunset sky with scattered clouds. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a strong glow and long shadows. The overall mood is one of hope and perseverance.

PSALM 126:5

*“Those who sow in tears  
will reap with shouts of joy.”*

A close-up photograph of a person's hands, weathered and aged, holding a large quantity of small, light-colored seeds. The hands are positioned over a field of golden wheat under a dramatic, sunset sky with heavy, dark clouds. Sunlight breaks through the clouds, creating a bright, hazy glow. Several clear, teardrop-shaped droplets are falling from the fingers of the hands, suggesting that the person is crying. The overall mood is one of hope and resilience.

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will reap with shouts of joy.”*

**TEARS ARE THE SEEDS OF TURNAROUND**



# WHAT TEARS MEAN

*Tears =*

**Sowing**

**Trusting**

**Believing**

**Birthing a Turnaround**

# HEBREW WORD: Joy





# HEBREW WORD: Joy

*Means:*

**Triumphant Shout**

**Victory Cry**

**Turnaround Praise**

# DECLARATION

A dramatic landscape painting. The scene is dominated by a central sunburst of golden light that radiates across the sky and illuminates a river flowing through a valley. The river flows from a rocky, mountainous area on the left, where a waterfall cascades down, towards the right. The sky is filled with dark, stormy clouds on the left, where a lightning bolt is visible, and lighter, golden clouds on the right. The overall atmosphere is one of divine light and natural beauty.

A dramatic landscape painting. The left side shows a dark, stormy sky with lightning bolts striking a rocky, desolate landscape. The right side shows a bright, golden sunrise or sunset over a lush, green valley with a river and a waterfall. The center of the image is a bright, golden light source, possibly the sun, creating a strong vertical beam of light that illuminates the scene.

# DECLARATION

*God is Turning:*

**Tears → Triumph**

**Pain → Praise**

**Worry → Worship**

**JOY IS THE POWER OF THE TURNAROUND  
ANOINTING**





**JOY IS THE POWER OF THE TURNAROUND  
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**NEHEMIAH 8:10**

*“The joy of the Lord is your strength.”*

**JOY = TURNAROUND STRENGTH**



# JOY = TURNAROUND STRENGTH

*Joy is:*

**Fortress**

**Defense**

**Protection**

**Turnaround Fuel**

# CHALLENGE

*Where Do You Need To Fight For Your Turnaround?*



# CHALLENGE

*Where Do You Need To Fight For Your Turnaround?*

Home

Mind

Worship

Expectations



# STEP INTO THE TURNAROUND ANOINTING





**STEP INTO THE TURNAROUND ANOINTING**

*If you need a turnaround:*

**Joy**

**Hope**

**Strength**

**Restoration**

*Come — This is a Turnaround Altar*

# TURNAROUND DECLARATION

A person stands in a field of golden wheat, their arms raised in a gesture of praise or triumph. The scene is bathed in a warm, golden light, with a bright sunburst effect emanating from the top center of the frame. Numerous stalks of wheat are shown falling through the air, creating a sense of movement and abundance. The background features rolling hills under a dramatic, cloudy sky.

*This is my Psalm 126 season!”*

# TURNAROUND DECLARATION

*“The Lord is restoring me!*


*My dreams are waking up!*

*My joy is returning!*

*My tears are seeds!*

*This is my turnaround season!*

*This is my Psalm 126 season!”*

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