

**LENT**

# **TRANSFORMING LOVE**

**Rejoice | Luke 10:1-3; 17-24**

<sup>51</sup> When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem.

—Luke 9:51



10:1 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go.



<sup>2</sup> And he said to them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.



<sup>3</sup> Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves.



<sup>17</sup> The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, “Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!”



<sup>18</sup> And he said to them, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven.



19 Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you.





20 Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this,  
that the spirits are subject to you,  
but rejoice that your names are  
written in heaven.”



<sup>21</sup> In that same hour he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, “I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that you have hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to little children; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will.



22 All things have been handed over to me by my Father, and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, or who the Father is except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.”



23 Then turning to the disciples he said privately, “Blessed are the eyes that see what you see!”



24 For I tell you that many prophets and kings desired to see what you see, and did not see it, and to hear what you hear, and did not hear it.”

—Luke 10:1-3; 17-24



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—Luke 10:17





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—Luke 10:18



<sup>12</sup> “How you are fallen from heaven,  
O Day Star, son of Dawn!  
How you are cut down to the ground,  
you who laid the nations low!  
—Isaiah 14:12



<sup>9</sup> And the great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him.

—Revelation 12:9



<sup>21</sup> When a strong man, fully armed,  
guards his own palace, his goods  
are safe;

—Luke 11:21



22 but when one stronger than he attacks him and overcomes him, he takes away his armor in which he trusted and divides his spoil.

—Luke 11:22



<sup>19</sup> Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you.

—Luke 10:19



“Satan is an evil intelligence  
determined on its own supremacy.”  
—Flannery O’Connor



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<sup>10</sup> And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, “Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for **the accuser** of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God.

—Revelation 12:10



<sup>7</sup> Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

—James 4:7



<sup>3</sup> But the Lord is faithful. He will  
establish you and guard you against  
the evil one

—2 Thessalonians 3:3



<sup>4</sup> Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

—1 John 4:4



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—Luke 10:20



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<sup>15</sup> What has happened to all your joy?  
—Galatians 4:15a





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