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John 15:11

¹¹ These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

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Psalm 69:4

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John 15:26-27

²⁶ “But when the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, **he will bear witness about me.** ²⁷ And **you also will bear witness,** because you have been with me from the beginning.

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Acts 4:29-30

²⁹ And now, Lord, look upon their threats and grant to your servants to continue to speak your word with all **boldness**,
³⁰ while you stretch out your hand to heal, and signs and wonders are performed through the name of your holy servant Jesus.”

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 - **Point to Jesus – reveal truth of who He is.**

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12 "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. 14 He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. 15 All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

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