

## Can Christians Have Fun?

Series: Questions Non-Believers Ask

- <sup>1</sup> Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.
- <sup>2</sup> I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord;  
I have no good apart from you."
- <sup>3</sup> As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones,  
in whom is all my delight.<sup>[b]</sup>
- <sup>4</sup> The sorrows of those who run after<sup>[c]</sup> another god shall multiply;  
their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out  
or take their names on my lips.
- <sup>5</sup> The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup;  
you hold my lot.
- <sup>6</sup> The lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;  
indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.
- <sup>7</sup> I bless the Lord who gives me counsel;  
in the night also my heart instructs me.<sup>[d]</sup>
- <sup>8</sup> I have set the Lord always before me;  
because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.
- <sup>9</sup> Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being<sup>[e]</sup> rejoices;  
my flesh also dwells secure.
- <sup>10</sup> For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol,  
or let your holy one see corruption.<sup>[f]</sup>
- <sup>11</sup> You make known to me the path of life;  
in your presence there is fullness of joy;  
at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

### Psalm 16 (ESV)