



# No Half Baked Cakes

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# Philippians 4:11-13 (NIV)

<sup>11</sup> I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. <sup>12</sup> I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. <sup>13</sup> I can do everything through him who gives me strength.





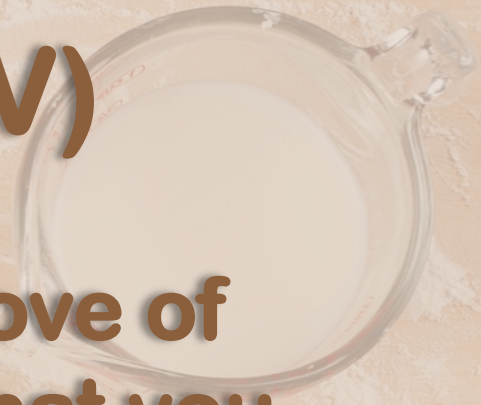
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# Hebrews 13:5 (NIV)

**<sup>5</sup> Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said,  
“Never will I leave you;  
never will I forsake you.”**







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# Philippians 1:12 (NIV)

**<sup>12</sup> Now I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel.**





# Philippians 2:17 (NIV)

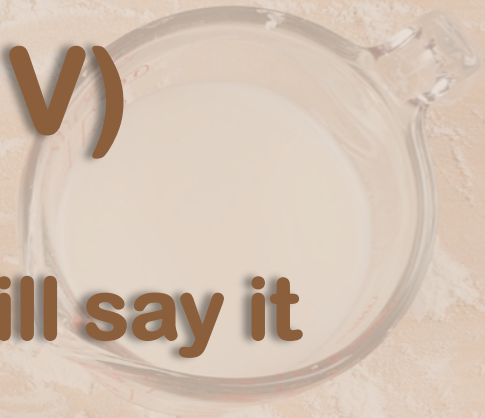
**<sup>17</sup> But even if I am being poured out like a drink offering on the sacrifice and service coming from your faith, I am glad and rejoice with all of you.**





# Philippians 4:4 (NIV)

**<sup>4</sup> Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!**











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- A top-down view of a wooden surface covered in white flour. In the upper left, a stick of butter sits on a piece of white parchment paper. In the upper right, a clear glass measuring cup is filled with white liquid, likely milk. In the lower left, a clear glass bowl contains two cracked eggs. In the lower right, a metal measuring cup is filled with white flour. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.
-  **Contentment is Crucial to Simplicity**
  -  **Contentment is an Essential Component of Joy**
  -  **Contentment Must be Learned**



# Proverbs 27:20 (NIV)

**<sup>20</sup> Death and Destruction are never satisfied, and neither are the eyes of man.**














# 2 Corinthians 11:26-27 (NIV)

<sup>26</sup> I have been constantly on the move. I have been in danger from rivers, in danger from bandits, in danger from my own countrymen, in danger from Gentiles; in danger in the city, in danger in the country, in danger at sea; and in danger from false brothers. <sup>27</sup> I have labored and toiled and have often gone without sleep; I have known hunger and thirst and have often gone without food; I have been cold and naked.



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- The background of the slide is a top-down view of various baking ingredients on a surface covered with white flour. In the top left, a stick of butter is partially unwrapped from its white paper. In the top right, a clear glass measuring cup is filled with a white liquid, likely milk. In the bottom left, a clear glass bowl contains two cracked eggs with bright yellow yolks. In the bottom right, a metal measuring cup is filled with white flour. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image, with each line preceded by a small black icon of a measuring spoon.
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- A top-down view of a light-colored wooden surface covered in a thick layer of white flour. In the upper left, a stick of butter is partially unwrapped from its white paper. In the upper right, a clear glass measuring cup is filled with a white liquid, likely milk. In the lower left, another clear glass measuring cup contains two cracked eggs. In the lower right, a metal measuring spoon is filled with white flour. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image, with each line preceded by a small black icon of a measuring spoon.
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# APPLICATION







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