

ESCAPE THE FUNK (Colossians 3) ©2015 DianaDee Osborne page 1 of 1

LYRICS

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dedicated to our encouraging LORD, 6 Jan 2015
Album: Amazing Joy 'n' Choices

1

I choose to be happy. I choose to be hopeful.
I choose to reject all dark thoughts that come over.
I choose to remember that The LORD DOES love me! – that He IS here, WITH me!

CHORUS 1

We **CAN** escape FUNK when we believe God's Love.
With **logical** trust in God, we escape Funk!
God loved me so much He sent His Son to stop Funk!
Colossians 3, **PEACE** key: Let God's Word dwell in you. TRUST GOD!

2

I choose to be happy. I rejoice in The LORD,
Who really does love me: Made the heav'n above me.
I will **NOT** choose sadness, though Life may have sorrows.
I will trust God – TRUE LORD! >> CHORUS 1

3

When I set my mind on things above – not below,
When I stop selfishness – live for Christ, I find joy!
I reject my anger. I will not curse or lie. Peace is a GIFT from God! >> CHORUS 1

Colossians 3: 2, 12b-16a “**SET YOUR MINDS** on things above, **NOT** on things on the earth..
PUT ON LOVE, which is the bond of perfection. And **LET** the **PEACE OF GOD** rule in your
hearts... **LET** the **WORD OF CHRIST** dwell in you richly in all Wisdom....
singing with grace in your hearts TO THE LORD.”

JESUS said in John 16:33, “These things I have spoken to you, that IN ME, you may have
peace. In the world you WILL have Tribulation: But be of GOOD CHEER: *I* have
overcome the world!” First Thess 5: 16-18 = **PRAY CONSTANTLY & STAY REJOICING.**
THAT's the way GOD gives you to escape funk! TRUST GOD! (Escape funk!)

4

When you set your mind on things above – not below,
When you stop selfishness – live for Christ, you find joy!
Choose to reject anger: No cursing or lying. Choose to accept God's Peace!

CHORUS 2

You CAN escape FUNK when you believe God's Love.
With logical trust in God, you escape Funk!
God loved you so much He sent His Son to stop Funk!
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Song Story. A song where I was just playing around on the keyboard, and God guided me to this music.... & to the scripture promises that fit. Since the music style was sort of funk, that became the key word in the title :) The Holy Spirit definitely had to gift to me the ability to narrow down all His WONDERFUL promises of peace into one single song... So many great verses I could have used! With His blessing, I'll have to work into other songs, verses like 2nd Timothy 1:7 >> “For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power & of love & of a sound mind.” John 16:33 PEACE thru Jesus....