

THOUSAND & ONE DISTRACTIONS

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LYRICS

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REASON FOR OUR PRIORITIES:

“But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners,
Christ died for us.” -- Romans 5:8 NKJV

VERSE 1

A thousand and one distractions distract me from THE ONE True Joy. The
ONE and only source of True Peace that
distractions MASK and often make me think that
in these distractions, I'll find “Happiness.” A
thousand and one temptations FOOL me IF I
LET them get me to stop seeking God, my
Peace -- God, my JOY, forevermore!

VERSE 2

A thousand and one things on my “To Do” list distract me from THE ONE that
COUNTS. The ONE and only thing I must do is
push distractions into their background place, be-
hind my Great LORD God! He's FIRST in my heart! A
thousand and one temptations I'll LAUGH off as I
focus on God Who's my ALL! See John 10:10, my
LORD -- God IS my JOY, forevermore!

Supporting Scriptures

John 14:15, JESUS: "If you love Me, you will keep My commandments."

Matthew 6:24, JESUS: "No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one
and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other.
You cannot serve God and money."

Matthew 22:37-38. JESUS: "'YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL your
heart, AND WITH ALL your soul, AND WITH ALL your mind.' This is the great and
foremost commandment." - quoting God's Command through Deuteronomy 6:5.

Philippians 4:6-7. "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication
with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the **peace of God**, which
surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

Song Story These lyrics were my actual prayer that I realized I was repeatedly praying
after hearing the **catch phrase that forms its title.... “A thousand and one”....** Lyrics
written on Christmas Eve 2016, a date whose entire month obviously had many BIG “To
Do” lists involved!... and I thought as I prayed, **“Even 1,001 things, even if they're good,
must NOT distract me from the ONE Important thing in my life: My LORD and my
God.....”** And He blessed me with this song.