

#### MOE noun

vīb / plural vibes

A person's emotional state as communicated to others; the atmosphere created by the disposition of our being.

A practical description of a deeply spiritual reality.

<sup>22</sup>But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:22-23 (NIV)

""As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. •If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete."

John 15:9-11 (NIV)





## The Vibe of Joys

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An internal, holy gladness and optimism that stems only from Jesus. Its opposite is not sorrow because it can be present in sorrow; its opposite is negativity and emptiness.

# The Vibe of Joy

I have deep gladness in my soul and it causes me to walk through life in strength

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The Absence of Love Results in Deep Neediness

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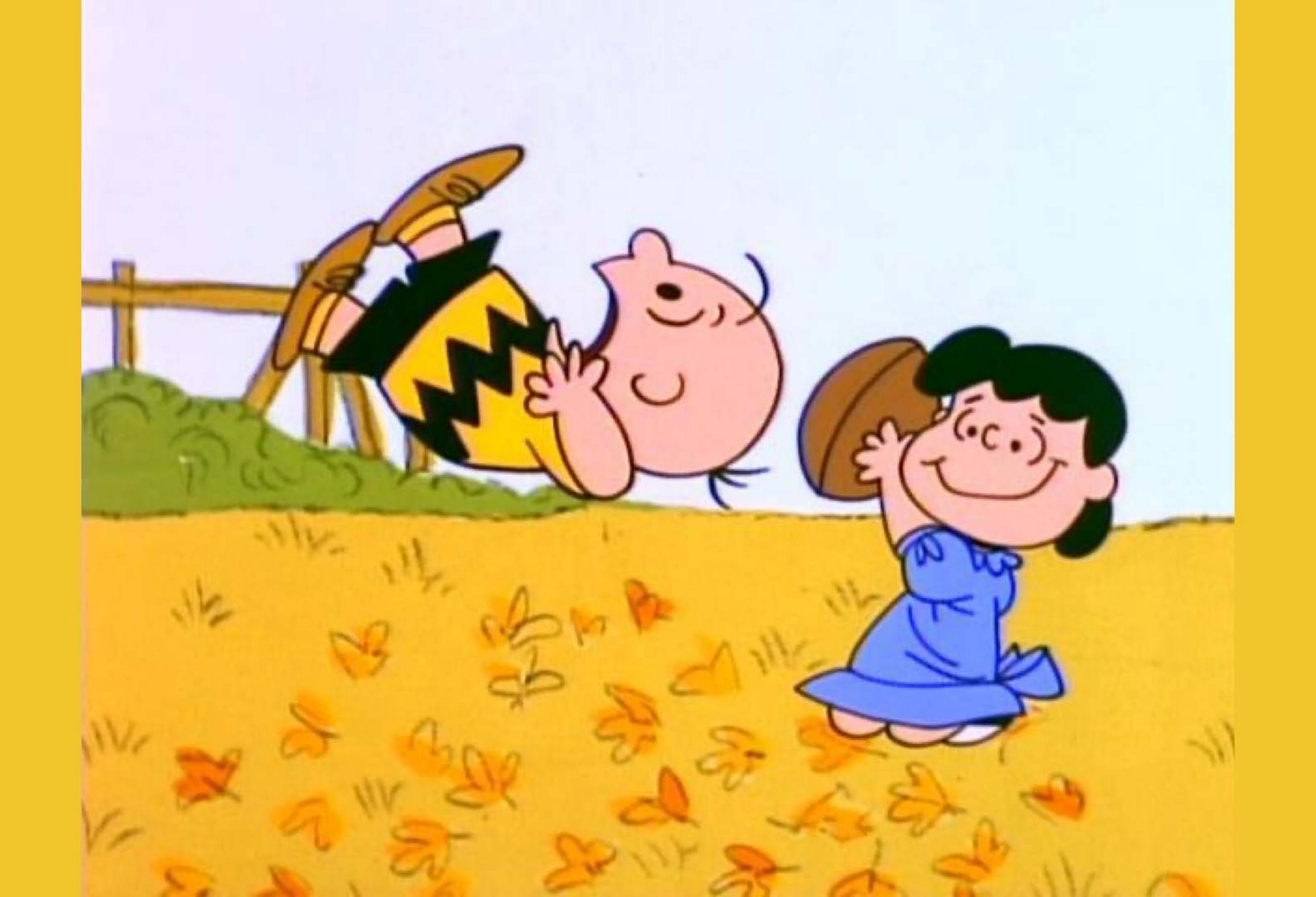
The Absence of Joy Results in Great Emptiness

#### David Foster Wallace Author, 1962-2008

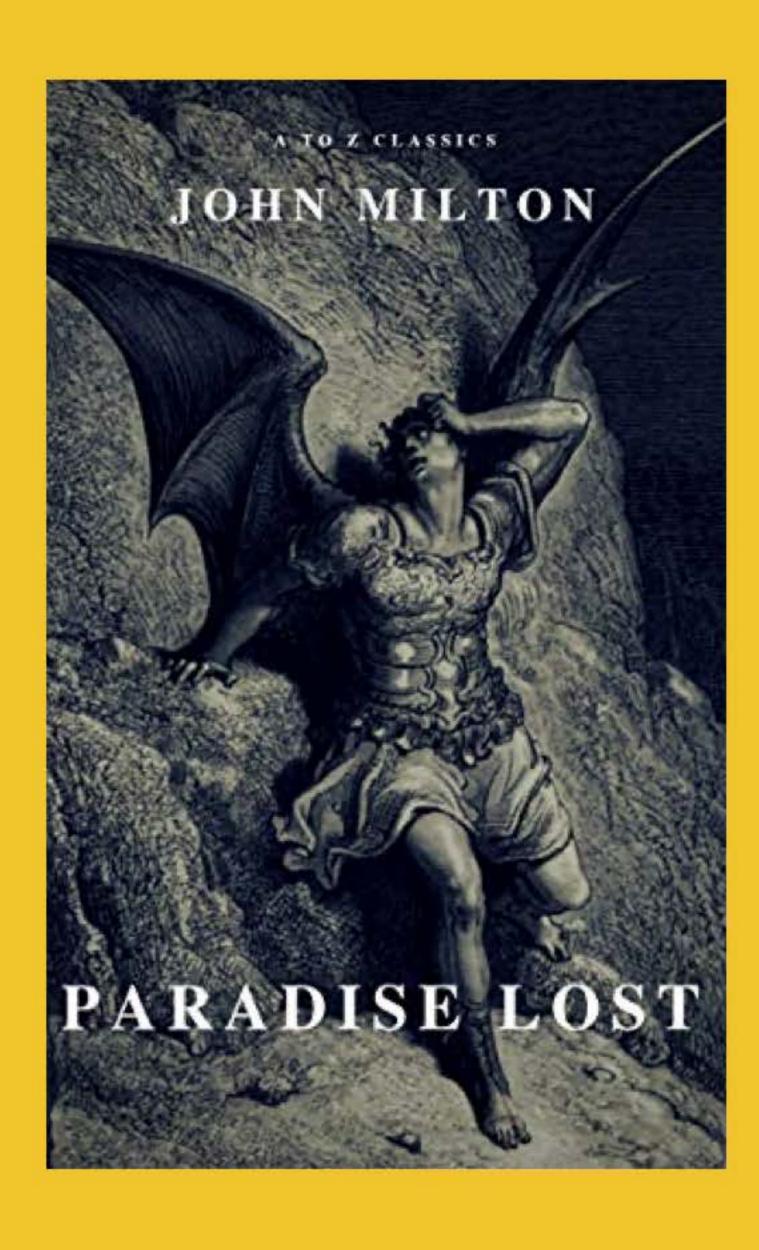


- Pulitzer Prize Finalist
- MacArthur Fellow Award Winner, commonly known as the "Genius Grant"
- English courses are taught on his writing, including at Harvard University
- Book of the Year Award Winner, Time Magazine, Paris Review, Salon Book Awards, Lannan Literary Review

## Complete Joy is Only Found indesus



## Complete Joy is Strength Borrowed



"Innocence, that as a veil Had shadowed them from knowing ill, was gone."

John Milton, "Paradise Lost"

Joy is what Jesus gave us because Paradise was Lost

"The serious business of Heaven is joy."

C.S. Lewis

The salient Vibe of Heaven will be Joy!

"Nehemiah said, "Go and enjoy choice food and sweet drinks, and send some to those who have nothing prepared. This day is holy to our Lord. Do not grieve, for the joy of the Lord is your strength." Nehemiah 8:10 (NIV)

#### **Lydia DeJesus** *1929-2015*

"May all the glory be to the Lord"

