Acts 8:4-8

Now those who were scattered went about preaching the word. 5 Philip went down to the city of Samaria and proclaimed to them the Christ. 6 And the crowds with one accord paid attention to what was being said by Philip, when they heard him and saw the signs that he did. 7 For unclean spirits, crying out with a loud voice, came out of many who had them, and many who were paralyzed or lame were healed. 8 So there was much joy in that city.

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II. The ascended Christ used the scattering of the church in Jerusalem to spread his gospel into Samaria. (vv. 5-7)

III. By the power of the Holy Spirit, Christ's gospel gave rise to joy as it spread. (v. 8)