"Joy" is the fourth issue of similarly-themed commemorative stamps issued by the Macao Post and Telecommunications Bureau. The first three issues are "Love and Blessings" in 2005, "Celebration" in 2008 and "Festivity" in 2015. Aside from these thematic stamps, personalised stamps with the same themes are also issued. In these tiny little spaces, you can leave your memorable moments and scenes. You can deliver the great memories through stamps and share those happy moments with your friends and relatives. The sharing of joy can amplify the display of happiness.

"Joy" connotes "delight" and "pleasure". Compared to happiness, joy is stronger and deeper, and compared to bliss, the feeling it carries is more concrete. Joy reveals personal vitality and demonstrates the power of living, making it easier for people to relate to the energy of life.

This commemorative stamp consists of a set of two stamps. The first one is pastel green in colour, with gorgeous fireworks let off in dark night, lighting up Macao's sky and displaying a riot of colours. The second one is pale yellow in colour, with a festive Chinese red lantern to demonstrate the joy of Chinese celebration. The fiery red lantern is hung high, revealing tinges of warmth and permeating a warm and lively atmosphere. The brightly-lit lanterns, coupled with the gorgeous fireworks, brims with bliss and joy. Jubilant, festive looks are on people's faces, reflecting happiness and spreading festivity.

Personalised stamps are customised mementos for individuals to commemorate the birthdays, graduations, wedding anniversaries, festivals and family portraits of themselves and their beloved ones, thereby preserving the many previous moments of their lives. Companies, organisations and associations can include their company names as well as concrete images and symbols on the personalised stamps to make them exclusive business gifts.

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