

Notes used in the Message

19-1113 - What Kind Of Fruit Are You Bearing - Luis Urrego

John 15:1-8, 16

1 **I am the true vine**, and my Father is the husbandman.

2 Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away: **and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.**

3 **Now ye are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you.**

4 **Abide in me, and I in you.** As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, **except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me.**

5 **I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing.**

6 **If a man abide not in me**, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and men gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned.

7 **If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you**, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

8 **Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.**

16 Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, **that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain:** that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you.

John 14:5-7

5 Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way?

6 **Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**

7 If ye had known me, ye should have known my Father also: and from henceforth ye know him, and have seen him.

Galatians 5:16-24

16 This I say then, **Walk in the Spirit**, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh.

17 For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh: and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye cannot do the things that ye would.

18 **But if ye be led of the Spirit, ye are not under the law.**

19 Now the works of the flesh are manifest, which are these; Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness,

20 Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies,

21 Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like: of the which I tell you before, as I have also told you in time past, that they which do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God. - **John 15:2**

22 **But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,**

23 **Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.**

24 **And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts.**

John 6:63

63 **It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.**

57-0325 The Lamb And The Dove

12 And now, the fruit of the Spirit is not joining church. The fruit of the Spirit is not smoking cigarettes. The fruit of the... I mean quit smoking cigarettes. The fruit of the Spirit is not to—speak with tongues. The fruit of the Spirit is not to pray for the sick and they be healed. The fruit of the Spirit is not to prophesy or preach. But the fruit of the Spirit is found in Galatians 5:22: Love, joy, peace, goodness, longsuffering, faith, meekness, gentleness, that's the fruit of the Spirit.

13 **Now, no matter how much you preach, you got a real ill-temper, don't do you much good to preach. See? No matter how much you join church and try to impersonate, if you're crabbing and nasty with your neighbor, you'll never win him to Christ then. See? It's the fruit of the Spirit. As my wife used to tell me, "Actions speak louder than words." That's right. Live me a sermon instead of preaching me one; that's a good thing; live me a sermon.**

Ephesians 5:25-27

25 Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it;

26 **That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word,**

27 **That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish.**

John 17:17

Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.

Abide - meno {men'-o} mevnw a primary verb; TDNT -- 4:589,581; vb

**AV -- abide (61)
-- remain (16)
-- dwell (15)
-- continue (11)
-- tarry (9)
-- endure (3)
-- misc (5) [120]
to remain, abide**

Galatians 6:7

Be not deceived; God is not mocked: **for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap.**

John 8:31-32

31 Then said Jesus **to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed;**

32 **And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.**

Luke 11:9-13

9 And I say unto you, **Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you.**

10 **For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened.**

11 If a son shall ask bread of any of you that is a father, will he give him a stone? or if he ask a fish, will he for a fish give him a serpent?

12 Or if he shall ask an egg, will he offer him a scorpion?

13 If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children: how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him?

60-0805 - Lamb And The Dove

10 You know, a sheep is a very sensitive and odd animal. And you know, a sheep never was asked to manufacture wool. He was asked to bear wool, because he is a sheep. And as long as he is a sheep, he will bear wool, because that's his nature.

And so is it with the Christian church. We were never asked to manufacture fruits. We were asked to bear fruit.

Galatians 5 said, "The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, faith, peace, longsuffering, meekness, gentleness, patience." **These are not to be manufactured. They're to be products that comes from the inside out. The outside life, that we live, proves what's on the inside.** Now, we have tried to manufacture this, to manufacture the fruits of the Spirit, and we always turn out hypocrisy, **because you cannot manufacture Christianity. It's an experience by a Spirit that lives in you, and bears fruit of Itself. You cannot manufacture it.**

We have tried to educate it, and denominate it, and when we do we turn out hypocrisy and failure. It's not to be done that way. **It's to be done as God intended to be do—be done, the Spirit inside of us bearing fruits of It's Presence. That's God's program. It can never be changed.**

61-0119E - Queen Of Sheba

80 As I said this morning, if the first branch of the vine brought forth a Pentecostal church, every real branch out of that vine will bring forth another Pentecostal church. But we got a lot of grafted branches, and they bring forth after their kind. We got Methodist branch grafted into it, Baptist branch, Pentecostal branch, every other kind of branch. It bears its own fruit.

You can take a orange tree and put a grapefruit in it. It'll live off the life of that tree, but it'll bear grapefruit. Put a lemon in there, it'll bear lemon, not an orange, yet it's living off of orange life. See, any citrus fruit...

Any church professing to be Christian thrives off of the glory and praises of Christ. But it can't bear the fruit. **It won't bear the Life of Christ until Christ puts forth that branch Himself. Then it'll—it'll write another Book of Acts behind it (that's right), because it is the acts of the Holy Spirit in the church.** See? That's the way it is tonight, Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever.