

11.28.2021 Jesus "I AM" Part 11 with Pastor Mike

VII. The True Vine • John 15:1-8

1. *Jesus: True Vine vs. 1*
 - A. Source of Life • vs. 4
 - B. Abundant Life • vs. 5 "much"
 - C. Necessary • vs. 5 "without Me you can do nothing"
2. *The Father: Vine Dresser*
 - A. Purpose
 1. Bear Fruit • vs. 2, 8
 - B. His Method
 1. Bearing Fruit – Prunes • vs. 2
 2. Not Bearing Fruit – Cast Out • vs. 6
– Burned
3. *Us: The Branches*
 - A. Expectation – Bear Fruit – 6X
– Vs. 8
4. *Abide – 7X*
 - A. Abide in the Vine
 - B. Philippians 2:12-13 • Romans 11:17-21
 - C. Disciplines of Christianity – Richard Foster
 1. Inward –
 - a) Meditation b) Prayer
 - c) Fasting d) Study
 2. Outward
 - a) Simplicity b) Solitude
 - c) Submission d) Service
 3. Corporate
 - a) Confession b) Worship
 - c) Guidance d) Celebration
 - D. Love God – Love People

