

Journey: The Fruitful Life



Of those who have passed away, which ones have inspired you to move forward? To mature in your walk with Jesus and pursue His mission? How did this happen?



Mark 4:8, 20

8 Still other seed fell on good soil. It came up, grew and produced a crop, some multiplying thirty, some sixty, some a hundred times.”

20 Others, like seed sown on good soil, hear the word, accept it, and produce a crop—some thirty, some sixty, some a hundred times what was sown.

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John 15:1-2

¹ “I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. ² He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful.”

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- *Our Father commits to pruning us.*
- *Our Father calls us to abide with Him.*

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John 15:4-5

4 Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me. 5I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.

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John 15:7

⁷ If you remain in me and my words remain in you . . .



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Psalm 1:1-2 (NASB)

¹How blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sit in the seat of scoffers! ² But his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night.

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Psalm 1:3 (NASB)

³ He will be like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and its leaf does not wither.



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John 15:7

7 If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.

CHOICES THAT LEAD TO FRUITFULNESS

- *Accept the cost.*
- *Understand the outcomes.*
- *Choose to be a community of prayer.*

