



pastor's thoughts

Pastors Thought

John 15:5

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Hello everyone, I pray that the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ blesses the hearing of your heart, that you may hear this word today.

John 15:5 *"I am the vine, you are the branches, He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing."*

The Lord declares, "I am." He didn't say, "I have a true vine;" He said, "I am the true Vine." This means that the true vine is a Person; it is the Lord Jesus Christ. God is the Gardener, the Husbandman, the One who is making sure that the vine is bearing fruit. Without the presence of the Lord, it is impossible to bear fruit. Spiritual fruit is not a gift and spiritual fruit is not something that you can produce. God is the one that produces it. The source of the spiritual fruit is the presence of God. You don't have to work at it; you just have to bear it. He is the true vine, so seek Him every day.

Galatians 5:22-23 *But the fruit of the Spirit is LOVE, JOY, PEACE, LONG-SUFFERING, KINDNESS, GOODNESS, FAITHFULNESS, GENTLENESS, SELF-CONTROL.*

If you don't see any of these nine things in your life, then you are not bearing any fruit - "the fruit of the

Spirit." If you are not bearing fruit, then you are not abiding in the Lord. If you don't abide in the Lord, He won't abide with you. THAT IS NOT A GOOD THING!

JUST SOME FOOD FOR
THOUGHT!

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I Prophecy that your Faith will not fail!!

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"Faith is Heaven's Currency"