



**I AM THE TRUE VINE**

**JOHN 15:1-8**

**JOHN 15:1** "I AM The  
True Vine, and My Father  
is the vinedresser.

**JOHN 15:2** Every branch  
in Me that does not bear  
fruit He takes away; and  
every *branch* that bears  
fruit He prunes, that it  
may bear more fruit.

**JOHN 15:3** You are  
already clean because of  
the word which I have  
spoken to you.

**JOHN 15:4** Abide in Me,  
and I in you.

As the branch cannot  
bear fruit of itself, unless  
it abides in the vine,  
neither can you, unless  
you abide in Me.

**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.

**JOHN 15:6** If anyone  
does not abide in Me, he  
is cast out as a branch  
and is withered; and they  
gather them and  
throw *them* into the fire,  
and they are burned.



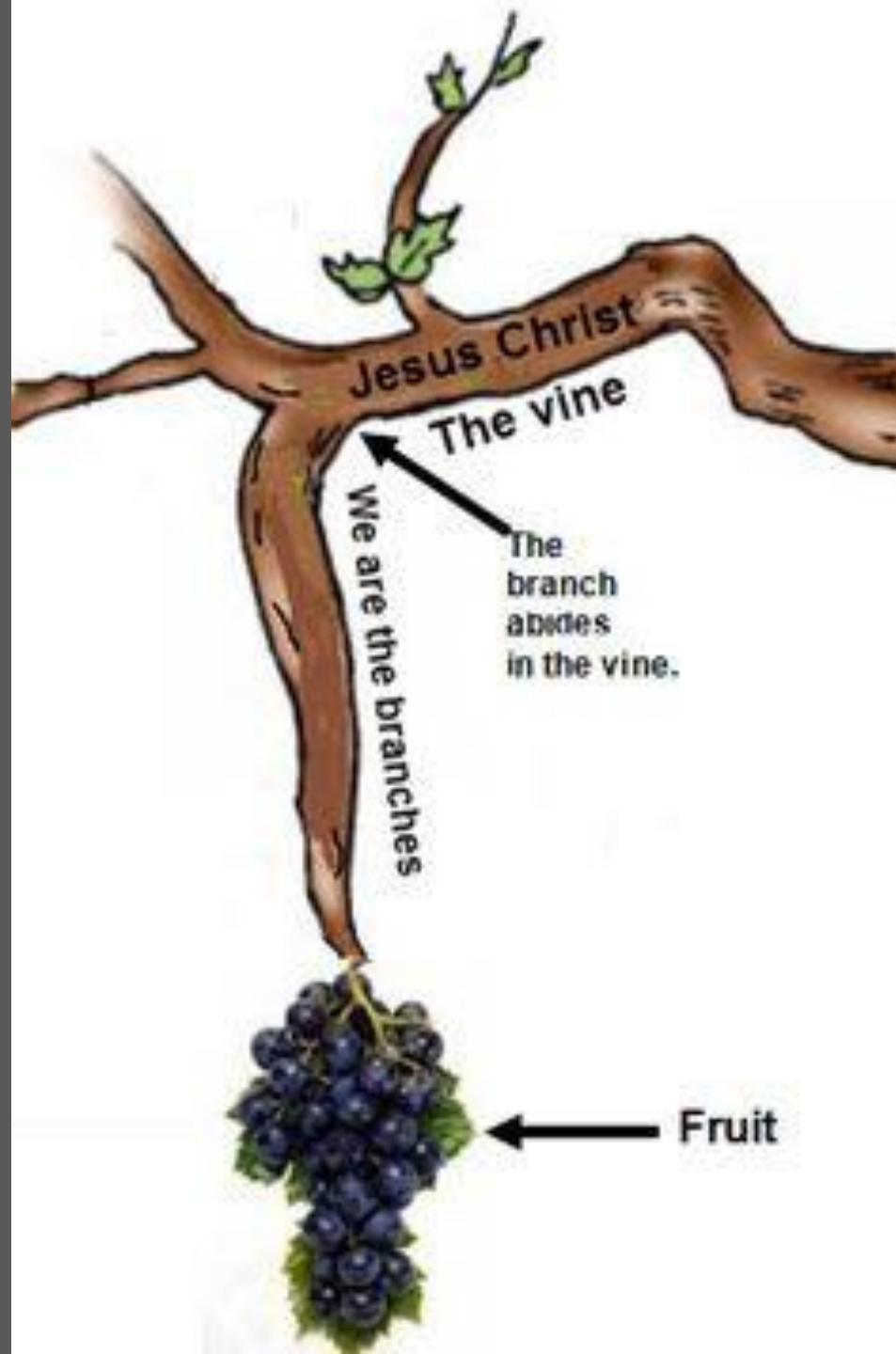
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in Me, and My  
words abide in you,  
you will ask what you  
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done for you.

**JOHN 15:8** By this My  
Father is glorified, that  
you bear much fruit; so  
you will be My disciples.

***“I AM The True Vine”***  
**is the 7<sup>th</sup> “I Am”**  
**statement of Jesus.**

**These “I am”  
proclamations point to  
His unique divine identity  
and purpose.**

# 1. THE ROLES – THE WHO... VS. 1-6



**VINE:** JESUS VS. 1

**VINEDRESSER:** THE

GRAPE FARMER... THE

FATHER VS. 1

**BRANCH – NO FRUIT:**

THE FARMER TAKES

AWAY VS. 2

**BRANCH – FRUIT: THE**

**FARMER PRUNES**

**AWAY VS. 2**

**THE DISCIPLES: VS. 3**

**THE NON-DISCIPLES: VS. 6**



# PHILLIPIANS 1:11

...being filled with the  
fruits of righteousness  
which are by Jesus  
Christ, to the glory and  
praise of God.

# **2. THE RESULTS...**

## **VS. 3-8**

**JOHN 15:3** You  
[DISCIPLES] are already  
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**word** which I have  
spoken to you.

**JOHN 15:4** ***Abide in Me,***

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# **3. THE REVELATION**

## **VS. 3**

**JOHN 15:3** You are  
already clean

***because of the word***

which I have spoken  
to you.

**MATTHEW 16:15** He said

to them, “But who do you  
say that I am?” <sup>16</sup> Simon

Peter answered and

said, **“You are the Christ,**

**the Son of the living God.”**

**MATTHEW 16:17** Jesus  
answered and said to  
him, “Blessed are you,  
Simon Bar-Jonah, for flesh  
and blood has not  
revealed *this* to you, but My  
Father who is in heaven.

# REVELATION KNOWLEDGE:

In the Bible, *revelation knowledge* is a key element of the Christian faith, enabling believers to...

...enabling believers to  
understand... [1]God 's  
will, [2]The mysteries of  
the Kingdom of God, and  
[3]How to live in  
alignment with His  
purposes.

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