



THE KEYS TO A FRUIT-FULL LIFE

It's important that God's Word continues after the message. At Celebrate, we find that you will quite often talk over this week's message long after our experience is over. That's because God has impact. The Sermon Discussion Guide is designed to help you continue the conversation all week.

Christians often ask how we can know God's will. Jesus told us in *John 15:8* that God is glorified when we bear **much** fruit. **What is fruit?** *Galatians 5:22* defines the fruit of the Spirit as "love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control." Since we know that God wants us to bear much fruit, let's look at three keys to living a fruit-filled life.

1. Your fruit is determined by your ROOT.

What happens when people trust in themselves and other people, but do not develop deep roots in God's Word? What happens when we do remain in the Word?

Jeremiah 17:5-6; Mark 4:14-20; Romans 7:4

2. Your root is developed as you REMAIN.

What happens when we allow God to develop fruit that remains in our hearts?

John 15:1-8; Colossians 1:10; Hebrews 6:10-12

3. Your remaining is decided in your daily ROUTINE.

Discuss the key to developing deep roots and the blessings that will follow. What can we expect to become by being rooted in the Word?

Psalms 1:1-3; Joshua 1:8-9; Jeremiah 17:7-8

What's Next

- Meditate on God's word daily and not be consumed by the things of this world.
- Let His Word develop deep roots in your heart.
- Focus on pleasing God by bearing much fruit, not just by good works.
- Resolve to remain faithful to the things of God for the rest of your life.
- Winners do daily what others do occasionally. Be a winner.