

# Study Guide for John 15 teaching

**Sit in silence and be still before the Lord (2 minutes)**

- Abide in His presence and open your heart to Jesus

**Read John 15:1-17**

**Why does Jesus want us to abide in Him?**

- Read vs. 4-5,16

Write down your thoughts here:

**What does it mean to bear fruit?**

- *Look up the following verses to find five kinds of fruit*
  - 1) Romans 1:13, John 4:35
    - What would you call this kind of fruit?
  - 2) Romans 6:22
    - What would you call this kind of fruit?
  - 3) Romans 15:28, Acts 2:44-45, 1 John 3:17
    - What would you call this kind of fruit?
  - 4) Galatians 5:22-23, Colossians 1:10
    - What would you call this kind of fruit?
  - 5) Hebrews 13:15
    - What would you call this kind of fruit?

**Besides bearing fruit, what are some other ways we can know we are abiding in the True Vine?**

- *Look up these verses in John 15 and write a word or description of these evidences that we are abiding in Jesus.*

- 1) John 15:2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) John 15:5 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) John 15:7,16 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) John 15:15 \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) John 15:9-10,12 \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) John 15:11 \_\_\_\_\_

**Prayer**

*Lord help me to abide in You. Draw me close to you in this unusual time. Help me to depend on you and not my own strength. Give me Your strength each day as I seek to stay connected to You. Restore my soul and let me be refreshed in Your presence.*

*End in Silence (2 minutes)*