



***“Life Connection”***

***Abide***

***Part 2***







***“I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing”.***

***John 15:5***

Jesus is the source of Abundant Life

*“I (Jesus) came that they may have life and  
have it abundantly.”*

*John 10:10 ESV*

*"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. <sup>10</sup> If you obey my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have obeyed my Father's commands and remain in his love. <sup>11</sup> I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. <sup>12</sup> My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup> Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends. <sup>14</sup> You are my friends if you do what I command. <sup>15</sup> I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you"* John 15:9-13

*If you abide with Jesus, your joy will be complete*



*Who do you choose?*

*“Greater love has no one than this: to lay down  
one’s life for one’s friends.”*

*John 15:13*

*The cross is the proof of Jesus’ LOVE for you*



*“I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, <sup>17</sup> so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, <sup>18</sup> may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, <sup>19</sup> and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God”.*

*Ephesians 3:16-19*

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***John 15:9 -10***

*Verse 11 tells us :*

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*God's love is better than you imagine*

God loves YOU because You are His Creation

*“For you created my inmost being;  
you knit me together in my mother’s womb.*

*<sup>14</sup>I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully  
made;*

*your works are wonderful,  
I know that full well.”*

*Psalm 139:13-14*

*God loves YOU because You are His Creation*

*“For (you) we are God’s workmanship”*

*Ephesians 2:10*



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***“How great is the love the Father has lavished on us,  
that we should be called children of God! And that is  
what we are! The reason the world does not know us  
is that it did not know him”***

***1 John 3:1***