

The Secret to Being Like Jesus: John 15:1-8

Week 15 in *The One and Only Jesus Series*

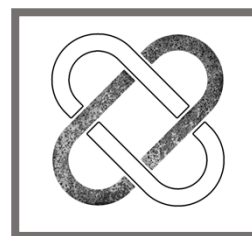
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If we miss _____, what are the consequences?

- × You will be cut off from Jesus (v 2, 6)
- × You will not bear fruit of love, joy, peace, etc. (v 4)
- × You can “do nothing” of eternal value (v 5)
- × Your prayers will be inconsistently answered (v 7)
- × Your life will not bring God glory (v 8)

The Disciple’s Focus: _____



✓ The results: _____ on the list above

✓ How does this work practically?

Glory: Jesus teaches us _____

Remember!

To allow God to change our hearts, we need to meet with Him. *The Daily Connections (Good Morning God, Spiritual Boost, Good Night Review)* open up our lives to allow God to change us from the inside out.

Good Morning God is to be done when we first wake up in bed at the beginning of every day. Your *Spiritual Boost* connects you with God's words in the Bible during the day sometime when you have 10 minutes of quiet. Finally, you finish your day with *Good Night Review*, and you allow God's joy and forgiveness to come to you as you drift to sleep.

These three spiritual exercises take only 20 minutes each day, and they have been part of following Jesus for many of Jesus' followers over the last 2000 years. Try it yourself and see how your relationship with God deepens and how you are fundamentally changed by spending time with God!

Spiritual Boost Bible Readings

Day 1: John 15:1-8

- ✳ Are you drawing "life" from Jesus, the vine, or are you living life relying on your own resources?

Day 2: John 15:9-17

- ✳ How does love lead to joy?

Day 3: John 15:1-17 (again)

- ✳ What practical step can you take to be living your life in connection with God like these verses teach?

Day 4: John 15:18-25

- ✳ What discourages your faith the most? Ask for God to help you grow in that place as you encounter spiritual opposition in this world.

Day 5: John 15:26-27

- ✳ How can you share what God is doing in and through you with someone who needs Jesus?