

I Am The True Vine

John 15:1-2 “I am the true vine, and My Father is the gardener. 2 “Every branch in Me that bears no fruit He takes away. And every branch that bears fruit He prunes, so that it bears more fruit.

Vine = Gephen (1612)

Gimel (G) = Gather, Walk, Camel, Carry

Pey (P) = Blow, Scatter, Mouth, Word, Speak

Nun (N) = Continue, Heir, Son, Seed, Life

Yahusha was saying He is “the True Vine”- the real thing, the genuine vine, and was before the vine known as Yasharal (Israel). **Psalm 80:8** You uprooted a vine from Mytsrym (Egypt); You drove out the nations and transplanted it. The vine Yahuah transplanted had degenerated and become a wild vine. “Yet I planted you a choice vine, wholly of pure seed. How then have you turned degenerate and become a wild vine?” **Jeremiah 2:21**

The vine is the source of life for the branches. It provides the water and nutrients by which the fruits are produced. Without the vine, no fruit could ever result. Branches are utterly dependent upon the vine.

But this is a mutual relationship. The branches abide or maintain an unbroken connection with the vine. Without this, they are unable to bear fruit... in fact, without the vine they will shrivel up and die.

But **John 15:4-5** says that not only do the branches abide in Yahusha, the Vine, but He also abides in them. The branches need the vine, but the vine also needs the branches. Without them there would be no fruit.

“Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine;

you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, it is he that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.” **John 15:4-5**

Behold, the Man whose Name is the Branch

Branch = Netser (5342)

Nun (N) = Continue, Heir, Son, Seed, Life

Tsade (Ts) = Wait, Snare, Journey, Chase, Hunt, Desire, Need

Resh (R) = Head, Person, First, Top, Beginning

Isaiah 11:1 There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit.

Jeremiah 23:5 “Behold, the days are coming, declares Yahuah, when I will raise up for Daud (David) a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land.

Jeremiah 33:15 In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for Daud (David), and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land.

Zechariah 3:8 Hear now, O Yahusha (Joshua) the high priest, you and your friends who sit before you, for they are men who are a sign: behold, I will bring my servant the Branch (6780. tsemach.a sprout, growth, branch, bud, that which where grew upon, springing). 9 For behold the **stone** that I have laid before Yahusha (Joshua); upon one stone are seven facets; behold, I will engrave the graving thereof, saith Yahuah of hosts: And I will remove the iniquity of that land in one day. 10 In that day, saith Yahuah of hosts, shall you call every man his neighbor under the vine and under the fig-tree.

1 Peter 2:4 As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of Alahym chosen and precious, **5** you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a qodesh (holy) priesthood,

to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to Yahuah through Yahusha HaMashiach. **6** For it stands in Scripture: "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame." **7** So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone," **8** and "A stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense." They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. **9** But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a qodesh (holy) nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. **10** Once you were not a people, but now you are Alahym's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

Zechariah 6:11 Take from them silver and gold, and make a crown, and set it on the head of Yahusha (Joshua), the son of Yahuzadak, the high priest. **12** And say to him, 'Thus says Yahuah of hosts, "Behold, the man whose Name is the **Branch** (6780. tsemach: a sprout, growth, branch, bud, springing. From tsamach; a sprout (usually concrete), literal or figurative -- branch, bud, that which (where) grew (upon), spring(-ing) for he shall **Branch out** (6779. Tsamach to sprout, spring up bear, bring forth, cause to, make to bud forth, make to grow again, cause to spring forth, A primitive root; to sprout (transitive or intransitive, literal or figurative) -- bear, bring forth, (cause to, make to) bud (forth), (cause to, make to) grow (again, up), (cause to) spring (forth, up) from his place, and he shall build the temple of Yahuah. **13** It is he who shall build the temple of Yahuah and shall bear royal honor, and shall sit and rule on his throne. And there shall be a priest on his throne, and the counsel of shalum (peace) shall be between them both.

Isaiah 5:1 I will sing for my beloved a song of his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill.

Ezekiel 19:10 Your mother was like a vine in your vineyard, planted by the water; it was fruitful and full of branches because of the abundant waters.

Romans 11:17 Now if some branches have been broken off, and you, a wild olive shoot, have been grafted in among the others to share in the nourishment of the olive root,

Isaiah 4:2 In that day shall the branch of Yahuah be beautiful and glorious, and the fruit of the earth shall be excellent and comely for them that are escaped of Yasharal (Israel).

Revelation 22:16 I, Yahusha have sent mine Malak (angel) to testify unto you these things in the Assemblies. I am the root and the offspring of Daud (David), and the bright and morning star.

John 15:3 “You are already clean because of the Word which I have spoken to you.

John 17:17 Sanctify them by the truth; Your word is truth.

John 17:19 For them I sanctify Myself, so that they too may be sanctified by the truth.

Ephesians 5:26 to sanctify her, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word,

John 15:4 “Abide in Me, and I abide in you. As the branch is unable to bear fruit of itself, unless it stays in the vine, so neither you, unless you stay in Me.

1 John 2:6 Whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked.

John 8:31 So Yahusha said to the Hebrews who had believed him, “If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples.

2 John 1:9 Everyone who goes on ahead and does not abide in the teaching of Mashiach, does not have Alahym. Whoever abides in the teaching has both the Father and the Son.

1 John 2:24 Let what you heard from the beginning abide in you. If what you heard from the beginning abides in you, then you too will abide in the Son and in the Father.

John 15:5 “I am the vine, you are the branches. He who stays in Me, and I in him, he bears much fruit. Because without Me you are able to do nothing! **6** “If anyone does not stay in Me, he is thrown away as a branch and dries up. And they gather them and throw them into the fire, and they are burned.

Matthew 3:10 Even now the axe is laid to the root of the trees. Every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire.

Matthew 25:41 “Then he will say to those on his left, ‘Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his Malakym (angels).

Revelation 21:8 But as for the cowardly, the faithless, the detestable, as for murderers, the sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars, their portion will be in the lake that burns with fire and sulfur, which is the second death.”

John 3:16 “For Yahuah so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

John 15:7 “If you abide in Me, and My Words abide in you, you shall ask whatever you wish, and it shall be done for you. **8** “In this My Father is esteemed, that you bear much fruit, and you shall be My taught ones.

1 Timothy 6:1 Let all who are under a yoke as bondservants regard their own masters as worthy of all honor, so that the name of Yahuah and the teaching may not be blasphemed.

John 5:23 That all may honor the Son, just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent him.

John 15:9 “As the Father has loved Me, I have also loved you. Stay in My love.

John 3:16 “For Yahuah so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

Romans 5:8 But Yahuah shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Mashiach died for us.

1 John 4:9-10 In this the love of Yahuah was made manifest among us, that Yahuah sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we have loved Yahuah but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atonement for our sins.

Romans 8:32 He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?

2 Corinthians 5:18-19 All this is from Yahuah, who through Mashiach reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Mashiach Yahuah was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation.

John 15:10 “If you guard My commands, you shall stay in My love, even as I have guarded My Father’s commands and stay in His love.

John 14:15 “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

1 John 2:3-4 And by this we know that we have come to know him, if we keep his commandments. Whoever says “I know him” but does not keep his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him,

Deuteronomy 11:1 “You shall therefore love Yahuah your Alahym and keep his charge, his statutes, his rules, and his commandments always.

Psalms 119:2 Baruck (Blessed) are those who keep his testimonies, who seek him with their whole heart,

Joshua 22:5 Only be very careful to observe the commandment and the law that Musha (Moses) the servant of Yahuah commanded you, to love Yahuah your Alahym, and to walk in all his ways and to keep his commandments and to cling to him and to serve him with all your heart and with all your soul.”

Leviticus 22:31 “So you shall keep my commandments and do them: I am Yahuah.

John 15:11 “These words I have spoken to you, so that My joy might be in you, and that your joy might be complete.

Psalms 16:11 You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Galatians 5:22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

Romans 15:13 May Turah (Alahym) of hope fill you with all joy and shalom (peace) in believing, so that by the power of the Ruach Ha Qodesh you may abound in hope.

1 Peter 1:8 Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory,

John 16:24 Until now you have asked nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

John 15:12 “This is My command, that you love one another, as I have loved you.

1 Peter 4:8 Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins.

John 13:34-35 A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Romans 12:10 Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor.

1 John 4:7-10 Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from Yahuah, and whoever loves has been born of Alahym and knows Yahuah. Anyone who does not love does not know Alahym, because Yahuah is love. In this the love of Yahuah was made manifest among us, that Yahuah sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we have loved Yahuah but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atonement for our sins. **11** Beloved, if Yahuah so loved us, we also ought to love one another.

Romans 13:8 Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the Turah.

John 15:13 “No one has greater love than this: that one should lay down his life for his friends.

1 John 3:16 By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers.

John 10:11 I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.

Philippians 2:5-8 Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Yahusha HaMashiach, who, though he was in the form of Alahym, did not count equality with Yahuah a thing to be seized, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a stake.

Luke 22:19 And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Mark 10:45 For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

Ephesians 5:2 And walk in love, as Yahusha loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to Yahuah.

Galatians 2:20 I have been crucified with Yahusha. It is no longer I who live, but Yahusha who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by Amunah (faith) in the Son of Yahuah, who loved me and gave himself for me.

John 15:14 "You are My friends if you do whatever I command you. **15** "No longer do I call you servants, for a servant does not know what his master is doing. But I have called you friends, for all teachings which I heard from My Father I have made known to you.

Proverbs 18:24 A man of many companions may come to ruin, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.

Proverbs 17:17 A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.

John 15:16 "You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in My Name He might give you.

Ephesians 1:4-5 Even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Yahusha HaMashich, according to the purpose of his will,

1 Peter 2:9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a qodesh (holy) nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

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Matthew 22:14 For many are called, but few are chosen.”

Colossians 3:12 Put on then, as Yahuah's chosen ones, qodesh (holy) and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience,

Jeremiah 1:4-5 Now the word of Yahuah came to me, saying, “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.”

Deuteronomy 14:2 For you are a people qodesh (holy) to Yahuah your Alahym, and Yahuah has chosen you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the face of the earth.

Revelation 13:8 And all who dwell on earth will worship it, everyone whose name has not been written before the foundation of the world in the book of life of the Lamb who was slain.

2 Peter 3:9 Yahuah is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.

John 15:17 “These words I command you, so that you love one another.