



The Vineyard, Part 05 - "Tending the Vine"

1. Are there areas of your life that needs to cut back? Are there areas of your life that you might fear God might take away or ask you to give up? Do you trust him to help you be cutting away unnecessary things?

John 15:2 - Every branch in me that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. "

John 15: 6 - "If anyone does not abide in me, he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned."

2. If "to abide" means to flourish because of our connectivity with the Vine (Jesus) What branches in us do we need to have removed from or lives? If burning the pruned branches keeps the Vine and the fruitful branches from disease and pestilence, What will be the consequences if we don't allow God to cut us back?

3. What new habit will you establish this week to allow God to shape your life for growth and fruitfulness?