

"I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.

"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. If anyone does not remain in me, he is like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you. This is to my Father`s glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.

John 15: 1 - 8



Where did it start?



Noah, a man of the soil, proceeded to plant a vineyard. When he drank some of its wine, he became drunk and lay uncovered inside his tent.

Genesis 9: 20 - 21



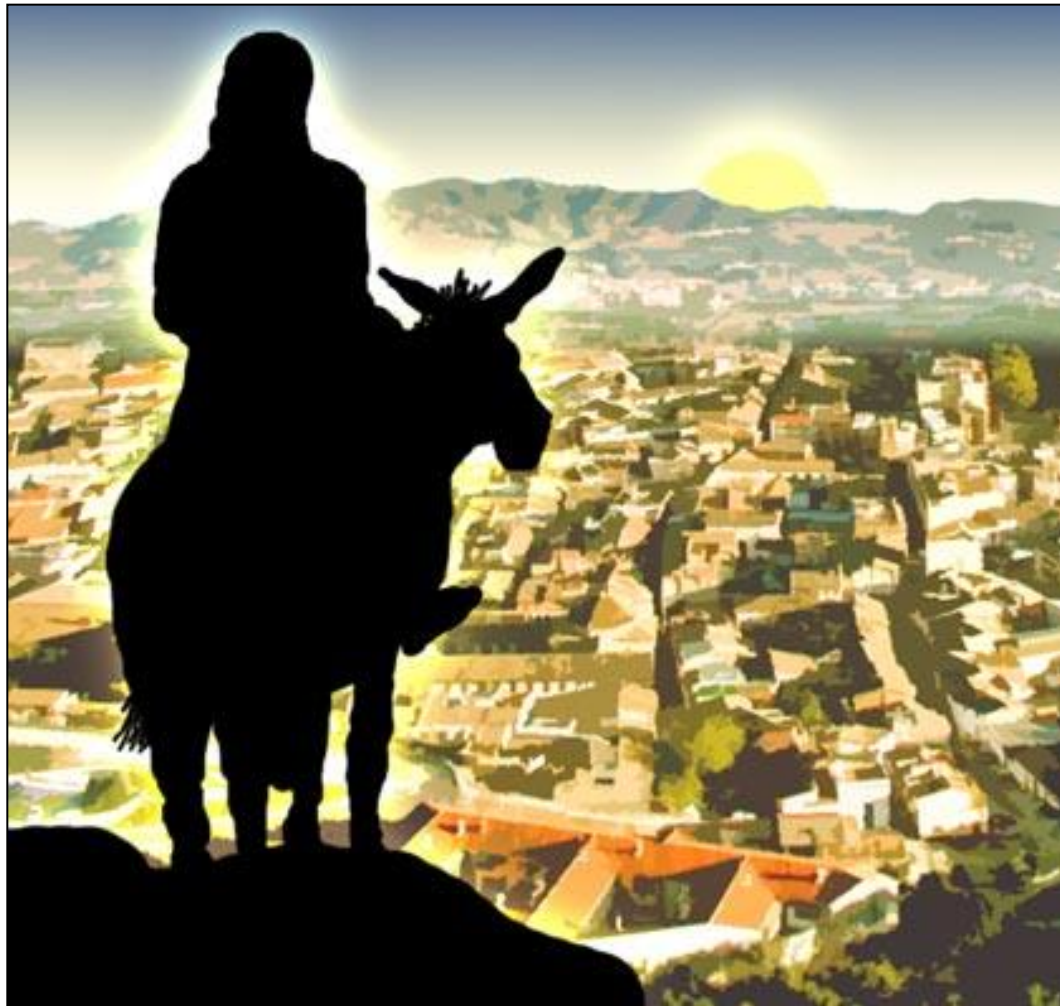
**In that day each of you will
invite his neighbour to sit
under his vine and fig tree,”
declares the LORD Almighty.“
Zechariah 3: 9 - 10**



I will sing for the one I love a song about his vineyard. My loved one had a vineyard on a fertile hillside. He dug it up and cleared it of stones and planted it with the choicest vines. He built a watchtower in it and cut out a winepress as well. Then he looked for a crop of good grapes, but it yielded only bad fruit. “

Isaiah 5: 1 - 5





"I am the true vine, and my
Father is the gardener."

John 15:1

The true vine is planted !



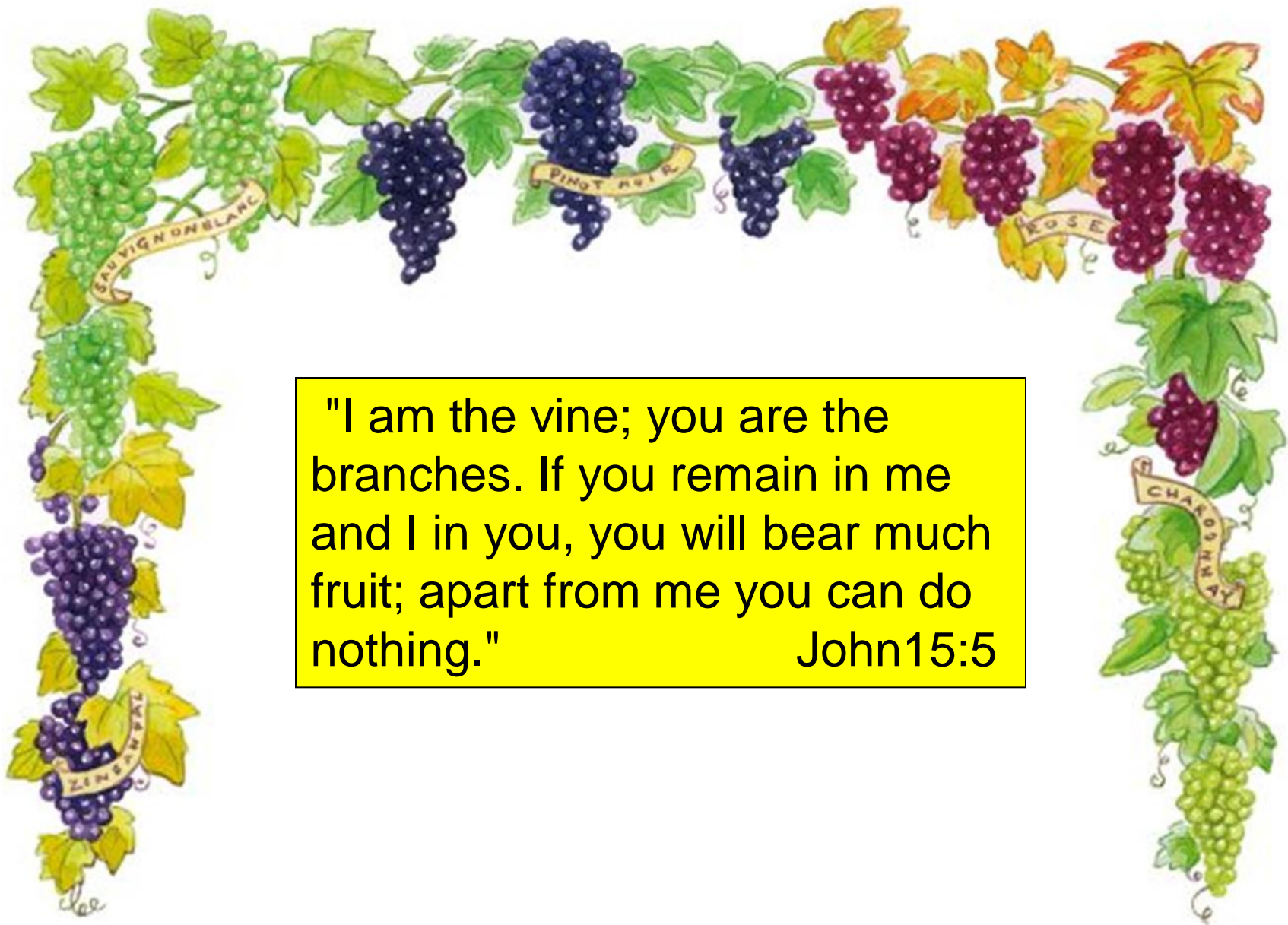
Later, knowing that all was now completed, and so that **the Scripture would be fulfilled**, Jesus said, "I am thirsty."

A jar of wine vinegar was there, so they soaked a sponge in it, put the sponge on a stalk of the hyssop plant, and lifted it to Jesus` lips. When he had received the drink, Jesus said, "It is finished." With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

John 19: 28 - 30

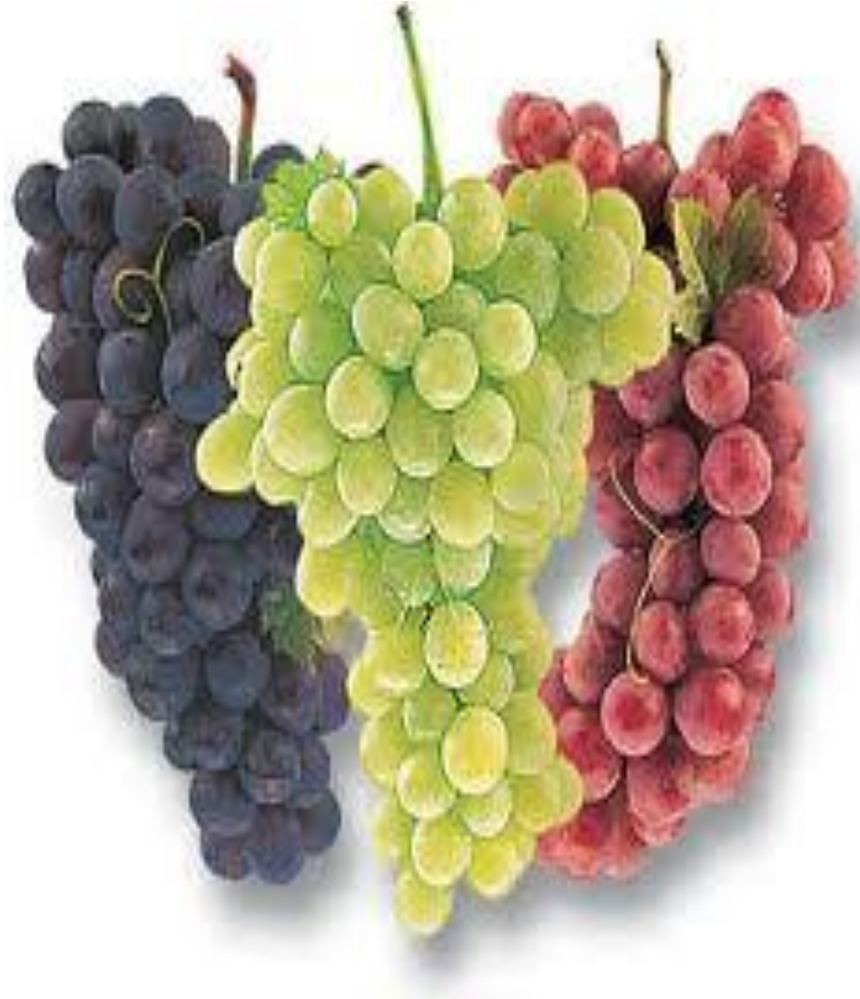
The New Covenant – the fruit of his work



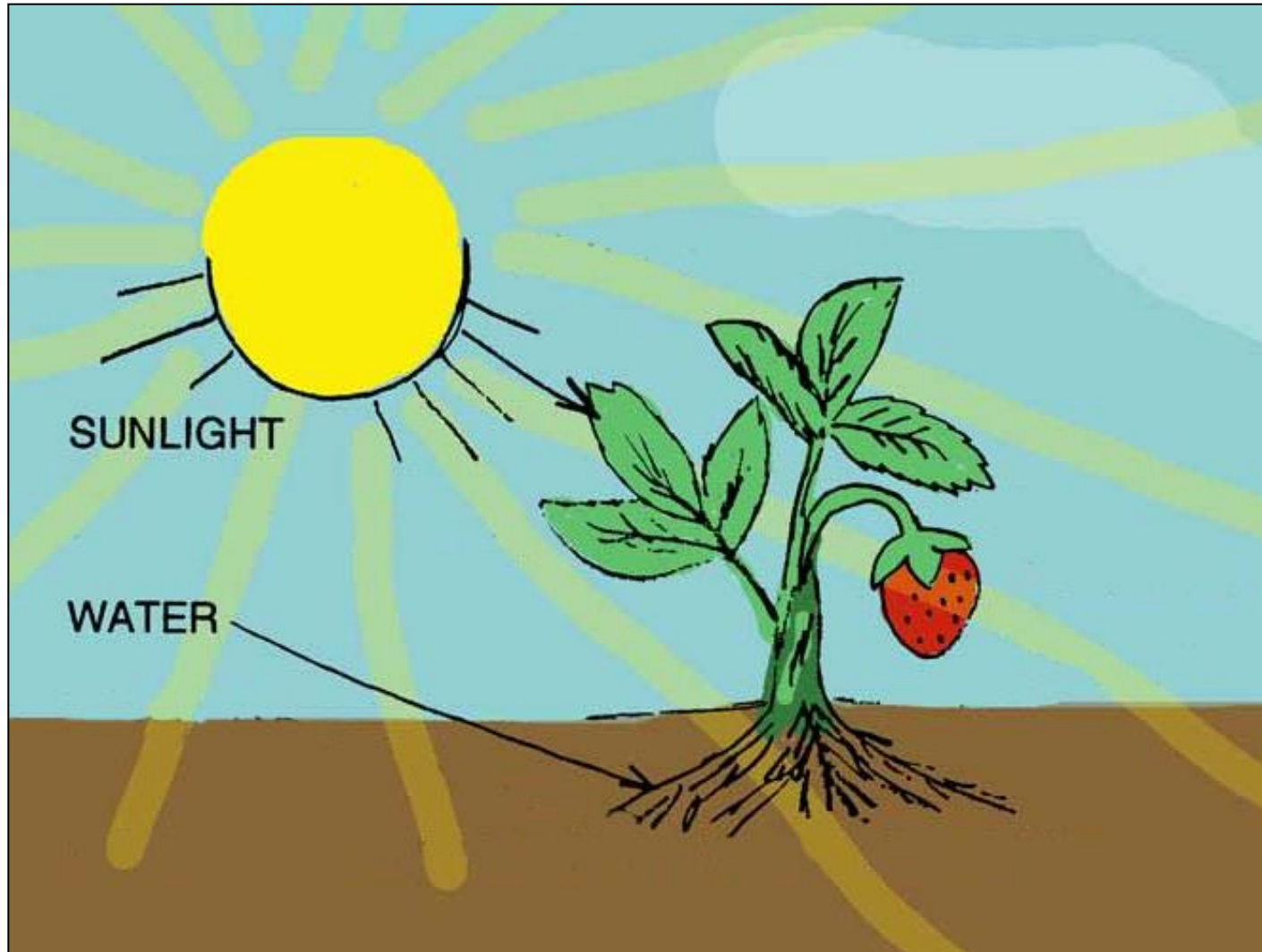


"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing." John 15:5

**1, the kind of fruit is determined by the
stock DNA**
Galatians 5 :21



2, **Your ability to produce fruit depends on being joined to the supply!**



3, In Jesus we find the purpose we were created for.

This is to my Father's glory,
that you bear much fruit,
showing yourselves to be my disciples.
John 15:8



I have told you this so that my
joy may be in you and that your
joy may be complete.
John 15:11



Joined to the vine

By faith in Jesus

One grape isn't a bunch





Joined to the vine

**In the fellowship of
the Holy Spirit**

apart from me you can do nothing

Bearing fruit :-

Joined to the vine





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