

SUNDAY MORNING

ABIDING IN CHRIST BRINGS CONTINUAL PEACE

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BACK TO THE BASICS

Text: John 15:1-11

Theme: The abiding Christian enjoys not only the peace of mind that they are saved, but a peace from God which passeth all understanding.

Many doubt their salvation because they lack peace

There are things that challenge our peace

Often it isn't that we don't have a relationship, but we are lacking abiding fellowship

Key verse

11 These things have I spoken unto you, that my joy might remain in you, and *that* your joy might be full.

I. The relationship between Christ and you as a Christian (vv. 1, 5a)

Our relationship with Christ is described in many different ways

II. The abiding between Christ and you as a Christian (vv. 2-5)

What does this abiding include?

✠ **To abide in Christ is to allow God's Word to fill our minds, influence our will and change our appetites and actions**

Why is it that Christians so desperately want answers to prayer without wanting total obedience and relationship?