

Sermon Notes Page
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Life as a Branch
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John 15:1-8 NLT

1. Exodus 3
 - a. I AM WHO I AM (He wasn't shouting)
 - b. I AM is a direct reference to God
2. John 15
 - a. I am the vine - John 15:1 & 5
 - i. God is the gardener
 - ii. Believers are the branches
 - b. Pruning is necessary for the best yield
 - c. To Remain or Abide in Jesus
 - i. Meno – *Greek* for resides
 1. Intimate relationship
 2. Life-giving connection to Jesus
 3. Dependent and obedient
 4. Life transforming
3. Psalm 80
 - a. Transplanted – Psalm 80:8
 - b. Took root and grew – Psalm 80:9-11
 - c. Broken and burnt relationship – Psalm 80:12-16
 - d. The Son (new vine/covenant) – Psalm 80:17-19