**Winter Youth Conference 2018 Outline**

**The Abundant Life – Fruit Bearing**

**Fruit for God**   John 15:1-15

* What does it mean to bear fruit for God?
* Israel (man in the flesh) had failed in responsibility in bearing fruit for God. Is.5: 1-7, Psalm 80:8-18
* What caused the failure? Jeremiah 2:13
* Who will be given the responsibility to bear fruit for the Lord in the world while He is away?

**In a world that has rejected Christ, how do I reflect His life in mine bringing glory to Him?**

* The Prerequisite for bearing fruit - **Abiding** in the vine - 2 Cor. 5:17
* The **Source** for bearing fruit - every branch IN ME
* **Abiding** leads to fruit bearing
* **Purging/Cleansing** produces **more** fruit - the value of pruning - Heb. 11:7-13
* **Communion** leads to **much** fruit
* **Love** the Motive that produces fruit for God - the true heart of the disciple.

**EXAMPLES IN THE LIFE OF JOSEPH**

* In his father's house - Gen. 37:1-4, 11-17
* In Potiphar's house - Gen. 39
	+ - His master saw that the Lord was with him.
* In Pharaoh's house - Gen. 41:9-16, 32-57
	+ - Can we find such a one as this, a man in whom the Spirit if God is?
* Fruit of Divine Love - Gen. 45:1-15
	+ - Restoration
* A True Heart - Gen. 50:15-26
	+ - You thought evil against me, God meant it for good!