



## **The Vine and the Branches**

### **Chapter 15**

Paragraphs

1, 5, 9, 18, 26

#### **The Vine and the Branches (1 – 17)**

1. What did Jesus say He was? Who is His Father?
2. What happens to those branches that do not bear fruit? What happens to those branches that do bear fruit? What do you think this means in the life of a Christian? (See Luke 12:57 and 2 Nephi 12:38).
3. Can a branch bear fruit by itself? What happens to the branch that remains in the vine?
4. What happens to the branches that do not remain in the branch? What are these branches good for?
5. What is the promise to those branches that remain in the vine?
6. How is God glorified? What is this fruit? (See Galatians 5:22,23 and Alma 5:39-41) If these things are evident in our lives, how does this glorify our Heavenly Father?
7. If we love one another where will we remain?
8. What is Jesus' commandment to us regarding other Christians?

#### **The World Hates the Disciples (18 – 27)**

9. Why does the world hate Christians?
10. What had Jesus' words and works done to the "world"?
11. What Old Testament scripture is quoted in verse 25?
12. When the Comforter (Holy Spirit) would come to the disciples, of whom would He testify? Of whom would the disciples testify when they received the Comforter? Whom do we testify of when we receive the Comforter?