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## Bearing Much Fruit Together – From Vision to Commitment Sermon Study Guide

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**Series:** Forward and Higher Together: “A Call to Fruitfulness”

**Annual Theme:** Fruitfulness

**4<sup>th</sup> Series Installment Sermon Title:** Bearing Much Fruit Together – From Vision to Commitment

**Primary Scriptures (KJV):**

- John 15:8, 16
- Acts 2:42–47
- Hebrews 10:24–25

## Introduction: Fruitfulness Must Move from Vision to Action

Vision without commitment never produces fruit. God reveals truth not merely to inform us, but to transform us. This study guide helps us reflect on how God is calling us to bear fruit that remains.

### Key Truth

**Vision without commitment never produces fruit.**

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## I. God Is Glorified by Fruit That Is Visible and Lasting

Read: John 15:8 (KJV). Discussion Questions:

1. Why do you think Jesus emphasizes bearing much fruit rather than some fruit?

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2. What does visible spiritual fruit look like in everyday life?

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3. Where do you see God currently producing fruit in your life?

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## II. Fruit That Remains Requires Intentional Connection

Read: John 15:16 (KJV)

Fruit that remains is lasting, God-produced transformation. It includes enduring faith, Christlike character, faithful obedience, and lives that multiply.

Discussion Questions:

4. What does it mean for spiritual fruit to remain?

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5. Why is isolation a danger to long-term fruitfulness?

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6. How does intentional connection help fruit remain?

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### III. The Early Church Models Fruitful Community

Read: Acts 2:42–47 (KJV)

Discussion Questions:

7. Which practices of the early church stand out to you, and why?

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8. How did commitment to one another create space for God to work?

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#### **IV. God Uses Community to Stir Us, Shape Us, and Send Us**

Read: Hebrews 10:24–25 (KJV)

Discussion Questions:

9. How have others helped stir you toward love and good works?

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10. How can you intentionally encourage someone this week?

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## **V. From Vision to Commitment**

Small Groups are not a program, but a pathway to obedience and lasting fruitfulness.

Reflection Questions:

11. What hesitations or fears might people have about biblical community?

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12. What step of commitment might God be inviting you to take?

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## **Closing Prayer**

Write a brief prayer asking God to help you bear fruit that remains.

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