## **Resurrection Life of Jesus Church**

THE FUNDAMENTALS OF CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE

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## WHAT IS THE CORRECT CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE?

In order to know and discern false doctrine, every saved person must first know what correct doctrine is as presented in the Bible. Let's take a look at one of the very basic beliefs of Christianity.

## **BEARING FRUIT**

- □ Man was created in the image of God. Genesis 1:26-27, 2:7
- □ Man was created sinless; he did not fall from grace until he disobeyed God. Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7; Romans 5:12-21
- □ From the very beginning God told man to be fruitful. **Genesis 1:28-29, 2:15**
- God's consuming desire is to reach lost men and women, and save them. John 3:16-18
- □ Jesus was constantly concerned about people being lost in sin. It was the driving motivating power in his life on this earth. Matthew 9:36-38, 18:12-14
- □ Jesus wept over the people living in Jerusalem. Luke 23:27-30
- □ Jesus agonized in the garden of Gethsemane, if he failed this mission on the earth all men would forever be doomed and cast into the Lake of Fire. Matthew 26:36-46
- □ Jesus made his disciples fishers of men. Mark 1:15-20
- □ Jesus was constantly concerned about the lost. Luke 10:1-4 (The word "scrip" means bag, satchel, or suitcase.)
- Bearing fruit is important to the Father and Jesus. John 15:1-14

As believers in Christ we must understand that **God has no desire to invest his** power, glory and finances into a group of people, unless they are in the will of God and having the same vision as the Father! Revelation 3:14-23