

ordering life [Matthew 6.33]

We are called to be disciples of Jesus. A Rule of Life is a means to that end—a plan to be WITH Jesus, to BECOME like Jesus and to DO what He did. Or, as Jesus put it, to abide in the vine and bear much fruit--to grow as disciples and become people of love.

foundations

seek first . . .

Matthew 6.33

order your life

A disciple of Jesus-

abiding

John 15

WITH Jesus

abiding in the Vine

developing a rule of life

definition:

a trellis

making a plan:

What does the practice of developing a Rule of Life stir in your heart?

Will you do it?

Memorize this-

Abide in Me, and I will abide in you. A branch cannot bear fruit if it is disconnected from the vine, and neither will you if you are not connected to Me.

I am the vine, and you are the branches. If you abide in Me and I in you, you will bear great fruit. Without Me, you will accomplish nothing.

—John 15.4-5 (*the voice*)

moving forward:

Set aside some time and start to develop your Rule of Life. If you need some help, we will be posting some links on our Facebook page

Share your plan with someone else who will pray for you and encourage you to put your plan into practice.

[practicing presence-slowness to be with Jesus.05]