## Christ-Esteem (Part 2) John 14:6

Self-absorption, self-centeredness is a sickness unto death (Narcis	ius!)	- Ko	6:23	: IS 2:22
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"I AM THE WAY" - Yes, You Are the Way! - Jo 1:38-39; 5:19,30; 6:38; 8:28; 12:49; 14:10

- We abide in Christ as the Source, the Supply for all things Jo 15:5
  - ...all fruitfulness, all fearlessness, all joyfulness Jo 15:1-11
- The "way" of abiding calls for abandonment Jo 15:10
  - ...what the "branch" cannot produce, the "Vine" can provide Jo 15:5
- We abide in Him for all we need, we abandon to Him and discover He is enough!
- "I AM THE TRUTH" Yes, You Are the Truth! Col 3:17
  - The Truth is what God says Jo 17:17
    - ... any pursuit of life apart from Christ is the pursuit of a lie II Tim 4:3,4
  - To esteem Christ is to practice "But God says..." Matt 26:38-39
- "I AM THE LIFE" Yes, You Are the Life! Jo 1:4; 5:26,39-40
  - God's Life...
    - ...for us ...in us ...through us Jo 10:10
  - "...it is no longer I who \_\_\_\_\_, but Christ Who \_\_\_\_\_ in me..." Ga 2:20

Esteem Christ as the Way and not be so easily entangled in all the others "ways".

Esteem Christ as the Truth and not be so easily captured by all the "lies" out there.

Esteem Christ as the Life and not be so vulnerable to searching for life from other "sources".