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Sermon Title: "Roots Require Nourishment"

Series: "Rooted"

Text: 2 Peter 1:5-8

⁵ For this very reason, make every effort to supplement your faith with virtue, and virtue with knowledge, ⁶ and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with steadfastness, and steadfastness with godliness, ⁷ and godliness with brotherly affection, and brotherly affection with love. ⁸ For if these qualities are yours and are increasing, they keep you from being ineffective or unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Peter 3:17-18:

¹⁷ You therefore, beloved, knowing this beforehand, take care that you are not carried away with the error of lawless people and lose your own stability.

¹⁸ But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

I. Pursue the Nourishment of your Spiritual Roots. (vs. 5-7)

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- a. Virtue
- b. Knowledge
- c. Self-control
- d. Steadfastness
- e. Godliness
- f. Brotherly Affection
- g. Love

II. The Danger of Neglecting your Roots (vs.8)

⁸ For if these qualities are yours and are increasing, they keep you from being ineffective or unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

- a. Ineffective
- b. Unfruitfulness