



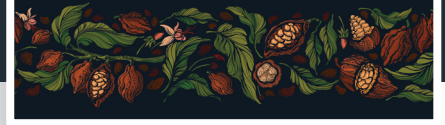
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## Fruit Loops

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### I. REVIEW/INTRO

A. Fruit loops series

### II. BRAND NEW

A. The new birth

**2 Corinthians 5:17-18a (NKJV)** Therefore, if anyone *is* in Christ, *he is* a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. Now all things *are* of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ...

- Faith is going to ask you to leave something behind for what's ahead

B. Restored to favor

**2 Corinthians 5:17-19 (NKJV)** Therefore, if anyone *is* in Christ, *he is* a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. Now all things *are* of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ and has given us the ministry of reconciliation, that is, that God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed to us the word of reconciliation.

C. The great exchange

**2 Corinthians 5:20-21 (NKJV)** Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore *you* on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God. For He made Him who knew no sin *to be* sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

### III. FROM SEED TIME TO HARVEST

A. Putting it together

- What are you packing for?
- What you pack reflects your expectation.
- You have to see it before you see it
- Sight is what I see when my eyes are open. Hope, vision or imagination is what I see with my eyes closed

B. Learn the lesson of the seed

- Every seed reproduces after its own kind

**1 Peter 1:23 (NKJV)** having been born again, not of corruptible seed but incorruptible, through the word of God which lives and abides forever,

**Galatians 5:22-23 (NKJV)** But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law.

C. The problem with a seed

- The problem with a seed is that it's small, it takes time, and it takes work



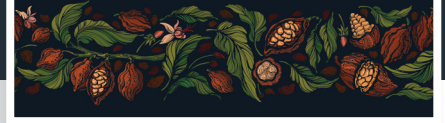
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### III. TRANSFORMATION

A. The life of God is in you

**John 15:5-6 (NKJV)** “I am the vine, you *are* the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing.

B. Faith repeated until it transforms

**John 15:16 (NKJV)** You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and *that* your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you.

### IV. GOD SUPPLIES THE SEED

A. We're looking for a harvest when God has given us a seed

**2 Corinthians 9:10 (NIV)** Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness.

- The problem is that we're protecting our seeds when we should be sowing them