

# The Abounding Christian

## (Selected Scriptures)

Introduction:

Abundant Life is what our Savior came to give us.

Despite our failures of the past, we can make strides and progress forward by God's grace and power.

*Eph 4:16 & Col 2:19*

**\* Our God wants us to positively abound in all areas of life.  
We will focus on 3:**

### I. **God wants His People to ABOUND IN LOVE**

(1 Thess. 3:12; Phil. 1:9)

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*And the Lord make you to increase and abound in love one toward another, and toward all men, even as we do toward you:*

### II. **God wants His People to ABOUND IN GIVING**

(2 Cor. 8:7; Phil. 4:17)

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*Therefore, as ye abound in every thing, in faith, and utterance, and knowledge, and in all diligence, and in your love to us, see that ye abound in this grace (of giving) also.*

### III. **God wants His People to ABOUND IN PLEASING HIM**

(1 Thess. 4:1)

*1 Thes. 4:1- Furthermore then we beseech you, brethren, and exhort you by the Lord Jesus, that as ye have received of us how ye ought to walk and to please God, so ye would abound more and more.*