

20 ☐ **Romans Lesson 57**

Chapter 11:16-21

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16 For if the firstfruit *be* holy, the lump *is* also *holy*: and if the root *be* holy, so *are* the branches. 17 And if some of the branches be broken off, and thou, being a wild olive tree, wert grafted in among them, and with them partakest of the root and fatness of the olive tree; 18 Boast not against the branches. But if thou boast, thou bearest not the root, but the root thee. 19 Thou wilt say then, The branches were broken off, that I might be grafted in. 20 Well; because of unbelief they were broken off, and thou standest by faith. Be not highminded, but fear: 21 For if God spared not the natural branches, *take heed* lest he also spare not thee.  
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Verse 16:

16 For if the firstfruit *be* holy, (Lev. 23:10, Rom. 8:23, 1 Cor. 15:20, 23)

the lump *is* also *holy*. (Num. 15:19-20)

and if the root *be* holy, (Rom. 15:12, Rev. 5:5, 22:16, FM: Deut.29:18)

so *are* the branches. (Is. 11:1, Mal. 4:1, Zech. 6:12, Jer. 33:15, Jn. 12:24, Is. 53:2)

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Verses 17-18:

17 And if some of the branches be broken off, (Jn. 15:2)

and thou, being a wild olive tree, (Eph. 2:12)

wert grafted in among them, and with them partakest of the root and fatness of the olive tree; (Jer. 11:16)

18 Boast not against the branches. (Prov. 27:1, Rom. 3:27)

But if thou boast, thou bearest not the root, but the root thee. (v16, Rev. 5:5)

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Verses 19-20:

19 Thou wilt say then,

The branches were broken off, (*Note the definite article capitalized*) that I might be grafted in.

20 Well; because of unbelief (11:30)

they were broken off, (11:17)

and thou standest by faith. (5:2, 1 Cor. 16:13, 2 Cor. 1:24)

Be not highminded, (1 Tim. 6:17, 2 Tim. 3:4)

but fear: (Prov. 28:14)

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Verse 21:

21 For if God spared not the natural branches, (2 Kng. 10:32)

*take heed* lest he also spare not thee. (Rom. 9:28, 1 Cor. 7:29)