I do so love beautiful trees. I have one outside of our patio that is huge and full of life. One day we noticed there were quite a few dead leaves in the back. Upon further examination it looked as if a whole branch had died. The leaves shriveled up and were falling away.

Our life is like that if we do not stay connected to the Father. We must stay connected to the Father, we must stay in the vine. We also need to remember to stay connected to those in the family who are around us, who will tell us when they see our "leaves" starting to die so that we can listen and take action!