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“PERSONAL SPIRITUAL GROWTH”

“Therefore, let us move beyond the elementary teachings about Christ and be taken forward to maturity, not laying again the foundation of repentance from acts that lead to death, and of faith in God,” – Hebrews 6:1 (NIV)



OVERVIEW:

When we become Christians, we enter a relationship with God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit that will cause us to grow. With the power of the Holy Spirit, we are called to become more like Jesus and to become more holy. It is this spiritual growth that becomes a birthmark of our faith! As you spend time in Scripture and pray, you will experience growth and blessings as you pursue righteousness!

To grow and develop you must have a spiritual foundation whereby to build upon. It takes time, and it must be done strategically and systematically to achieve the expected end. The end being, “Personal Spiritual Growth”. To begin building on your spiritual foundation, you must start clearing out all the junk, all the sin, and all the unrighteousness in your life that will hinder your ultimate spiritual growth.

INTRODUCTION:

What about building a strong spiritual foundation? (**Matthew 6:19-21**)

Dig deep into your faith, trusting and believing that with God, all things are possible **Matthew 19:26**.

Remember as you are increasing in your personal spiritual growth, your **ATTITUDE** will determine your **ALTITUDE**



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Let's focus on the key word "**GROWTH**"

I Corinthians 3:7

To experience Personal Spiritual Growth, we must focus on the "growth" aspect.

G = Groundwork (*Foundation*)

Psalm 127:1A

Matthew 7:24

R = Routine (*Disciplines*)

I Timothy 4:8

Luke 9:23

O = Opposition (*Setbacks*)

Isaiah 54:17

Isaiah 23:2

Lamentations 3: 22

W = Word Study (*Instruction*)

II Timothy 2:15

Psalms 119:11 & 105

T = Trust (*God & the Process*)

Proverbs 3:5-6

2 Corinthians 5:17

H = Help (*Wise Counsel*)

Proverbs 19:20

Proverbs 4:7

