

“Characteristics Of A Growing Christian” // 2 Pet. 1:5-7

NOTES

Scripture Refs

Eph. 4:30; 1 Thes. 5:19; Rom. 6:12; Heb. 11:6; Eph. 2:8-9; 2 Pet. 3:9; Matt. 6:33
Gal. 5:22-23; Col. 1:9; Jam. 1:5; Titus 2:12; 1 Pet. 2:21; 1 John 2:6
John 13:13-17; 1 Cor. 13:7

Reflection & Discussion

1. In verse 5 through 7, Peter describes what Christian growth/maturity looks like
 - a. Have an open discussion regarding the various characteristics he mentions (How do you ‘achieve’ them? What Bible passages affirm his description? In what area(s) do you lack? What is your ‘favorite’? ...etc.)
 - b. What OTHER biblical attributes would you add to Peter’s list?

2. How would you finish this sentence? “The reason a Christian should grow/mature is because...”

3. What are common *hinderances* to spiritual growth? How does the Bible teach us to overcome those?