

Growing In The Grace Of Christ

"Working together with Him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain." 2 Corinthians 6:1 (English Standard Version)

2 Peter 3:18 - _____ Christian must _____ in Christ's grace.

Two Important Concepts: Grace And Growth

A. Grace, the vital ingredient of salvation:

1. Ephesians 2:8,9 - We are _____ by grace through _____.
2. Titus 2:11 - It was God's grace that brought _____.
3. John 1:14,16-17 - _____ was _____ of grace and _____.
4. Romans 5:1,2 - Faith gives us _____ to the grace in which we _____.
5. Grace for our spirits is like _____ for our _____.

B. Growth, an often overlooked concept:

1. 2 Peter 3:18 - We must grow in _____ and _____.
 2. 2 Timothy 2:1 - The grace found in _____ will _____ us.
 3. Colossians 2:19 - If we're _____ to Christ, we will be able to grow.
 4. 1 Peter 2:2 - We'll grow if we drink the _____ spiritual _____.
- C. 2 Corinthians 6:1 - It's possible to _____ grace in _____!

How To Grow In The Grace And Knowledge Of Christ

A. One site said that the _____ process is the idea of growing in the grace and knowledge of Christ.

B. Knowing Christ, knowing the grace of God:

1. John 17:3 - To know God and Christ is to know _____.
2. Mark 1:40,41 - Know the _____ of Christ.
3. Luke 4:22 - Know His _____ for God's _____.
4. Matthew 20:28 - Know that He came to _____ others.
5. Luke 23:34 - Know that He seeks to _____ all.
6. 2 Corinthians 8:9 - Know that He became _____ so that we might become _____.

B. 2 Corinthians 3:18 - As we _____ the _____ of Christ, we are being _____ into the same _____.

3 John 9-11 - Diotrophes had _____ of Christ, but did he have the _____ of Christ. We are to grow in both!

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