

WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED ABOUT LOVE

40 Days of Love – Final Week – August 29, 2010

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Colossians 2:7 (NLT) Let your roots grow down into Him and draw up nourishment from Him, so you will grow in faith, strong and vigorous in the truth you were taught. Let your lives overflow with thanksgiving for all He has done.

Some people have a _____ experience of growth.

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I can enjoy a _____ experience of growth.

How do we have a lifetime of hope?

1 – There Must Be _____ – God Is Committed To Your Growth

† 2 Chronicles 16:9 (NIV) For the eyes of the LORD range throughout the earth to strengthen those whose hearts are fully committed to him.”

† Titus 2:14 (NLT) He gave his life to free us from every kind of sin, to cleanse us, and to make us his very own people, totally committed to doing what is right

† Deuteronomy 30:20 (NLT) Choose to love the Lord your God and to obey him and commit yourself to him, for he is your life.

† 1 Corinthians 14:1 (MSG) Go after a life of love as if your life depended on it—because it does.

2 — There Must Be _____

We need to get God’s Truth is multiple ways because:

† We Retain 5% of what we hear after 72 hours

† We Retain 10% of what we read after 72 hours

† We Retain 50% of what we discuss after 72 hours

Two ways to have balance in learning God’s Principles

A — _____ His Principles

† Deuteronomy 6:6-7 (NLT) And you must commit yourselves wholeheartedly to these commands I am giving you today. Repeat them again and again to your children. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away on a journey, when you are lying down and when you are getting up again.

B — _____ His Principles

† 1 Corinthians 9:26 (TLB) So I run straight to the goal with purpose in every step.

A balanced Christian life will have these four principles

1. Belonging To God – At LWC this CLASS 101 – Sept. 26th @6PM
2. Growing In God – At LWC this CLASS 201 – Sept. 26th @6PM
3. Serving God – At LWC this CLASS 301 – Sept. 26th @6PM
4. Sharing God – At LWC this CLASS 401 – Coming Soon

3 — Be An _____ Member Of The Body Of Christ

† Ephesians 4:16 from (Christ), the whole body, joined and knit together by what every joint supplies, according to the effective working by which every part does its share, causes growth of the body for the edifying of itself in love.

† Hebrews 10:24 (NIV) And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.

Remembering the _____ causes us to grow in Love

† John 13:34 — Love one another

† Romans 12:10 — Be devoted to one another

† Romans 12:16 — Live in harmony with one another

† Romans 15:7 — Accept one another

† Galatians 5:13 — Serve one another in love

† Ephesians 4:2 — Put up with one another

† Ephesians 4:32 — Be kind and compassionate to one another

† Colossians 3:16 — Teach and admonish one another

† Hebrews 3:13 — Encourage one another daily

† 1 Peter 4:9 — Offer hospitality to one another