

THE STRATEGIES FOR GROWTH

When the Holy Spirit comes to us and tune our frequency, all the messages along this line either comes from a man or from the bible, we will be able to capture it.

We have tremendous potential to grow up because everything we need is here. If we live by the word, we will start to build. The House is our protection from the winds and bad weather. The roof protects us from the sun and rain. The foundation holds our house so that it will not be destroyed by the winds and wave. A wise man builds the house on the rock.

God can build in us good character and understanding. Fear is dangerous. Fear is the only thing that can rob faith. Some people fear of anything. We can have authority all the time to put the devil and sickness in place. Nothing should affect our lives except the Holy Spirit. We can have a life full of abundance. No matter how much money we have, it cannot give us life. If we don't have life inside, then everything else is just a show.

If we fear, we are dangerous to ourselves and others around us. When we are afraid, we will push that fear to everyone around us. Fear must stop in our heart. It must not travel by our words. What people need is hope that things are going to get better or else the fear will destroy our mind. In the day of battle we must cover our head.

Luk 3:21 And it happened in the baptizing of all the people, Jesus also being baptized, and praying, and the heaven was opened.

Luk 3:22 And the Holy Spirit came down in a bodily shape, like a dove on Him. And a voice came from Heaven, which said, You are My Son, the Beloved; I am delighted in You.

Luk 3:23 And Jesus Himself was beginning to be about thirty years of age, being (as was supposed) son of Joseph, son of of Heli,

It does not matter what kind of friends or environment we have, we can change and grow and rise to the next level. If we don't rise up to the next level, things will become worse.

If we are God's men and spiritually tuned and positioned, what we do must bring change and will start a chain reaction. Anything that we do and pray, heaven will open. If we are a nobody, even a good advice we give people will not listen. If we are a nobody, we don't have the proof in our life. If we are wise and strong and God is on our behalf and the testimony of our life is true,

we will go a long way. No use doing something that will take us backwards. How we manage our business and family must move forward. That's why we have to be different and dare to be different. When we make a difference, it is a difference that will change our lives and bring us up to the next level. We have to be different to make things happen. We have to be somebody and extraordinary to do extraordinary things.

If we are different and change our spiritual state, all the things around us will change. If we are at the kampong level, we compete at the kampong level. If we are state level or national level, we compete in the state and the national level. The kampong champion cannot compete in the international level. They have to deal with the different opponents of the different levels first.

We may be in the same church but each one of us are of different spiritual level. If we don't change nothing is going to change our world. If we change and become what God wants us to be, then heavens will open. The Holy Spirit will descend and the Father will speak. The beginning of things will happen to us and we will destroy every works of the enemy.

We want to become better in the spirit world. 90% of the books that teaches about finance is about our thinking patterns. Always follow the pattern. If the life pattern works for Jesus, it will work for us too. If we cannot find it in Jesus, then forget it. The book of Acts is the acts of the Holy Spirit through the apostle.

Don't just become an ordinary Christian. Become extraordinary. God permits us to go up higher. Be the best. Take steps to go up to the next level. If we go up, we take our place in the heavenlies and to rule and reign together with Christ.

When we transact well with God before His Presence all kinds of supernatural blessing will come upon us. It is not about how smart we are or how good we are.

1. If a person is lost the goal is to lead him to Christ.

If the person is not born again, he is at level 1. His heart and life have not been changed. Our goal is to make sure that he receives Christ. If the person is not a Christian, he is not going up. Don't be happy for them just because they come for the event. We must lead them to Christ. Even if the children are from Christian families, they themselves must make their own choice. When we are born again we can see the Kingdom. When we look at church members, we must see what level they are.

2. If a person comes to Christ, the goal is to start him in his walk with Christ

This is personal devotion. The person is born again and has received Christ. Now we must walk with him. He must start living what they have decided. Wedding is different from marriage. Wedding is a ceremony. Marriage is the walking together. So many people spent so much time planning for the wedding instead of planning for their marriage. Anything that we do as husband and wife, we must do it together so that we can safe one another and protect one another. If the person comes to Christ, what do we do? Don't just leave them there.

Act 2:37 And hearing this, they were stabbed in the heart, and said to Peter and to the other apostles, Men, brothers, what shall we do?

Act 2:41 Then those who gladly received his word were baptized. And the same day there were added about three thousand souls.

Act 2:47 praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.

When the people are saved, show them how to walk in Christ. Show them how to get them to be committed. They must be devoted to Christ and added into the Church. If they are not added, they are not under protection and covering. The philosophies of the world will still be dominating their minds. Person devotion secures the relationship. If we know where we are and what level we are, we will know what to do next. Otherwise we will be thinking that we are always at the top.

3. If the person starts growing in Christ, our goal is to make sure they are developed and mature in character.

Some people have a good heart but bad character. What needs to change? It's not about which cell group they attend or their name changed. The character and behavior and the way they talk and worship must change. Good character takes along time to build. Bad habits must be cut off first in order to build good character. It is lack of maturity that destroys the future.

As parents if we model a good life and our character is pure and kind, it will affect our children. If we become angry and always shouting and quarrelling in the house, the children will follow suit. We must help change the character of our child.

If we do all the wrong things in our character, no one will listen to us. We must have a passionate heart for God and the way we deal with people must be kind. We need to be kind, righteous and pleasant towards people. People must see Christ in us. Our heart must always be open to people. If we don't do this, we are misrepresenting Christ. The only people Jesus attacked are the Pharisees. But to the rest He is kind. This is the kind of heart we need to have.

4. If a person starts manifesting Christ life (character changed), the goal is to involve him in some form of Christian service.

It is dangerous to let people serve without boundary of their character. If we grow the people in the cell group well, teach them how to collect offering, pray, serve in the cell group, etc. Involve them in some form of service. By looking at them in the present, we can see their future. By looking a child, we can know the future.

5. If a person is faithful and fruitful in Christian service, the goal is to help him rise in leadership

The person has proven that he is a server and humbles enough to serve people. They are now given privilege to lead. Those who have no heart to serve must never be in leadership or else they will boss everybody around. They will try to force everybody to do work. Those who cannot serve people should not lead people. They must be first good servants before they can become good leaders. A good leader must first be a good follower.

6. If a person is in leadership, the goal is to equip him for effective leadership

IF they are already song leading, we must help them. Leadership position is important and it must function well. If we are a leader, we are an executor and implementer. Whatever that is spoken must be done. That's why the cell leaders must listen carefully so that things can be done. A lot of people are in leadership but they are not leading or the ones deciding. They are led by the people and frustrations. That's why every leader must know, when they are leading and when they are not.

7. If the leader is effective, the goal is to increase his influence

This is so that the leader is respected by people. People must feel comfortable by his leadership. A lot of leaders think that once they are a leader, they don't need anyone else.