

A CHALLENGE TO GROW

but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him *be* the glory, both now and to the day of eternity. Amen. - 2 Peter 3:18

| "grow" - present imperative = be growing |
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| *We are not just by grace but we are to by grace |
| How do you grow in grace? "knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ." – 2 Peter 3:18 |
| As you grow in your of Jesus you'll grow in His grace |
| And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth Joh 1:14 |
| SIGNS THAT YOU'RE GROWING IN GRACE |
| 1. Your Will Become More Grace-Full And all were speaking well of Him, and wondering at the gracious words which were falling from His lips; and they were saying, "Is this not Joseph's son?" - Luke 4:22 |
| Let your speech always be with grace, as though seasoned with salt, so the you will know how you should respond to each person Colossians 4:6 |
| 2. Your Will Become More Grace-Full - John 8:3-11 |
| But He gives a greater grace. Therefore it says, "God is opposed to the proud but gives grace to the humble." - James 4:6 |
| 3. Your Will Become More Grace-Full |
| You'll give others room to – Mark 8:1-6 You'll be slower to others – Matthew 7:1-5 You'll be quicker to – Matthew 18:21-22 |