



Ever felt unprepared?



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Luke 3:21-23

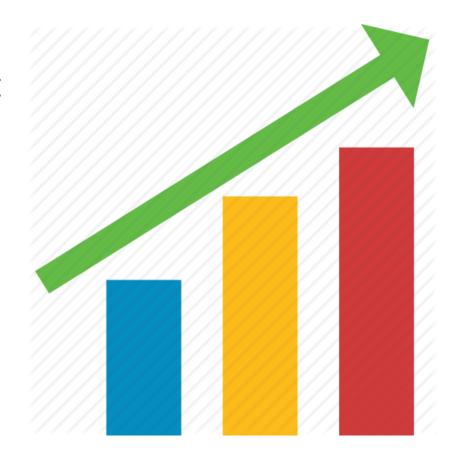
Jesus was baptized... the heavens were opened, the Holy Spirit descended on ... and a voice came from heaven, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." Jesus, when he began his ministry, was about 30 years of age...



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Luke 2:41-42, 46, 49

And when Jesus was 12 years old, he went to Jerusalem, to the Feast of Passover... After 3 days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions... And he said to them, "Why were you looking for me? Did you not know that I must be about my Father's business?"





Grow on purpose

Luke 2:52
And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and men.



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"to drive forward" i.e. intentional advancement with urgency.

Grow in Nazareth

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And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and men.

[while in Nazareth!]





Grow all the way! intellectually

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Proverbs 4:7 The beginning of wisdom is this: Get wisdom, and whatever you get, get insight.

13:10 advice | 28:26 instruction | 15:33 humility | 24:14 hope for future

Grow all the way! physically

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Grow all the way! spiritually

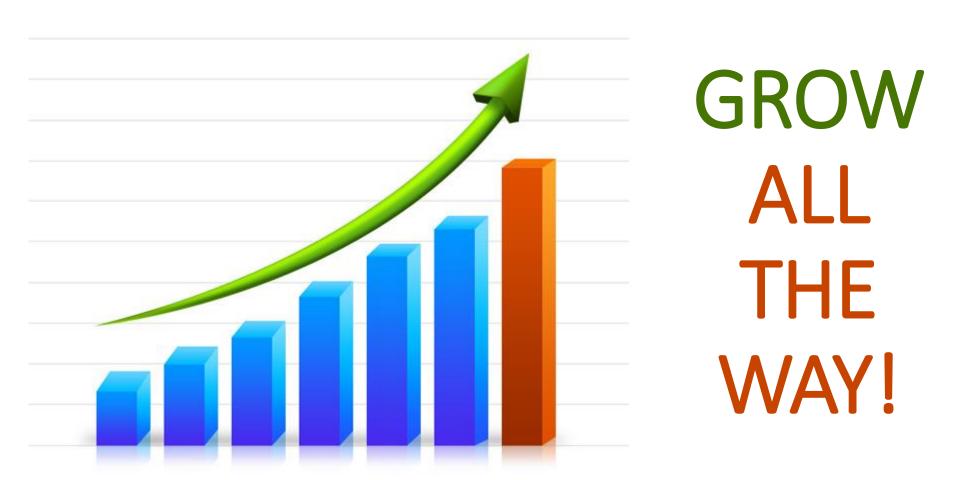
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Grow all the way! emotionally

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Attitude – "be about my Father's business"

Activity - "and Jesus grew intentionally..."

Activation – "the Holy Spirit descended on Him"

Grow all the way!



intellectual



spiritual



physical



emotional

