



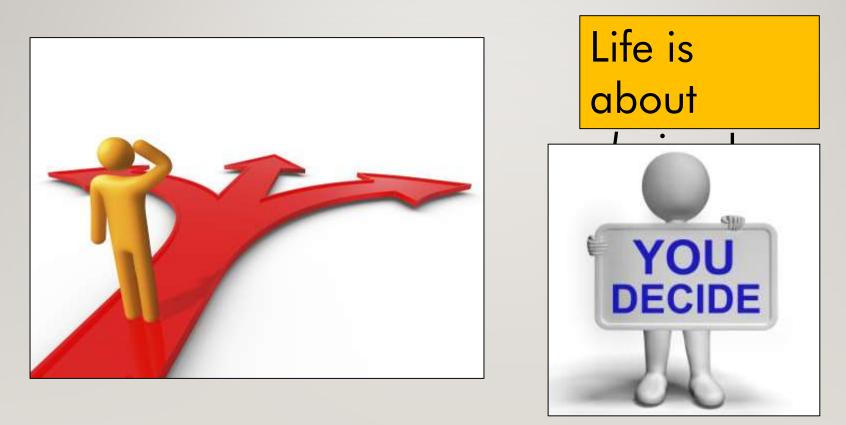
**Eph 5:15-17** "Live life, then, with a **due sense** of responsibility, not as men who do not know the *meaning and purpose of life* but as those who do. Make the best use of your time, despite all the difficulties of these days. Don't be vague but firmly grasp what you know to be the will of God. "



"He predestined us to be conformed <u>into</u> <u>the image of His</u> <u>Son</u>" (Rom 8:29).

Jesus grew in wisdom and in stature and in favor with O Land all people Luke 2:52

### KEY PRINCIPLES: CHOICE!



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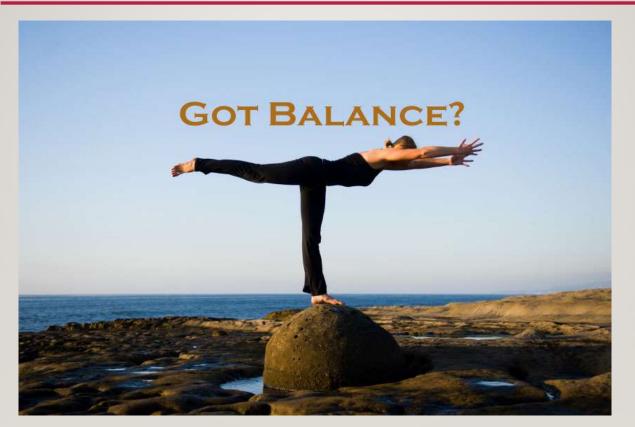
To get what you've never had, you must do what you have done!

### KEY PRINCIPLES: MOTIVATION!

Tough times don't last; Tough people d0. The Power of WHY!

When the glory of J.C. is at stake, mediocrity is not an option!

### KEY PRINCIPLES: BALANCE!



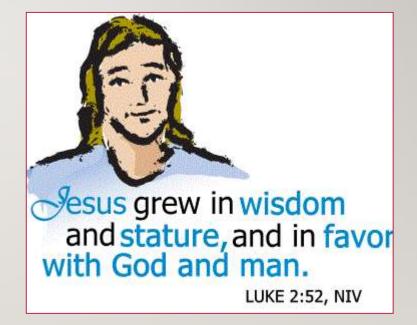
### JESUS WAS PERFECTLY BALANCED!

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#### Intellectually, Physically, Spiritually, and

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- Jesus increased in wisdom/intellect
  - Prov 19:8
  - How can I grow intellectually in 2019?



# • Jesus increased in wisdom/intellect.





Intellectually, Physically, Spiritually, and

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- Jesus increased in stature/physically.
  - I Cor 6:19
  - I Cor 10:31
  - Phil 4:5, I Cor 9:25

Eat & Drink to the glory of God.

Eat moderately and use self-control.

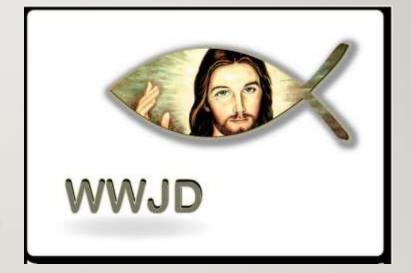
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Abuse of our bodies is not just unwise, it is sinful.



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Making health a spiritual decision helps motivation!

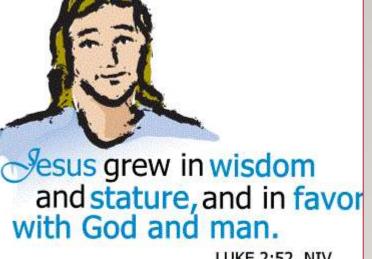


- Jesus increased in stature/physically.
- "A cheerful heart is like good medicine" (Prov. 17:22).
- Exercise Diet Weight Rest Attitude

Intellectually, Physically, Spiritually, and

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- Jesus increased in favor with <u>God/spiritually</u>.
  - Worship regularly.
  - Give generously.
  - Encourage skillfully.
  - Cleanse the soul honestly.



LUKE 2:52, NIV

- Jesus increased in favor with <u>God/spiritually</u>.
  - Nourish the soul diligently!
    "Grow in grace and knowledge" (2 Peter 3:18).

Sesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man. LUKE 2:52, NIV

#### WINTER QUARTER UPCOMING SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

Pondering the Proverbs Practical Wisdom for the Ages. Romans "As If I'd Never Sinned."

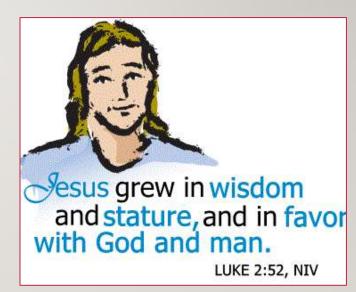
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# UPCOMING WEDNESDAY ADULT CLASSES WINTER QUARTER



- Jesus increased in favor with <u>man/socially.</u>
  - I Peter 4:8-10
  - Matt 25:40
  - Proverbs 11:30



- Realize you are responsible for you!
  - Gal 6:4-5 "Each should carry their own

load."



• Realize <u>you are responsible</u> for you!

THREE CATEGORIES OF PEOPLE:

- 1. Accusers.
- 2. Excusers.
- 3. Choosers.

"If you faint in the day of adversity, your strength is small" (Prov. 24:10).

# • Realize you are responsible for you!

Choose for yourselves today whom you will serve...

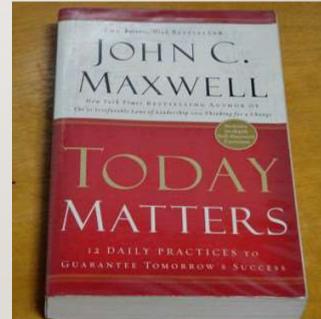
As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.

Joshua 24:15

- Realize you are responsible for the progress in your life!
  - "Jesus increased in wisdom, . . . etc. (Lk 2:52).
  - "Remember not the former things" (Isa 43:18-19).
  - "Cast all your cares upon Him" (I Peter 5:7).

• Realize you are responsible for <u>starting</u> the new direction.

"If you wait for perfect conditions, you will never get anything done" (Eccl. 11:4).



#### INVITATION AND SONG HERE THEN THIS NEXT SLIDE FOR LORD SUPPER THOUGHTS.



"And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another."

2 Corinthians 3.18 CB NT p. 315