**Bible Study #2**

**Growing In Christ**

**A Two Lesson Study for New Converts**

The two lessons below are designed to help a new convert grow in Christ.  "As newborn babes, desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby" (1 Peter 2:2).  In fact, all Christians can grow spiritually by studying these two lessons.  Jesus says in Matthew 28:18-20, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.  Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you."  Here Jesus says that after new converts are baptized, we are to continue to teach them all things that Jesus commanded.

New babes in Christ must be spiritually fed in order to grow spiritually.  "For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the first principles of the oracles of God;  and you have come to need milk and not solid food" (Hebrews 5:12).  Teaching after one is baptized is just as important as the teaching one receives before he is baptized.  It has been estimated that more than half of all who are baptized into Christ fall away within five years.  The main reason people fall away is a failure to grow spiritually.  We must all continue to study and be taught so we can become strong members of the church.

In using these lessons, have the one you are studying with read the scriptures aloud.  Each one should circle a response: either "yes" or "no" as you study through the lesson.

**Lesson # 1 "The Christian Life"**

**Lesson # 2 "Being Steadfast"**

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**Preface**

The *Personal Evangelism Seminar* investigates the biblical foundation of soul-winning and the spiritual qualities of Christians who seek to bring others to Christ. The principle aim of the seminar is to encourage an interest in personal evangelism and show seminar participants how to win souls for the Master.

This booklet has been prepared to accompany the PowerPoint© lectures presented in the *Personal Evangelism Seminar.* It is the wish and prayer of the presenters and interpreters that all who participate in this seminar will have a greater appreciation of the Kingdom of God and those who brought us to Christ.

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