

# SPIRITUAL H.A.B.I.T.S

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

*WE ALL HAVE BAD HABITS, WHAT IF WE CAN FORM GOOD ONES?*

**IF PEOPLE ARE GOING TO MAINTAIN THEIR FAITH OVER THE LONG HAUL, THEY MUST DEVELOP SOME HABITS THAT WILL KEEP THEM GROWING ON THEIR OWN.**

**IT'S A COMMITMENT TO CHRIST, NOT TO CHURCH PROGRAMS.**

**WHAT ARE THE SPIRITUAL H.A.B.I.T.S?**

**- H - HANGTIME WITH GOD.**

- Have a consistent time with God through prayer and Bible reading(quiet time).

**- A - ACCOUNTABILITY WITH OTHERS.**

- Have an accountable relationship with another person. Honesty. Acceptance.

**- B - BIBLE MEMORIZATION.**

- Have key scriptures memorized. Post-it notes.

**- I - INVOLVED IN CHURCH.**

- Be involved with the church body through attendance and serving. One of the best ways to grow is to SERVE.

**- T - TITHING.**

- Practice the discipline of financial giving. Not about the church wanting your money, it's about giving back to God.

**- S - SCRIPTURE STUDY.**

- Know how to study scripture, more than just reading. On your own!

*\* I seek you with all my heart; do not let me stray from your commands. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you. (Psalm 119:10-11)*

*\* Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect. (Romans 12:2)*

**LET YOUR SPIRITUAL GROWTH GROW YOUR FAITH, NOT JUST YOUR KNOWLEDGE.**

*\* "Bible knowledge alone will make you proud. Obedience alone will make you judgmental. Trust makes you dependent." - Andy Stanley*

**KEEP YOUR EXPECTATIONS REALISTIC. IT'S ABOUT IMPROVEMENT, NOT PERFECTION. DON'T GIVE UP, IT TAKES TIME.**

**RESOURCES:**

- **WWW.THESIMPLECHURCH.TV** - RESOURCES PAGE.
- **YOUVERSION** - WEBSITE AND APP.
- **WWW.DRIVETIMEDEVOTIONS.COM** - ONLINE AND PODCASTS.