

# KNOW JESUS

Learn how to enjoy the abundant life Jesus desires all of us to have.

It starts with knowing Jesus!





## WHAT TO EXPECT

The Abundant Growth Track guides you, empowering you to discover your redemptive purpose and live the life God created for you.

Growth Track is made up of our simple steps.

01. Know Jesus 02. Join our Family 03. Discover Purpose 04. Make a Difference









## OUR PRAYER FOR YOU

I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know Him better.

I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people.

Epheelane 1:17-18

#### YOUR ABUNDANT LIFE, IN FOUR STEPS:

At Abundant, our desire is that everyone who walks through our doors gets to experience an encounter with God, by knowing Jesus.

he same power that transformed you initially will transform you progressively.

[I pray]...that you may know Him better [personally]

Ephesians 1:17-18

STEP 01

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After you encounter God, there are fundamentals that should be established in your life. Salvation happens in a moment, but becoming like Christ takes a lifetime. We ballow the abundant life is the ongoing process of submitting to God's word and Spirit to complete the development of Christ's character in us.

[I pray]...that the eyes of your heart be enlightened [focused and clear].

#### Ephesians 1:17-18

#### YOUR ABUNDANT LIFE, IN FOUR STEPS:

Abundant is called to equip God's people for His work. The two most important days of your life are the day you are born and the day you find out why. God gives us the tools to develop and strengthen the body of Christ.

So Christ Himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evengelists, the postors and teachers, 12 to equip His people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up. 4

At Abundant, we believe each of us is called on purpose, for a purpose. Together, we are empowered to serve one another. We are blessed to be a blessing!

God has given each of you a gift from His great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.

1 Peter 4:10 NLT

Ephesians 4:11-12

STEP 01

## KNOW JESUS

Sin breaks up our close relationships with God. It causes us to live lives that are less than what our Heavenly Father intended for us to live.

he wages of sin is death, but the gift of God s eternal life through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Romans 6:22

God has already done His part to restore our relationship with Him. He seet His son Jesus to restore the abundant life. Now, He waits for each of us to individually accept what He has done for us.

lut God demonstrates His own love for us in this: shile we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 5:8

God is on one side and all people are on the other side, and Christ Jesus is between them to bring them together, by giving His life for all mankind.

1 Timothy 2:5-6



## HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN

Admit that God has not been first place in your life and ask Him to forgive your sins.

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:9

Accept that Jesus died to pay for your sins and that He rose from the dead and is alive today.

If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God mixed Him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by openly declaring your faith that you are saved.

Romans 10:9-10 NLT

Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name [Jesus] under Heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.

Acts 4:12

We believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have failen asleep in him.

1 Thessalonians 4:1-



### HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN



## TAKE THE STEPS

#### You can take these steps to become stronger in your faith by praying a simple prayer, a commitment to God:

"Dear-lease, thank you for creating me and loving me, even when TVe ignored You and pan en you way. I walkee I need You in my 196, and 11m sorry for my size. I ask You for drogive me. Thank You for drying on the creas for me. As much as I know how, I want to follow You how no wou. Or Rease come into my 186 and make me a new person Inside. I accept Your free gft of asketon. Presses help me to grow one as a Christian."

## Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

Romans 10:12

## HOW TO HAVE A GENUINE RELATION-SHIP WITH GOD

One yee encounter issue, the call is to follow Here and build an indicativity with Hen. Yee, what does it mans to follow issue? Extlowing issue means to issues His ways, His values, His habits and His principles. Issues goins us this invitation. "Scores and follow me." issues it known to be the most thought youxiding tachart is walk the Earth. The more we get to know Him, the more we get to know who we are called to be.

Therefore everyone who hears these words of Mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock.

Matthew 7:24



#### REAL CHRISTIANITY IS ABOUT



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But to all who believed Him and accept Him, He gave the right to become children of God.

1 John 1:9



# BE WITH JESUS

Prayer should not be our last resort, it should be our first response.

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us.

1 John 5:14

The Lord is near to all who call on Him, to all who call on Him in truth.

Paalm 145:18

To know Jesus means to know His word

For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than anything double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.

Hebrews 4ct

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuilding, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 2:16-17

## BE WITH JESUS

Commitment tends to last better in a community. Our church is not defined by four walls, it's defined by its people.

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day appraching.

Hebrews 10:24-25

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prover.

Acts 4:42

#### DO WHAT JESUS DID



## WATER BAPTISM

We practice baptism through water immersion, which is the way Jesus was baptized and the way the bible teaches us to be baptized.

At that time Jeaus came from Nazavsth in Galilee and was baptized by John in Jondan. Just as Jeaus was coming up out of the water, He saw Heaven being tom open and the Spirit descending on Him like a dove.

Mark 1:9-10

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

Matthew 20:19

Whoever acknowledges Me before others, I will also acknowledge before my Father in heaven. But whoever discount Me before others, I will discount before my Father in Heaven.

Matthew 10:32-33





## NEXT STEPS

#### Join Our Family

- Give your heart to Jesus to be saved. We will pray together, and as we pray we will confess our trust in the Lord Jesus as our Lord and Savior.
- 2 Declare your relationship with Jesus publicly. Water baptism is the example Jesus set, and we follow this example to publicly share our new life in Him.
- 3 Join an Abundant Group! Visit the Abundant App or abundant.org/groups
- 4 Complete all four steps of Growth Track
  - StepOne: Know Jesus StepTwo: Join Our Family StepTwee: Discover Purpose StepTour: Make a Difference



## YOU DID IT!

Let's stay connected!

Download the Abundant app and check the calendar for your next Growth Track step.

> Questions? Email us at care@abundant.org