

# In This House | Grow

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### **START TALKING** - Find conversations starters for the group or with a friend.

What is a phase thatyou went through when growing up? Do you have any embarrassing photos or stories from this time?

# **KEEP READING** - Read the Scripture and ask a question to get the group thinking. Read Hebrews 5:11-6:3

Craig talked about how the writer challenges the readers to be intentional about their spiritual growth. They have neglected their spiritual growth and are being challenged as a result

- What stands out from Hebrews 5:11-6:3
- How do you relate to the original readers of the letter? Is the challenge true of the Church today?

## **KEEP TALKING** - Choose questions to create openness.

#### Read Mark 10:17-23

Craig challenged us to put down the baby bottle and take responsibility for our own spiritual growth. Here are 4 lies he challenged about growth:

- 1. Growth is someone else's responsibility
- 2. Growth is a solo pursuit
- 3. Growth is all about spiritual disciplines
- 4. Growing in God will be easy
- Which of these do you find most challenging?
- Are there any of these that you have believed, or lived like you believe?
- Are there any areas outside of spiritual disciplines you need to grow in?
- What is God saying to? Where is God challenging you? If He isn't- why?

# **KEEP MOVING/GOING** -Commit to a step and live it out this week.

- Come up with a plan for your spiritual disciplines
- Be open and honest with each other about the areas you need to grow in
- Praying regularly and listening to what God would like to challenge you on

#### **KEEP PRAYING**

Spend some time together praying. Why not pray the prayer from Psalm 139 and then leave space for the Holy Spirit to speak to you.

#### Psalm 139

23 Search me, God, and know my heart;test me and know my anxious thoughts.24 See if there is any offensive way in me,and lead me in the way everlasting.