



**LIFE**

on

**MISSION**

**GROW**

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# Life on Mission

1. **Connect**

2. **Serve**

3. **Share**

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*“The man and his  
wife were both  
naked, and they felt  
no shame.”*

**Genesis 2:25**

GO

*“Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized they were naked; so they sewed fig leaves together and made coverings for themselves... and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the garden.”*

**Genesis 3:7,8**

SOGS

*“all their 'righteous'  
deeds are like filthy  
rags”*

**(Isaiah 64:6)**

# GOSSP

*(Jesus our Lord)...  
“who was delivered  
up for our trespasses  
and raised for our  
justification.”  
(Romans 4:25)*

# GOSSPEL

*“I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life.”*

**(1 John 5:13)**



# GOOD PEOPLE

*“He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.”*  
(Revelation 21:4)



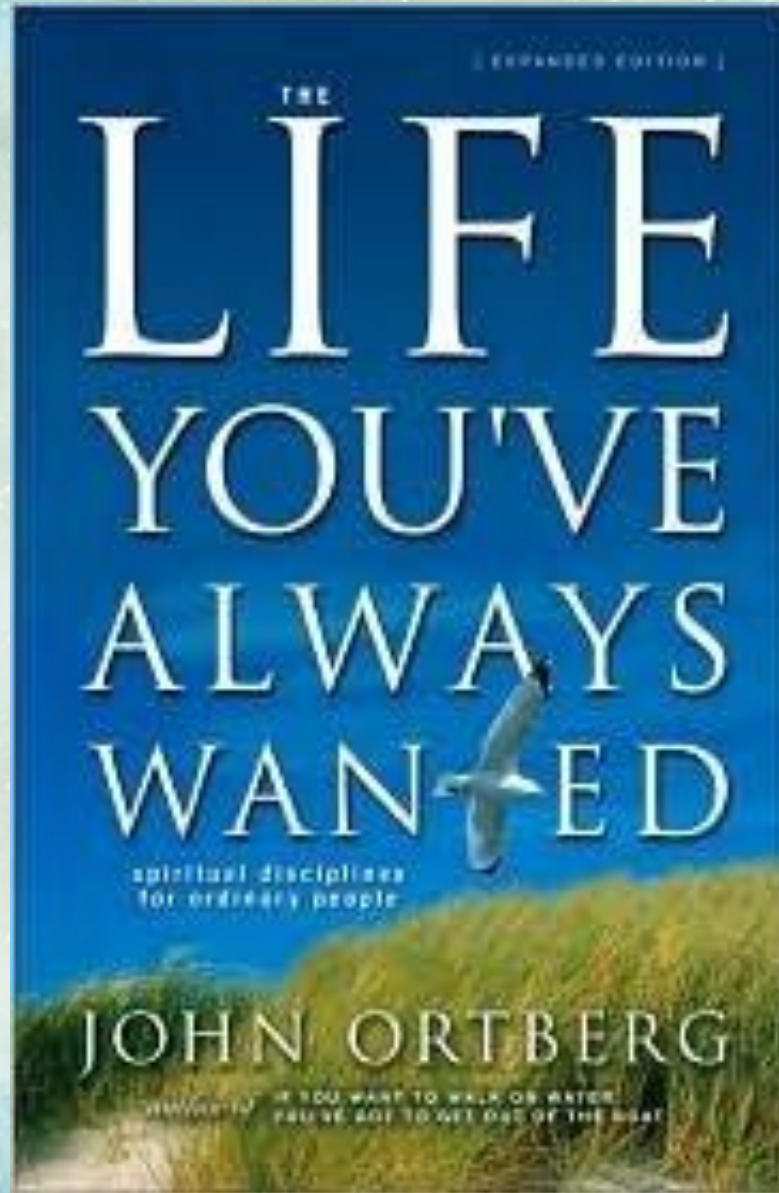






**Success is seen in the difference  
between training and trying.**









**Why Train – Why Grow?**



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growth  
groups







Picture of couple getting married

# Why Train – Why Grow?

1. Living things Grow
2. To Bear Fruit

*“I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. – John 15:5*



# Why Train – Why Grow?

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2. To Bear Fruit

*“Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved,  
but whoever does not believe will be  
condemned.” – Mark 16:16*







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MATTHEW 28:19





**Why Don't More Train and Grow?**



# **Why Don't More Train and Grow?**

## **1. Busy-ness**





Picture of Mary and Martha – Martha rests at Jesus' feet.

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*As they were walking along the road, a man said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." – Luke 9:57*



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*Jesus replied, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God." – Luke 9:62*

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***You're going to have to let some things GO if you are going to GROW...***



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- **Tentatio**



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- Meditatio – “meditation”





**Meditatio ... “Word Power”**

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*Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God*

– Philippians 4:6



## **Meditatio ... “Word Power”**

**I am not anxious about anything, but in everything, I pray and petition the Lord, with thanksgiving, presenting my requests to God.**

## **Meditatio ... “Word Power”**

*See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!  
And that is what we are! – 1 John 3:1*



## **Meditatio ... “Word Power”**

**How great is the love the Father has lavished  
on me, that I should be called a child of God!**

**And that is what I am!**

## **Meditatio ... “Word Power”**

*May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace  
as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with  
hope by the power of the Holy Spirit*

**– Romans 15:13**



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- Tentatio – “affliction of suffering”



# **Why Don't More Train and Grow?**

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- 2. Weak Faith**
- 3. They try to go it alone**

**Two are better than one...** *If either of them falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up...* **A cord of three strands** *is not quickly broken* – Ecclesiastes 4:9-13



**train yourself to be godly. For physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come. - 1 Timothy 4:7-8**