GROW UP

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A. The Responsibility of a Spiritual Leader

Ephesians 4:10-13

10 He who descended is also the One who ascended far above all the heavens, that He might fill all things.)11 And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, 12 for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, 13 till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ;

Hebrews 13:17

17 Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive, for they watch out for your souls, as those who must give account. Let them do so with joy and not with grief, for that would be unprofitable for you.

B. Grow Up. Prepare yourself for ministry.

Hebrews 5:11-6:3

Listen Well. (vs 11)

Determine to Grow (vs. 12)

Become Skilled in The Word of God (vs 13)

Exercise your mental or spiritual senses (vs 14)

Hosea 4:6

⁶ My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge. Because you have rejected knowledge, I will reject you from serving as My priest. Since you have forgotten the law of your God, I will also forget your sons.