



Lesson 6: Growing Christ-Like

The Goal: In this lesson, our objective is to introduce you to the concept of growing into the likeness of Jesus Christ through the Scriptural study of the character of Christ and an ongoing dialogue with the Holy Spirit. As you study the character of Christ this week, evaluate your own character against His standard. Be honest and confess where you are not like the Savior you follow. Then yield to God—allowing Him to mold you into the image of His Son. This week, **memorize 1 John 5:11,12** along with your daily S.O.A.P. studies, and **review the memory verses** for the past lessons. Seek to understand how these verses fit in with the rest to equip you to be able to share with someone else what God is doing in the world through His Son!

Part 1: Jesus Is Love

S: 1 John 4:8, John 10:30 _____
1 John 3:16 _____ Luke 6:35 _____

O: How does Jesus embody love? Fill in the blanks above and summarize what you have learned.

A: Ask the Lord for application of your time in His Word today. How do you need to become like Christ in love?

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Part 2: Humility: The Mark of the Savior

S: Philippians 2:3–8 _____ Luke 14:11 _____
Matthew 11:29 _____

O: How did Christ demonstrate true humility? Fill in the blanks above and summarize what you have learned.

A: Ask God to give you something to apply from your time in His Word today. Remember to allow Him to go deeper than simply impressing thoughts in your mind, but to the place of creating real, lasting heart change. Write the application He provides here:

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Part 3: In Regard to Purity and Holiness

S: 1 Peter 1:15,16 _____ 2 Corinthians 5:21 _____
Mark 1:24 _____ Leviticus 19:11, 1 Cor. 1:30 _____

O: What do we learn from Jesus' life in regard to purity and holiness? What does God desire of us in this area? Fill in the blanks above and summarize here.

A: Ask God for something to apply to your life in regard to your time in His Word today:

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Part 4: Good Works

S: Acts 10:38 _____ Galatians 6:8–10 _____
2 Thess. 2:16,17 _____

O: How does Jesus' life demonstrate the kind of lives we are to live? How then are we to live? Fill in the blanks above and summarize.

A: Are there any areas of your life you need to change to be more in alignment with Jesus? Ask God for application from your time in Scripture today:

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Part 5: Obedience

S: John 6:38 _____ Luke 6:46–49 _____
Philippians 2:8 _____ 2 John 1:6 _____

O: Where do you see Jesus modeling obedience? What does Scripture teach us in regard to obedience? Fill in the blanks above and summarize.

A: What would it look like for you to grow into the image of Christ in the area of obedience? Ask God for application from your time spent with Him in His Word today:

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Part 6: Jesus' Prayer Life

S: Mark 1:35, 6:41 _____ Matthew 6:9–13 _____
John 17:20–23 _____ Romans 8:26,27 _____

O: What do you observe about Jesus' prayer life? How does He teach us to pray? Fill in the blanks above and summarize.

A: In what specific ways do you need to look more like Jesus in prayer? Ask God for application from your time spent with Him in His Word today:

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Action Steps

Review what you have learned in this lesson. What has God taught you about becoming Christ-like?

Memorize 1 John 5:11,12 this week and review the previous memory verses. After this week, you will have memorized all six verses/passages that will assist you in sharing God's story (His Good News for humanity). Pray that God will give you a clear understanding of how these verses fit together to reveal the Good News of the Kingdom of God.

Continue to pray that God would give you an opportunity to share both your story and God's story. Who is God placing on your mind? **Pray** for them, **Care** for them, and when God provides the opportunity, **Share** with them your testimony and the Good News of the Kingdom of God.