

Worksheet 8 of 8: How can we continue in the faith and grow spiritually? (KEY)

Please compare this answer key to your answers from the worksheet. You are encouraged to note any incorrect answers and ask any questions you may have regarding anything that is not understood.

1. We should be seeking to grow c. **(2 Peter 3:18)**
2. Those seeking to be saved and continue in a faithful relationship with God must a. **(Luke 9:23)**
3. In order to grow spiritually we must first have a d. **(2 Peter 1:5-10)**
4. While diligently seeking spiritual growth, we must add to our faith, virtue, to virtue knowledge, and to knowledge c. **(2 Peter 1:5-10)**
5. Self-control then leads to a. **(2 Peter 1:5-10)**
6. Spiritual growth cannot occur without hearing, understanding, and studying the word of God and His doctrine. **(2 Peter 1:5-10; Romans 10:17; 1 Timothy 4:13; 2 Timothy 3:16-17) T**
7. Teaching and instructing others in sound doctrine only benefits the listener. **(1 Timothy 4:6; 1 Timothy 4:16) F**
8. One can abide in the doctrine of men, as long as it makes sense, and they will still have God. **(2 John 9; Ephesians 4:14-15; Hebrews 13:9) F**
9. Christ did not come to earth to work. **(John 4:34; John 9:4) F**
10. We work and labor for the Lord by teaching the gospel to others and by helping others who are in need. **(1 Corinthians 15:58; 2 Timothy 4:2; Galatians 6:10) T**
11. Christ will still accept one who does not abide in His doctrine, as long as they were good, and helped others. **(Matthew 7:21-23) F**
12. Once saved, one will still sin while striving to obey Christ; however, one can never fail becoming saved by being baptized into Christ for the remission of sins. **(Hebrews 5:9; John 3:18; James 2:19-20, 24; Revelation 3:19; Matthew 10:32; Mark 16:16; Acts 8:36-38) T**
13. Once one submits to Christ and is saved from their sins through baptism, they will be forgiven of their sins as they seek forgiveness for them as long as they are walking in the light doing all they can to obey Christ. **(1 Peter 3:21; Romans 6:3-6; 1 John 1:7; 1 John 1:9) T**
14. Without being baptized, one can still be forgiven of their sins because the blood of Christ is not accessed through being baptized into Christ. **(1 Peter 3:21; Romans 6:3-6; 1 John 1:7; 1 John 1:9) F**
15. Even though we are seeking to worship God (the author of the Bible), we do not have to worship Him the way He commands us to worship Him and can play pianos if we want, clap our hands if we want, and play video games if we want; it really doesn't matter- it is up to us; and if we don't feel like assembling with the church of Christ and worshipping God in spirit and in truth, that's ok too because He really doesn't specify it being necessary. **(John 4:23-24; Hebrews 10:24-25) F**
16. Some will teach falsely because they are untaught and unstable and twist the scriptures whereas others will unknowingly and blindly lead others into destruction; however, if the blind lead the blind both will fall into a ditch. **(2 Peter 3:16; Matthew 15:14)**
17. God has supplied us with the doctrine of Christ and with all answers we need pertaining to faith; therefore, since we know that some will teach falsely we need to beware lest we also fall from our own steadfastness and be sure to search the scriptures to find whether or not what is being taught and practiced is true. **(2 Peter 3:17-18; Acts 17:11)**
18. Convince, rebuke, exhort, with all longsuffering and teaching. Be ready to preach the word in season and out of season. **(2 Timothy 4:2)**
19. When asked by others why we follow the doctrine of Christ and have hope, we must be ready to give a defense. **(1 Peter 3:15)**
20. There is no temptation that we cannot overcome because God is faithful and will not allow us to be tempted beyond what we are able and just as Christ quoted scripture in order to answer Satan's temptations; we have the Bible available to answer ours. **(1 Corinthians 10:13; Matthew 4:8-10)**
21. Christ said to Satan, away with you, for it is written ... and then He quoted scripture answering the temptation put before Him. **(Matthew 4:8-10)**
22. Through a lifestyle committed to Christ we can bring every thought into captivity through obedience to His word. **(2 Corinthians 10:4-5)**
23. While alive, we will never reach a finish line in our spiritual walk with Christ, but we are to grow in the grace and knowledge of Him. **(2 Peter 3:18)**
24. The more we study, the more realize we don't know. We can never and will never know everything. As a matter of fact it is through the word and God that we even have knowledge, for if we think that we know something, we know nothing yet as we ought to know. **(1 Corinthians 8:2)**
25. Genuine study is so important; however, we must be doers of the word, not hearers only or else we deceive ourselves. **(James 1:22)**