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## *Growing Into Christ*

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Ephesians 4:12b

# We're Built Up, Not Just Gathered



12 to equip the saints for  
the work of ministry, **to**  
**build up the body of Christ,**









21 In him the whole building, being put together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord.

22 In him **you are also  
being built together for  
God's dwelling in the Spirit.**

Ephesians 4:13

# The Goal Is a Measuring Stick Named Jesus

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28 We proclaim him,  
warning and teaching  
everyone with all wisdom,  
**so that we may present  
everyone mature in Christ.**

18 But **grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.** To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity.

Ephesians 4:13

# Growth Happens Together or Not At All



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24 And let us **consider**  
**one another** in order to  
**provoke love and good**  
**works,**

## EPHESIANS 4:16

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16 From him the whole body, fitted and knit together by every supporting ligament, promotes the growth of the body for building itself up in love by the proper working of \_\_\_\_\_ part.

16 From him the whole body, fitted and knit together by every supporting ligament, promotes the growth of the body for building itself up in love by the proper working of each individual part.



# As We Close

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6 I am sure of this, that he who started a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

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