



Northwest Bible Church  
 Message Notes: Pastor Ken Harrell  
 Morning Worship Service  
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**“The Mission: BUILD” Part 4**  
**Body Building**  
**Ephesians 4:11-16**

*“We don’t hear much about spiritual growth these days. Many Christians in our society have been diverted by various teachings that promise power, spiritual energy, and success without the process of growth into spiritual maturity. They look for dramatic experiences, climactic turning points, instant solutions to their spiritual problems, but real, lasting victory doesn’t come through those means. God’s design is that we be seasoned to maturity through a continual process of growth.*

*The contemporary church’s de-emphasis of spiritual growth has reaped a bitter harvest. Millions of professing Christians suffer from arrested development. Churches are filled with people who are spiritually immature, undiscerning, weak and fragile. Spiritual underdevelopment is the rule, no longer the exception.”*

*Dr. John MacArthur*

**Introductory Statements**

1. Building our faith is not \_\_\_\_\_ . . . it is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Heb.6:1

2. Building our faith is not \_\_\_\_\_ . . . it is \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Building our faith is \_\_\_\_\_ by God. 1Pet.2:2; 2Pet.3:18

*“WIN people to faith in Jesus Christ; **BUILD** them up in their faith; then **SEND** them out to be ‘winners and builders’ in their spheres of influence.”*

1. The \_\_\_\_\_
- A. Even though we have been made \_\_\_\_\_, we must be \_\_\_\_\_ v.12a
- B. Even though we are part of the \_\_\_\_\_, we must be \_\_\_\_\_ v.12c
- C. Even though we have become \_\_\_\_\_ of God, we must grow out of \_\_\_\_\_ v.14,15
- (1) Children are easily \_\_\_\_\_.
- (2) Children are easily \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_
- A. To be completely \_\_\_\_\_ in “the \_\_\_\_\_”. v.13a
- B. To be fully \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_. v.13b
- C. To be totally \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ’s \_\_\_\_\_. v.13c
3. The \_\_\_\_\_

*This isn’t for a select few.*  
**EVERY** believer must be **BUILT!**

- A. “Till \_\_\_\_\_ come to the unity of the faith.” v.13a
- B. “From whom the \_\_\_\_\_ joined and knit together.” v.16a
- C. “...by what \_\_\_\_\_ supplies.” v.16b
- D. “...according to the effective working by which \_\_\_\_\_ does its share.” v.16c