



“As A Twig Is Bent, So The Tree Grows”

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I. Do I want to grow spiritually in 2022?

II. How do we do it? It’s not a theoretical question, because the wider Church is filled with so much...

III. What’s the problem, according to Pastor Peter Scazzero?

IV. So how do we begin to chip away at this problem?

- A. First, recognize it’s a _____ problem.

- B. Then recognize that the Church does not lack for discipleship _____.

- C. Where then are we falling short?

V. The “discipleship path” that we are working on at Bridgeway leads to three vistas, or peaks.

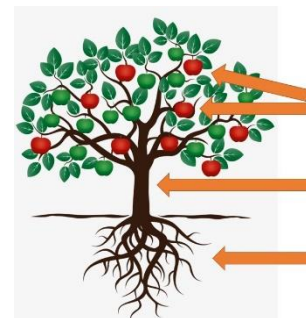
Philippians 1:9-11: “It is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.”

Colossians 1:9-10: “We have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God.”

The first vista/peak: _____.

The second vista/peak: _____.

The third vista/peak: _____.



The First Step: Study/Fill out the chart *3 Targets For Spiritual Maturity*