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A Sinkhole appeared this week...

Pastor Tullian Tchividjian

Pastor of
Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church

“He is the fourth
Florida megachurch pastor
to resign after having affairs.”

Ten Lessons from the Tullian Tchividjian Confession

- 1) Your theology matters.
- 2) Be ready when Tragedy strikes.
- 4) The celebrity culture in the Church is dangerous.
- 5) Get to know your pastor.
- 7) Anyone can fall.
- 8) Jesus saves sinners.
- 9) Pray for your pastor.
- 10) Pray for your pastor's wife.

**BEWARE OF
THE
SINKHOLE
SYNDROME!**

Growing in Christ is NOT...

- Just looking good outwardly!
- Keeping someone's list of rules of dos and don'ts
- Outward success by the world's standards!
- "Spiritual position" or office!
- Respect by others!

**“...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.
Amen.”**

II Peter 3:18

GROWING IN CHRIST

The Biblical Importance of Growing

The Biblical Foundation for Growing

Salvation by grace through faith!

The Dangers of Not Growing

GROWING IN CHRIST: The Goal!

(A Biblical Survey.....)

- John 15:16
- Romans 7:4
- Romans 8:28-29
- II Corinthians 3:18
- Galatians 5:22-23

GROWING IN CHRIST: The Goal!

(A Biblical Survey.....)

- Ephesians 2:8-10
- I Timothy 1:5
- II Timothy 3:16-17

So Growing in Christ does NOT mean...

- You have to look, talk, and act like Dave!
- You just have to do more and more stuff!

Growing in Christ means...

We are to grow in Christ-likeness,
being conformed to His character,
bearing fruit and
growing in good works



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