

SPIRITUAL REVELATION PHASES

“...grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord...” 2 Pet. 3:18
 Spiritual growth is not attained but comes by revelation.

God’s pattern is always threefold

Creative pattern: thought - word - action

Creative cycle: Caterpillar - Chrysalis - Butterfly

God revealed as: Father - Son - Holy Spirit

His appearing: Passover - Pentecost - Tabernacles

Life stages 1 Jn 2:12-14	Child	Son	Father
Character development	Dependent	Overcomer	Partner
Knowledge of God	Knows the Father (1 Jn 2:13)	Knows the Word (Jesus) (1 Jn.2:14)	Knows the Eternal - Spirit (1 Jn 2:13,14)
Life Perspective Rom 8:28;Gen. 50:20	Negative - sees the problem	Inner seeing - sees God in all	Positive - sees the good
Knowing	Outwardly	Inwardly	Fully
John 7:38	Comes to Jesus	Drinking	Flowing Out
Christ	For us	In us	Through us
United with Christ in (Gal 2:20)	Crucifixion “I have been”	Resurrection “Christ lives in me”	Ascension “Live by faith”
Spiritual level	New Birth	One/Union	Witness
The Cross	Come to	Take up	Bear with others
Gal. 4:1-7	Under bondage	Adopted as Sons	Owners of all
Eph. 4:14-16	Tossed to and fro	Speak the truth	Growing the body
Hebrews	Saved (ch 3)	Heir (ch 4)	Co-Priest (Ch 11)
Faith (Heb. 11:1)	Thought - Intent	Word - evidence	Action - Manifestation
Mark 11.22-24	Faith in (of)God	Says to the Mountain	Mountain mover
Jn. 15.7	Believes (abides) in Christ	Words (Christ) abides in him	Bears Fruit
Lk. 11:9	Asks	Believes he has it	It is opened
Paul	Damascus	Arabia	Antioch
Jesus in Galatians	Revealed in us (1:16)	Formed in us (4:19)	Free through us (5:1)
Rom. 8:29	Pro-Determined	Identity	Brothers
The Gospel (Paul’s) Romans	Justified (Ch 3-5)	Sanctified (Ch 6-7)	Glorified (Ch 8-15)

Discipleship level	Follower	Companion	Remaining
Discipleship skill	Observer	Apprentice	Apostle
Sin	Forgiven	Overcome	Set Creation free
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