

# Add To Your Faith

## “Knowledge”

Reading—[2 Peter 1:5](#)

**A. “The Mind is a terrible thing to waste.”**

**B. This knowledge is not:**

1. Knowing the gospel, Jesus, God
2. [2 Thessalonians 1:7-9](#)
3. [John 6:45](#)
4. [Hebrews 8:11](#)

**C. There are some things we already know**

1. Unless you need to be taught again—[Hebrews 5:12-14](#)
2. Some things are the basis of our faith—[Mark 16:16](#)
3. Some things afterward—[Colossians 1:9-10](#)

## #1 Knowledge makes us free

**A. Through Truth**

1. [John 8:32](#)—makes us free
2. [John 6:44-45](#)—Brings us to God
3. [2 Peter 2:20](#)—From the pollution of the world

**B. Ignorance destroys**

1. [Acts 17:30](#)—“Truly, these times of ignorance God overlooked,...
2. [Ephesians 4:17-24](#) (Read)

## #2 Knowledge Keeps us free

**A. Increasing our spiritual strength**

1. [Proverbs 24:5](#)—a man of knowledge increases strength;
2. [Hebrews 5:12-14](#) (Read)

**B. Giving us understanding**

1. [2 Peter 1:7](#)—so we won’t be shortsighted, blind, and forgetful
2. [Acts 3:17](#)—Ignorance is was Crucified Jesus

**C. From Sin**

1. Some people even Christians don’t know what sin does to us.
2. [Romans 6:7](#)—For he who has died has been freed from sin.
3. [Romans 8:2](#)—For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the law of sin and death.

## #3 Knowledge Helps us free others

**A. Saved to Save**

1. This is what [Hebrews 5:12-14](#) describes
2. “When you ought to be teaching others, you need to be taught again.
3. Are we preparing ourselves to save others?
4. You can know enough to be saved, but you keep learning and keeping growing in knowledge to save others!

**B. Discipled to Disciple**

1. [Matthew 28:18-20](#)
2. Make disciples and teach them to make disciples in a way that their disciples will make disciples
3. What was Jesus’ Mission? [Luke 19:10](#)—seek and to save the lost
4. What is OUR mission?
  - a. It may have been pleasure, but now it is salvation!
  - b. It may have been treasure, but now it is a home in heaven
  - c. It may have been power, but now it is service
  - d. [1 Corinthians 9:19-22](#)—For though I am free from all men. I have made myself a servant to all, that I might win the more. To the Jews I became as a Jew, that I might win Jews. To those who are under the law, as under the law, that I might win those who are under the law. To those who are without law, as without law (not being without law toward God, but under law toward Christ), that I might win those who are without law. To the weak I became as weak, that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all men, that I might by all means save some.