

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUP I

**Text: Hebrews 5:11-14**

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### **DEEP LAMENT OVER LITTLE OR NO GROWTH**

1. Initial Faith
2. Years later... little or no significant faith

### **PROBLEMS THAT SURFACE UP**

1. Dull of hearing          Hebrews 5:11
  - a) Sluggishness
  - b) Hard of hearing
  - c) Dullness in comprehending difficult concepts
2. Stagnation              Hebrews 5:12
  - a) No progress towards becoming teachers
  - b) Still need to be taught basics
  - c) Still in need of milk and not solid food
3. Unskilled                Hebrews 5:13
  - a) In the Word of righteousness
  - b) Still a spiritual infant

### **SPIRITUAL MATURITY**

1. Full age (Maturity)
2. Able to partake of solid food
  - a) More than basic doctrines
  - b) Deeper doctrines
3. Senses are exercised (trained)
  - a) The idea of aesthetic senses
  - b) More than basics
  - c) Practice is needed

4. By reasons of use

a) Good

b) Bad

**BIBLE MEMORY VERSE**

Hebrews 5:14

But solid food belongs to those who are of full age, that is, those who by reason of use, have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.