



# **SPIRITUAL** LEADERSHIP TRAINING







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d. We defer on **Preferences** that will cause a growing believer to stumble.



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c. A testimony is easier to keep than to get back .



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**b. *If everyone in the church we just like you, what would our church be like?***



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**f. Resolve to go all in for Christianity! Matthew 6:33/  
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