



LAW 9 — MEETING 9

The Law of The Ladder

*Character Growth Determine The Height
Of Your Personal Growth*

I. _____:

A. What does John mean, “Ambition without guidance?”

II. To Be A Success, _____

III. The Value Of _____

IV. Rungs On The Character Ladder

A. I will focus on being better on the inside than the outside –

B. I will follow the Golden Rule – _____

1. “With one insignificant exception, the world is made up of others.”
2. Whether you like people or not, they already know.

C. I will only teach what I believe – _____

1. Borrowed beliefs are not owned beliefs.
2. We must be about the discipline of developing our own core beliefs, then passionately teaching them...people can tell the difference.

THE 15 INVALUABLE LAWS OF GROWTH



D. I will value humility above all virtues – _____

1. While many people don't plan to mess up, even more don't plan not to.
2. Having a "beginner's mindset" keeps one pliable and moldable to new truths.

E. I will strive to finish well – _____

1. In life, one can never "stop" – they either "finish, or keep going".
2. Our character is being developed until we are finished.

V. The Stronger Your Character, The Greater Your Growth Potential

OVERCOME GROWING PAINS

(Specific Steps to Amazing Growth)

- **Assess where you have placed most of your growth energy up until now in your life: Has it been on the inside, or the outside?**
- **How much time do you spend the things of the outside and how much time on the inside?**
- **Schedule specific time for developing the inside – humility, character, seeking others first and family importance.**
- **Discuss this idea: “There are many decisions one must make before they have to, or they will make the wrong one.”**
- **Explore this truth: “Emergencies don’t develop character, they revel it.”**

Read the next chapter this week – *The Law of The Rubber Band*