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Talk Together:

1. Based on the verse, in what areas of Jesus' life did he increase?
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Conviction:

Because I want to be who God wants me to be and do what He wants me to do, I will make it my goal to grow in wisdom, in my physical well-being, in my relationship with Him, and other people.

Application:

What steps will you personally take so you can grow in these four areas?

Pray Together:

Heavenly Father, thank you because we know that you want for us a balanced growth mentally, physically, and relationally. Help us to pursue things that will bring us closer to this goal. In Jesus' Name we pray, Amen.



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