

Jesus, You, And The Learning Curve

Mark 6:30-52

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→ Have you ever faced a learning curve?

1. The disciples' learning curve included TWO HUGE MIRACLES—

Two eye opening surprises/unexpected experiences

2. The disciples' learning curve included LESSONS TO BE LEARNED

Q/A: What lessons do you think they could have/should have learned from the
FEEDING OF THE 5,000?

Q/A: What lessons do you think they could have/should have learned from the
WALKING ON THE SEA?

3. The disciples' learning curve included FAILURE

-“they had not GAINED INSIGHT from the incident of the loaves
but their heart was hardened”

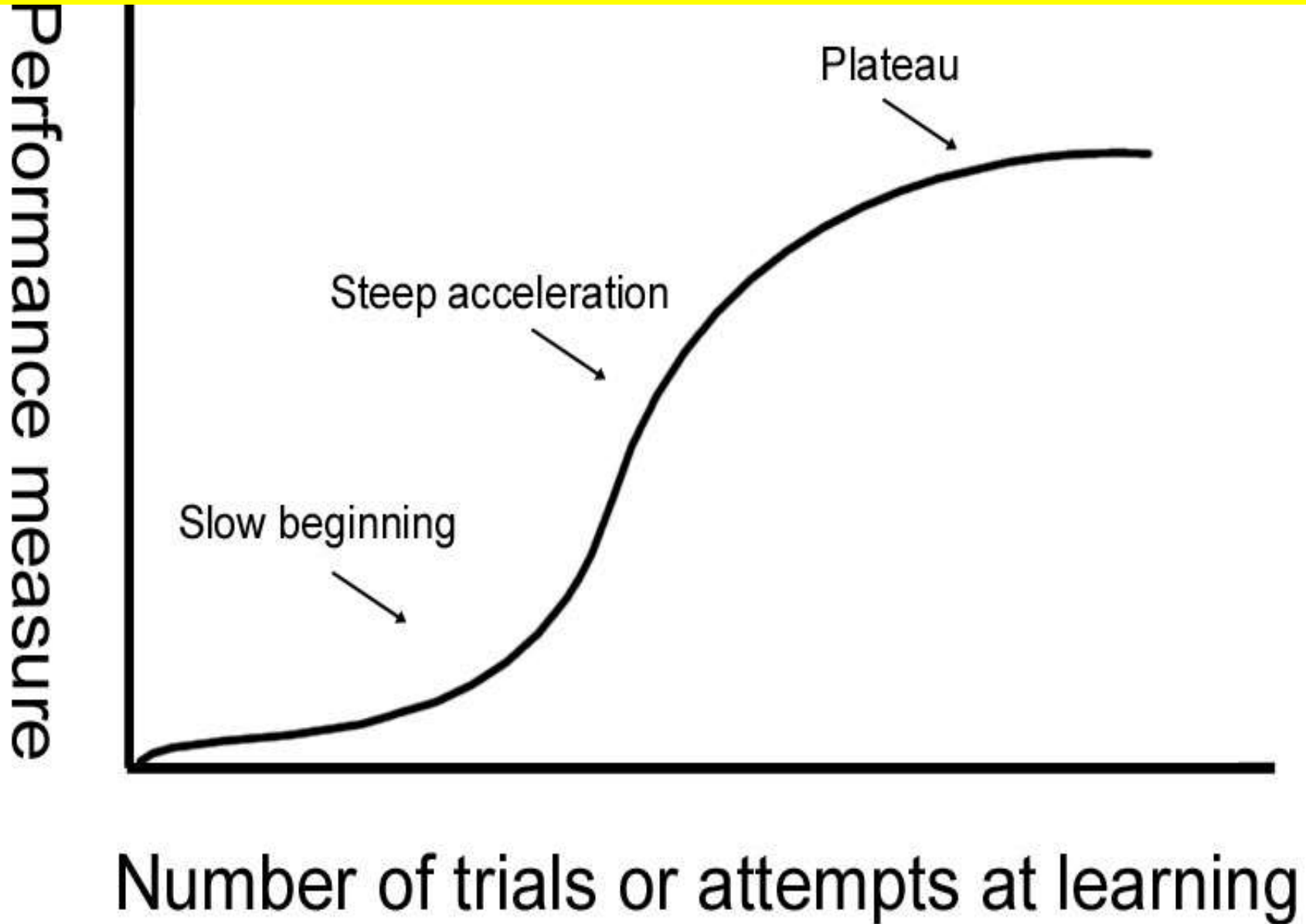
SO WHAT? NOW WHAT? TAKING IT HOME!!

1. The causes of hardness of heart

2. The cure for hardness of heart

→ What does Jesus want you to do today/this week as you grow on the learning curve?

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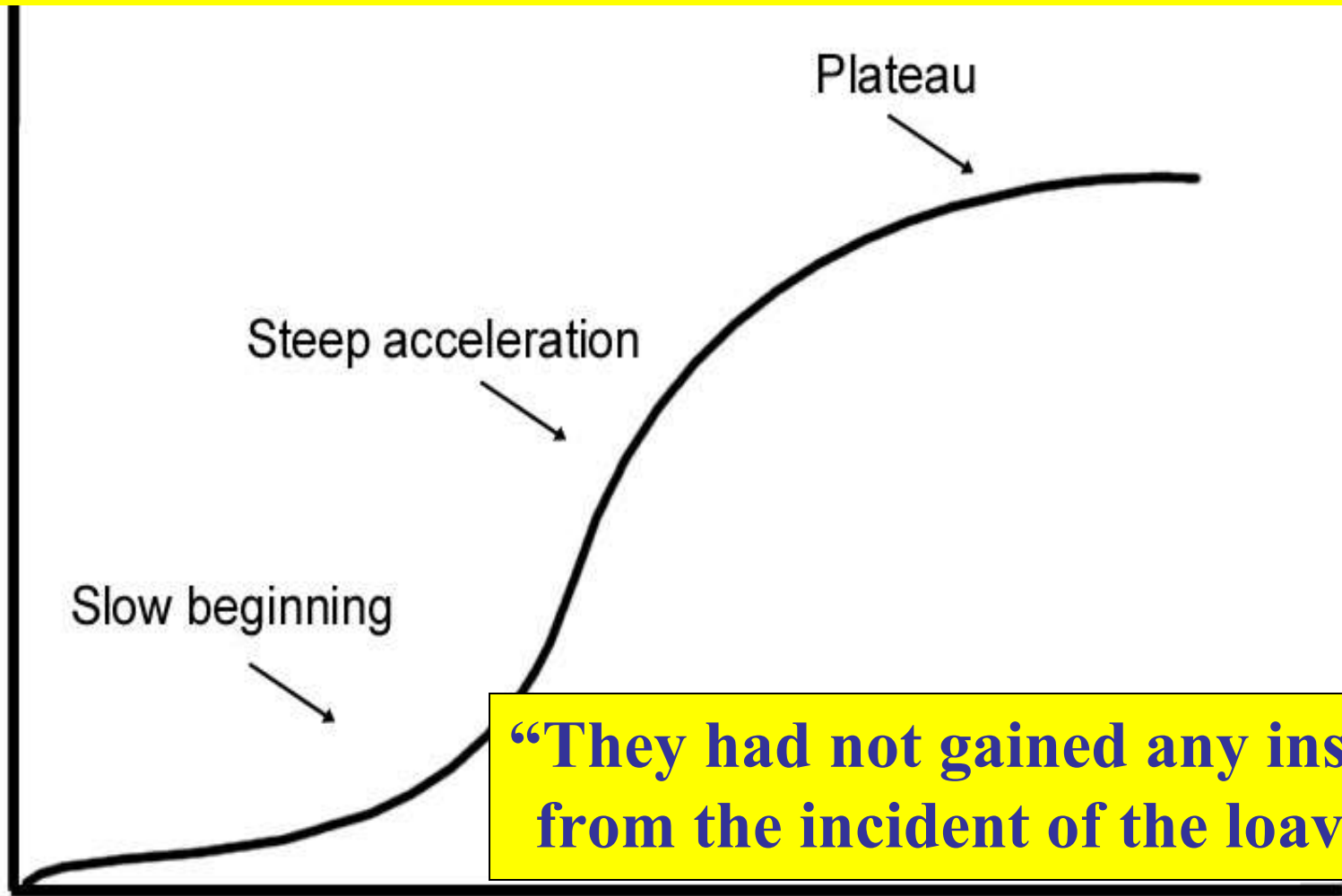






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Performance measure



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- one word: **PRIDE**

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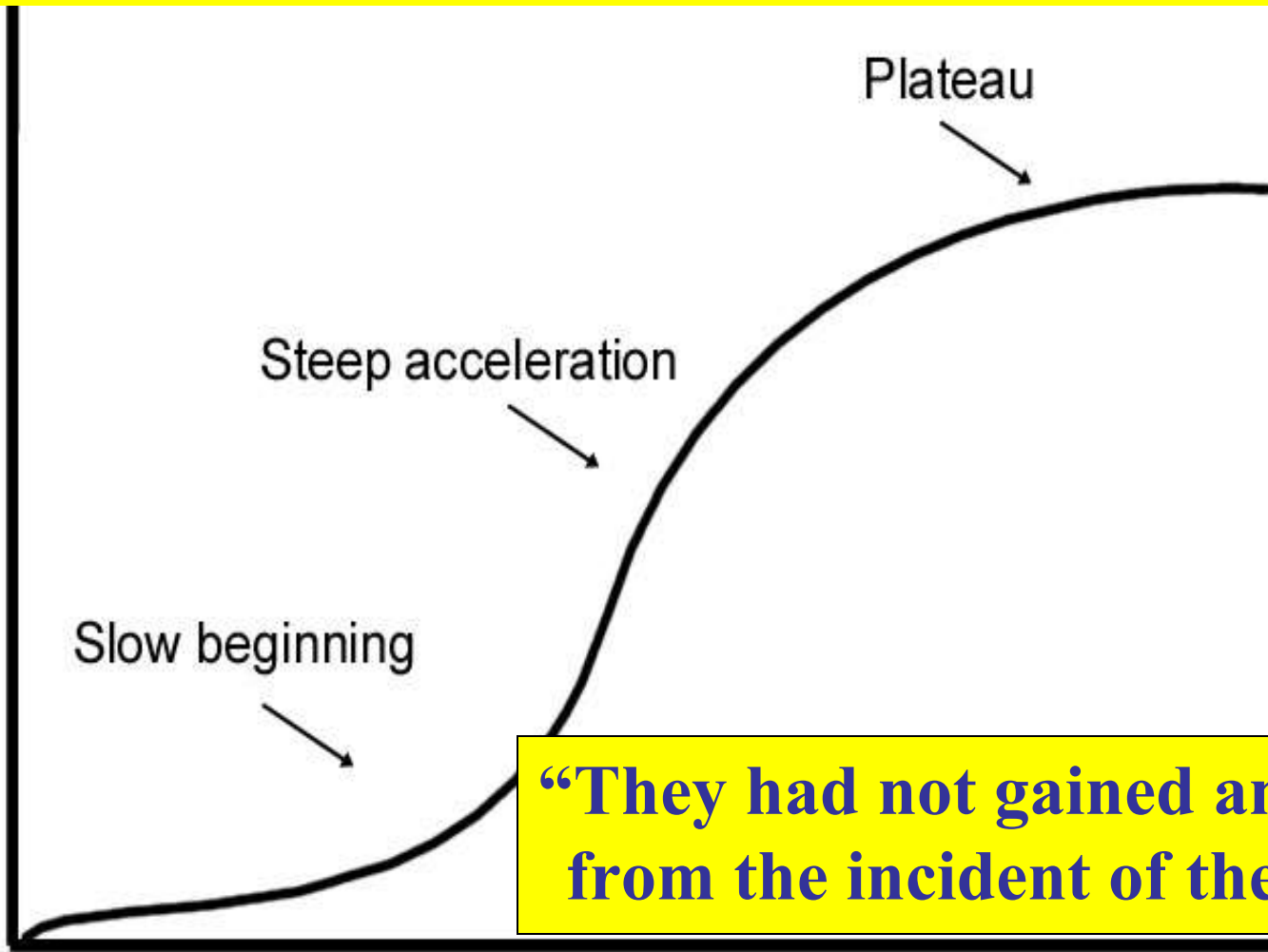
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- 1. GUARD your heart**
 - 2. PAY ATTENTION to what God is doing**
 - 3. WORK at putting the pieces together**
- Pray: talk to the Lord**
 - Dialogue: talk with others**
 - Read: keep focused in God's word**

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