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Today is our last day living in Indy

My husband & I have been mentored by our best friends for 2 years [@zachhomol](#)
[@AshleyHomol](#)

They changed my life - and I want to share a bit of their advice with you

Here are 10 Lessons I Learned from the Homol's ■■



1. Give Generously

Your first thought might be money, but for us it was opportunity

The times they offered to let us watch their home

The 100+ hours spent together at Eagle Creek

The unconditional open communication where honesty was the standard

This was their greatest gift

2. Create a Base Camp

If you've ever been inside the Homol house, there is no better word to describe it than "home"

You are always taken care of, offered a meal, invested in, & loved on

That feeling of comfort is a direct reflection of @AshleyHomol's intention into her home

3. Boundaries

It's up to you to determine the trajectory of your relationships

Know your boundaries & be firm on them

You're not doing anyone any favors by skipping hard conversations

It will come back up in the future much messier than before

Have the conversation

4. My Worth in Christ

They came into my life at a time where they saw my value before I did

Every Sunday there was a spot for me next to them at church

Ashley showed me how to be a woman of God, a wife, and a friend

This is the most important lesson of them all @AshleyHomol

5. Friendships

As you enter into adulthood, your friendships should as well

Honesty, space, & growth are the standard

If a relationship doesn't grow you emotionally / spiritually

Then they no longer deserve to speak into your life

6. Speak Truth

MANY times they have had to tell me something I didn't want to hear

But if they had just kept quiet, what kind of friends would they be?

I'm the woman I am because of the times they had to correct my course

Even if they don't listen, speak truth

7. Take Ownership

When you mess up, take accountability for your actions

You're no longer a child

The time for "it wasn't my fault" is long gone

Screw up in a friendship? Own up to your part

Not seeing results? It's your responsibility!

Take ownership!

8. Work Harder

Anyone who knows of Zach knows his work ethic

Your apathetic attitude is killing you FAST

I went from an event assistant to running a wedding venue

To now starting my own business

If I remained comfortable, I'd still work at the front desk

Work harder!

9. Say No

People pleasing gets you in bad situations

It's okay to say "that doesn't work for me"

It's okay to remove yourself from a situation

It's okay to end a relationship

By saying yes, you're only doing yourself & the other person a disservice in the end

10. Loyalty

Be loyal to your spouse & your friends

When someone messes with your people = ■■■👊

This doesn't mean you have to have some big falling out

But it does mean you know where to place that person going forward

Every person I've met on Twitter, every opportunity, every friend, it's all because of @zachhomol

This is a community of people that he brought together

People to come to IVB & to Indy for a few days / a week

I got 3 years - connected to the source

What an incredible gift

Zach & Ashley have given me an unbelievable life

I wasn't deserving of the opportunity, but they gave it anyway

As I move out from under their wing, I am confident in the woman I am

And I am closer to Jesus because of them

Thank you, my dearest friends, for everything ❤️■