


 **Maturity 101**



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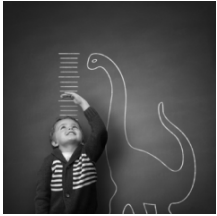
 **Appreciation**

- Ask Jesus To Remind You Of Something You Can Appreciate
- Talk With Him About What Comes To Mind
- Pay Attention To How Your Body Feels As Focus On Appreciation
- Give It A Name (2-3 words)
- Introduce Yourself & Share Your Appreciation With Someone



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- Foundational Principles
  - Maturity & Value Are Not The Same
  - Maturity Is Often Like Swiss Cheese
  - Each Stage Of Maturity Has Both Needs And Tasks.
  - We Can Ask The Father To Provide The Needs We Have Missed.
  - We Can Grow Our Maturity By Learning The Tasks We Have Missed.
  - We Must Start Where We Are, Not Where We Want To Pretend To Be





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  - Peer review from other fathers or mothers
  - A secure and orderly environment



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  - Synchronizing with the developing needs of: Children, Spouse, family, work, & church



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- Results Of Unmet Parent Needs And Unaccomplished Tasks
  - Family members are at risk, are deprived and feel worthless or unimportant
  - Children have to take care of parents, which is impossible, and often leads to child abuse/neglect and/or “parentified” children— which actually blocks their maturity.
  - Children are vulnerable to peer pressure, to cults, to any misfortune, and are less likely to succeed in life’s goals. Parents get overwhelmed without extended family support.
  - Hopeless, depressed, disintegrating family units develop.

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### Immanuel’s Perspective

- Appreciation
- Interaction
- Sense Of Presence
- What Is Your Heart Towards Me Concerning My Maturity?
- Appreciation




The Immanuel Process

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Next Week

Elder-Level Maturity

