

## THE MARK OF MATURITY

We may not be able to appreciate it. Discovering what it is will be a disappointment to some. There are some things only the mature can appreciate. What would be a reward to a spiritual man would mean nothing to a carnal Christian.

We expected something unheard of, something sensational, a mighty gift or power, etc., but it is simply knowing Christ.

As a child I couldn't understand why my parents could enjoy just sitting around talking. My most common complaint: "There's nothing to do." I couldn't understand why Mom and Dad didn't want to play guns or games...

You say of your child, "I wish he would be more serious, take an interest in more serious things." Give him time. He'll grow out of it. His interests will change. From I can't stand girls to I can't stand not being with them.