WHAT JESUS SAID ABOUT MATURITY

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MATURITY MARKS

How are you maturing as a disciple of Jesus?

These 8 attributes are represented in Jesus' teaching, lifestyle and ministry. They are specific areas of your life to mature in as you are discipled, in order to become a thriving disciple who makes more disciples. Honestly rate yourself in each of these attributes and then revisit them after the 'He Said' series to see where Jesus is maturing

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Obeying – I currently have a lifestyle of quick and bold obedience to the Holy Spirit as He leads me through God's

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encouragement, and Forgiving – I currently have a lifestyle of ongoing forgiveness toward others in order to stay free from bondage.

Serving – I currently have a lifestyle of developing and practicing spiritual gifts to serve the church, the community,

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Demonstrating – I currently have a lifestyle of demonstrating the Kingdom of God evidenced by compassion, faith,

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Sharing – I currently have a lifestyle of personal witnessing by sharing the gospel with others in my everyday life.

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Giving – I currently have a lifestyle of generosity through tithing and giving above and beyond to help build God's

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Final Thoughts:

What is one area you sense the Lord leading you to develop during the next month?

What are you going to do about it?

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JESTYLE OF OBEDIENCE

John 5:19

So Jesus explained, "I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself. He does only what he sees the Father doing. Whatever the Father does, the Son also does.



John 12:49-50

I don't speak on my own authority. The Father who sent me has commanded me what to say and how to say it. 50 And I know his commands lead to eternal life; so I say whatever the Father tells me to say."



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John 14:15-16,21

"If you love me, obey my commandments. 16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. . . . 21 Those who accept my commandments and obey them are the ones who love me. And because they love me, my Father will love them. And I will love them and reveal myself to each of them." "HE SAID"

Jesus replied, "All who love me will do what I say. My Father will love them, and we will come and make our home with each of them. 24 Anyone who doesn't love me will not obey me. And remember, my words are not my own. What I am telling you is from the Father who sent me. "HE SAID,

Remaining in Christ 6 0 is the primary responsibility of a meturing disciple.

John 15:4

4 Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine.

Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.



Our OBEDIENCE isn't to EARN God's love.

Our OBEDIENCE is a RESPONSE to God's love.

John 15:9-10

I have loved you even as the Father has loved me.

Remain in my love. 10 When you obey my
commandments, you remain in my love, just as I
obey my Father's commandments and remain in his
love.



24 "Anyone who listens to my teaching and follows it is wise, like a person who builds a house on solid rock. 25 Though the rain comes in torrents and the floodwaters rise and the winds beat against that house, it won't collapse because it is built on bedrock. 66HESAID,9

Matthew 7:24-27

26 But anyone who hears my teaching and doesn't obey it is foolish, like a person who builds a house on sand. 27 When the rains and floods come and the winds beat against that house, it will collapse with a mighty crash."









James 1:22-25

22 But don't just listen to God's word. You must do what it says. Otherwise, you are only fooling yourselves. 23 For if you listen to the word and don't obey, it is like glancing at your face in a mirror.



James 1:22-25

24 You see yourself, walk away, and forget what you look like. 25 But if you look carefully into the perfect law that sets you free, and if you do what it says and don't forget what you heard, then God will bless you for doing it.



QUESTIONS TO MATURE IN 'OBEYING'

How did I obey the How did I apply leading of the Holy God's word Spirit today? today?

What did I do that required a step of faith today?

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