Real Mature

Part 1: Grow Up

READ: Philippians 1:1-11

Step 1: *underline nouns*
Step 2: *double underline verbs*
Step 3: *circle descriptive words*

Step 4: *List some key words:*

Snapshot: Philippians is a letter written by the Apostle Paul around A.D. 53-59. Paul is writing to Christians in Philippi about spiritual growth and having joy in the face of suffering.

UNDERSTAND: *What are the main points of this passage?*

APPLY & SHARE: *What do I need to do and who needs to know?*

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Discussion Guide

READ-UNDERSTAND:

Philippians 1:1-6

- What does it mean to have "partnership in the gospel?"
- How do we know if God has began a good work in us?

Philippians 1:7-8

- How does Paul's view of circumstances differ from ours?
- How can we care for each other the way Paul cared for the Philippians?

Philippians 1:9-11

- How does love lead to more knowledge and discernment?
- How good are we at "discerning what is best?" What can we do to get better?
- What does it look like to be "filled with the fruit of righteousness?"

APPLY-SHARE: *What should I do now and who else needs to hear it?*

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