

The Preschooler
(Chapter 5, The Faithful Parent)

Little people full of potential! (Ages 3 – 5)

Teach me while my heart is tender
Tell me all that I should know
And even through the years I will remember
No matter where I go
- Judy Rogers

Q. How is this age (time) uniquely significant for you and your child?

I. "Gracious 1st Time Obedience" (p. 74)

- Having caught the _____ of obedience.
- Obedience sets the stage for _____ and _____.

II. "Growing and Learning at a Rapid Rate" (pp. 74 - 80)

- This is a key time of _____.

Learning: _____

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To see God at _____ in their _____

- Grab hold of every opportunity to _____ (without making it formal or boring).
 - Passing an accident on the highway.
 - Rain cancels a trip to the park.
 - Where babies come from.
 - "Why" questions.

III. Reminders

"...We teach our children these things so they can learn about God and have a proper worldview and see our joy in the Lord, not because we think they are already or automatically Christians." (p. 78)

- 1) Springboards and _____ planters. (pp. 79 & 80)
- 2) Family that _____ together, stays together.
- 3) You will never _____ your child too much.
- 4) Often the most valuable gift to your child is your _____.
- 5) Let your preschooler enjoy life's _____. (p.81)
- 6) Your child loves _____. (Braggy kids of Babylon)
- 7) Bedtime can be a _____ for you and your child.