

# THE STEWARDSHIP PAPERS

## Understanding Father – Part I

OR

## A Piece of the Puzzle

“When I was ten years old, I knew  
my father knew everything.

Then, when I was fifteen, I began to suspect  
That he didn't know everything.

When I was sixteen, I figured  
My father didn't know anything.

But by the age of twenty, I realized  
He knew at least as much as I did.

And by twenty-one, it dawned on me  
That my father knew more than I did.

(It's amazing how much my father learned  
in five short years!)”

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Anonymous.

(See the next Stewardship Paper, entitled

“Understanding Father – Part II...OR...Putting the Pieces Together.”)

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