

The Value of Friendship

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The very best investment you will ever make in life will not be a financial one, but rather the investment made in relationships.

4 characteristics of a Real Friend

1. A real friend helps you when you're down.
2. A real friend is someone who provides emotional or physical warmth in a cold, cruel world.
3. A real friend is someone who will fight to protect you or your reputation.
4. A real friend is committed to helping you grow spiritually.

Luke 5:20

When Jesus saw their faith, he said, "Friend, your sins are forgiven."

Luke 21:33

"heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away."

Discussion Questions:

1. What does being a Real Friend mean to you?
2. How would you rate yourself as a friend?
3. Share a situation where you might have been able to be a better friend?
4. Share an example of when you've been a great friend.
5. How can we pray for each other?

