

WHAT A FRIEND

1 Samuel 18: 1-5

Scriptures

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1Sa 18:4 And Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.

True friendship is not based on Status

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A true friend will try to protect you no matter the cost

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A true friend will enable and build you up

1Sa 18:4 And Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.

1Sa 18:5 And David went out whithersoever Saul sent him, and behaved himself wisely: and Saul set him over the men of war, and he was accepted in the sight of all the people, and also in the sight of Saul's servants.

Challenge for the week:

Be a Jonathan for someone else. Listen to them, protect their honor, and encourage them to continue to push forward in trusting God.

Have a great week!