

**FRIEND** *of a*  
**FRIEND**

NORMAL

**Shalom**

**Normal**

**Jesus was a normal human.**

**Jesus' friendship with sinners makes  
them normal again.**

**1. Friends help each other get to Jesus.**



**2. Friends are interruptible.**

**3. Friends care about what matters to the other person.**

**Is your Jesus interested in what you want?**

**Friends allow themselves to be interrupted, and they invite further interruption.**

**4. Friends help each other be normal.**

**35 Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to him. “Teacher,” they said, “we want you to do for us whatever we ask.”**

**36 “What do you want me to do for you?” he asked.**

**They replied, “Let one of us sit at your right and the other at your left in your glory.”**

**Mark 10:37**

**Friends help each other become more of  
who they truly are, not less.**