

Friendship Deeds, From A-Z

**A**sk Jesus About Friendship

**John 14:26**

***“But the Father will send the Friend in My name to help you. The Friend is the Holy Spirit. He will teach you all things. He will remind you of everything I have said to you.”***

How many times a day do you ask a question? And when you do, who do you ask? When you want the new, coolest toy, who do you ask to buy it for you? When you want permission to do something, who do you get the okay from? If the Math’s too difficult, who do you turn to for help?

Just as we turn to our parents or grandparents, aunts or uncles, teachers and leaders to answer these questions for us, we can look to God to show us how to live from day to day. When it comes to friendship, the Bible has something to say on the subject!

*What does the Bible say about friendship?*

*“A friend loves at all times. He is there to help when trouble comes.”*

Proverbs 17:17

*What kind of example does the Lord set for friendship?*

*“The Lord would speak to Moses face to face. It was like a man speaking to His friend.”*

Exodus 33:11

*“No one has greater love than the One who gives His life for His friends.”*

John 15:13

*Discuss the following questions with your parent/s:*

- 1. Who is the Holy Spirit? How is the Holy Spirit my friend?**
- 2. Why is it important to be a good friend?**
- 3. In the verses above, what actions do we see discussed about friendship?**
- 4. Pray and ask God to help you be a good friend and choose good friends.**

*We’ll get to the letter “B” next time. Here’s a clue: It has something to do with BE-ing you!*