



# BE A FRIEND

I Samuel 13:2; 20

# A FRIEND FULFILLS A UNIQUE NEED IN YOUR LIFE.

- © *I grieve for you, Jonathan my brother; you were very dear to me. Your love for me was wonderful, more wonderful than that of women.*  
2 Samuel 1:26
- © Open your life to friendship.

# A FRIEND CAN BE SECOND.

- © I Samuel 14:13, Jonathan is not the lesser man.
- © *Jonathan took off the robe he was wearing and gave it to David, along with his tunic, and even his sword, his bow and his belt. 1 Samuel 18:4*
- © A mark of genuine friendship is sacrifice.

# A FRIEND HAS AN EMOTIONAL CONNECTEDNESS.

© *After the boy had gone, David got up from the south side [of the stone] and bowed down before Jonathan three times, with his face to the ground. Then they kissed each other and wept together--but David wept the most.*

1 Samuel 20:41

© The emotional bond is both matured in a relationship and the byproduct of a friendship.

# A FRIEND SHARES IN THE ADVENTURE OF LIFE.

- ① *A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.* Proverbs 17:17
- ① John Eldredge's "Wild At Heart," teaches that men need an adventure to live.
- ① Friendships are born out of challenges faced together.

# A FRIENDSHIP IS SOLIDIFIED THROUGH GODLY AMBITIONS.

© *The Lord has sent you away,*  
I Samuel 20:22.





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