

Friendship

Flee youthful lusts: but follow righteousness,
faith, charity, peace, with them that call
on the Lord out of a pure heart.
II Timothy 2:22

Day One

Study the following verses and write down everything that the verses have to say about being a friend and making friends and keeping friends. Write down specifically where you are failing and plan how you will change. Use a separate piece of paper, if necessary, to help you in completing this study. When done with the study draw and write out on a 8½" x 12" separate piece of paper 3 columns and put each of the underlined subjects above on the top of each column. Put each Scripture or part of Scripture in the appropriate column.

Pray, write out the following verse, and answer any questions following the verse. In your own words tell what the verse states about either being a friend, making friends, keeping friends, also describe what changes you need to make in the space provided.

Read **Mark 10:28-30**

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Luke 16:9 _____

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Proverbs 25:8 _____

Proverbs 25:9-10 _____

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Proverbs 25:21-22

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Proverbs 11:12

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Proverbs 14:20

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Proverbs 14:21

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Proverbs 21:10

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Memory Verse: "Flee also youthful lusts: but pursue righteousness, faith, love, peace with those who call on the Lord out of a pure heart." **2nd Timothy 2:22** NKJV
Each day prayerfully review the Memory verse several times. If your Bible is a different version than the New King James Version, memorize according to your Bible.

Day Two

Pray, write out the following verse, and answer any questions following the verse. In your own words tell what the verse states about either being a friend, making friends, keeping friends, also describe what changes you need to make in the space provided.

Proverbs 3:27-28

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Proverbs 12:26

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Proverbs 19:6

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Proverbs 18:24

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Proverbs 22:11

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Proverbs 17:17 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 27:10 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 27:6 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 27:9 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 27:17 _____

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Memory Verse: Fill in the blanks from memory. " _____ also youthful lusts: _____ pursue righteousness, _____, love, peace with _____ who call on the _____ out of a pure heart." **2nd Timothy 2:22** NKJV

Day Three

Pray, write out the following verse, and answer any questions following the verse. In your own words tell what the verse states about either being a friend, making friends, keeping friends, also describe what changes you need to make in the space provided.

Proverbs 29:5 _____

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Proverbs 28:23 _____

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Proverbs 25:17 _____

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Proverbs 25:20 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 27:14 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 26:18-19 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 16:28-29 _____

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Proverbs 17:9 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 25:15 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 15:1 _____

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Memory Verse: Fill in the blanks from memory. " _____ also youthful _____ :
_____ pursue righteousness, _____, love, _____ with _____ who _____ on the
_____ out of a _____ heart." **2nd Timothy 2:22** NKJV

Day Four

Pray, write out the following verse, and answer any questions following the verse. In your own words tell what the verse states about either being a friend, making friends, keeping friends, also describe what changes you need to make in the space provided.

Read **1st Corinthians 9:19-23**

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Acts 20:35

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Read **Philippians 2:1-4**

How should you treat those around you? Give a specific example. _____

Read **Philippians 2:19-22**

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Read **Philippians 2:25-30**

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Read **Romans 12:9-21**

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What changes are you willing to make to fulfill the calling of **Romans 12:9-21**? _____

Romans 15:1-2

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Read **Romans 16:1-6**

Describe the friendships that are in **Romans 16:1-6** _____

John 15:13 _____

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Read **John 15:14-16**

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Philippians 4:8 _____

In light of the above verse, do your current friends that you spend much of your time with help you to think on that which is good? _____

Memory Verse: Fill in the blanks from memory. " _____ also _____ :
_____ pursue _____, _____, love, _____ with _____
on _____ out _____ a _____ heart." **2nd Timothy 2:22** NKJV

Day Five

Pray, write out the following verse, and answer any questions following the verse. In your own words tell what the verse states about either being a friend, making friends, keeping friends, also describe what changes you need to make in the space provided.

1st Peter 3:8-9 _____

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Read **2nd Timothy 1:14-16**

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Read **1st Corinthians 13:4-8**

Friendship _____

Proverbs 15:13 _____

Friendship _____

Proverbs 17:22 _____

Friendship _____

Memory Verse: Fill in the blanks from memory. " _____ also _____ :
_____, _____, love, _____
_____ out _____ heart." **2nd Timothy 2:22** NKJV

Day Six

Pray, write out the following verse, and answer any questions following the verse. In your own words tell what the verse states about either being a friend, making friends, keeping friends, also describe what changes you need to make in the space provided.

Hebrews 10:24-25 _____

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James 4:4 _____

Friendship _____

Read **2nd John 9-11**

Friendship _____

Amos 3:3 _____

Friendship _____

2nd Timothy 2:22 _____

Friendship _____

Read **2nd Corinthians 6:14-18**

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Are there friendships in your life that you need to change? Our friends can help us to grow in Jesus Christ or they can draw us away from Jesus Christ. You are the one who has the choice. Place that choice into the hands of God. Seek His council on who you have fellowship with. Be prepared, the Lord may call you to leave some friendships, and you may for a time find yourself without any friends. Be encouraged, as you seek first the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness all these things will be added unto you.

Matthew 6:33

Use the graphic below to examine specific situations that occur in your life to find Biblical answers to your situation. As you put God's Word into practice you can grow in having a Biblical Friendship. Use all the Scriptures and explanations above to help you discern where you are as a disciple.

Action	Unbiblical	Biblical	Scripture Used
Type of friend?	Proverbs 27b	Proverbs 27:6a	Psalms 15:1 - 3

Memory Verse: Fill in the blanks from memory. " _____
 _____ : _____ / _____ / _____ / _____
 _____ "

2nd Timothy 2:22 NKJV

Question: How, specifically, does this Bible study help you to overcome sin in your life? How does it help you to walk closer with Jesus Christ? Write out your answer on a separate piece of paper or write out your answer to the above question below:
