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The Club Verse

Colossians 3:16

“Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom; teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.”



The Sailor Salute

I pledge allegiance to the Lord Jesus Christ, Whose name I love and Whose praise I sing. As a faithful sailor in Patch the Pirate Club, I will do my best to serve my Savior and obey His Word.





Ahoy, Mateys!

Welcome aboard to more character-building fun!

First Timothy 4:7-8 teaches us to “exercise [ourselves] . . . unto godliness. For . . . godliness is profitable unto all things.”

Your Patch the Pirate Club lessons will help you learn godly character traits through daily *Quiet Time* devotions, Bible stories, Patch the Pirate adventure music, and *Willow Valley Kids* stories with beautiful illustrations.

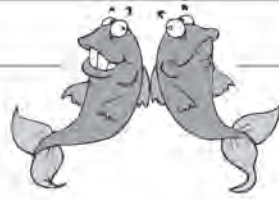
For much of my life, I’ve read a daily Proverbs chapter matching the day of the month. What a wonderful habit to have daily! I hope it’s something you will try to do. Reading the Bible every day has helped me far more than I could have ever imagined!

Join us each week as we study how a wise child builds his or her life on the Lord Jesus Christ. Throughout the year, we will also be reminded of the wonderful refuge and source of strength we have in Jesus Christ. Don’t miss the boat! See you in club!

Rejoicing in the Lord,

Patch the Pirate

Ron *Patch* Hamilton
Philippians 4:4



The Official Uniform



*Faithful Servant
award pin*



Award pin—Ship's Wheel



*Sailor's hat with
club logo badge*

*White Patch the Pirate
polo shirt*



Super Sailor award

Red sailor sash

*Black/navy slacks
(or skirt for girls)*



A Note to Parents

The sailors in Patch the Pirate Club meet every month for four consecutive weeks. At the end of the month they perform the song they have learned. A sailor must attend each of the weekly meetings *and* the performance and must complete the entire month of *My Quiet Time Devotions* to earn the award pin given at the end of each month.

If your child misses one meeting during the month, he may make up the absence by quoting the make-up memory verse to a club worker. If he misses more than one meeting and wishes to make up absences, the captain may (if he or she determines an absence to be legitimate) assign the child a make-up memory verse. The only way to make up incomplete *My Quiet Time Devotions* is to complete them and have them checked by the club captain or co-captain.

If a child is faithful in attendance and in completing his devotions for an entire year (and has thus earned all nine of his award pins), he is eligible to receive a *Faithful Servant Award* at the end of the club year.

A very special *Super Sailor of the Year Award* is given to one boy and one girl who have exhibited a consistent testimony and faithfulness throughout the club year.

The club captain will keep attendance records for your child. See the captain if you have questions concerning your child's award eligibility.

Note: The award pins are to be attached to the sailor hat in neat rows on either side of the logo badge. See the previous page for a complete illustration of the uniform and awards.



Daily Devotional Guide Instructions

It is important for Christians to be faithful in having a daily quiet time with God. This year we are going to help you develop this habit. A *quiet time* is a time when you *listen* to God and let Him talk to you through His Word, the Bible. It is a time when you *praise* God, *tell* Him you love Him, and *thank* Him for things He has done for you. You also *pray* about things you or someone else needs.

If you can read the Bible, you can have your quiet time all by yourself. This is the best way to grow up in your Christian life. If you cannot read the Bible yet, ask your father, your mother, or some older person to share your quiet time with you every day. Pick a time and place where you won't be distracted. It should be a place where you can see well and where you can comfortably write.

Here is a plan for you to follow for your quiet time.
You will need a Bible, a pencil or pen, and your *Sailor's Log*.

1. Look up the verse in your Bible.
2. Fill in the blanks in *My Quiet Time* daily devotional guide.
3. Read the explanation of the verse.
4. Think about what the verse means.
5. Ask God to help you apply the lesson to your own life, and use the prayer time suggestion as a guide when you pray.

I will have my quiet time with God _____.
time of day

My quiet time place will be _____.
place



Club Song

Words & music by Ron Hamilton
Arr. by Shelly Hamilton

Joyfully ♩ = 92 **3** *mf*

1. Oh, climb on board our jol - ly ship;
2. Come sail with us; we're heav-en-bound.

7
trav-el on life's sea. Our Cap-tain is the Son of God; He will faith-ful
Ev - 'ry-one can go. The fare was paid with Je - sus' blood man - y years a -

12
be. Oh, come and join our hap - py crew. We still have lots of
go. We love to sing our Sav - ior's praise. We'll bless His name through

16
room for you. Climb on board our jol - ly ship; trav - el on life's
all our days. Sail with us; we're heav-en-bound! Ev - 'ry-one can

20 **f** *Chorus*
sea. We — sail with Patch the Pi-rate a - cross the o - cean blue. We —
go.

25
want to please our Sav - ior in all we say and do. We serve the King of

30
Heav-en and proud-ly bear His Sword. We — sail with Patch the Pi-rate to the

35 **1st Ending** | **2nd Ending**
glo-ry of the Lord. glo - ry of the Lord.

A Respectable Pirate

Adam Morgan

Adam Morgan
Arr. by Brian Buda

13 *mf*

18 While oth-er pi-rates loot and shoot, we'd nev-er steal or
rob. We sail up-on the sev - en seas to share the Word of God!

23 *2*

29 To join a crew you have to work and do what you are
told. Our great - est hope is to be-come a Chris - tian strong and bold!

34 *f*

39 We al - ways have ad - ven-ture while sail - ing on the sea. So
join our crew! We wel - come you! That's if you want to be _____

44 *6*

54 *mf*


59 A sail - or trusts her in - stru-ments to nav - i - gate her ways; so
I will trust the Bi - ble's words to guide me all my days! I al - ways keep a

64



watch - ful eye as far as I can see. A - top the mast, I look, "A - vast!" for

69 *f*



dan - gers out at sea! We al - ways have ad - ven - ture while sail - ing on the

74




sea. So join our crew! We wel - come you! that's if you want to be _____

79



a re - spect - a - ble pi - rate!

90 *mf*



There may be dan - gers up a - head _____ and tri - als yet un -

96 *2 accel. mf Adventurously* ♩ = 108



told, but sail - ors must have cour - age that their

102 *f Arrgh!*



hope is in the Lord! We al - ways have ad - ven - ture while sail - ing on the

107 *Ahoy! accel.*



sea. So join our crew! We wel - come you! That's if you want to be _____

113



a re - spect - a - ble pi - rate!

CHILDREN'S HYMN OF THE YEAR
How Firm a Foundation
with You Are My Refuge

Rippon's *Section of Hymns*, 1787
 & Megan Hamilton

Traditional American melody
 & Megan Hamilton
 Arr. by Shelly Hamilton

With conviction ♩ = 63 **3** *f marcato*

How firm a foundation, ye
 saints of the Lord,
 is laid for your faith in His
 excellent Word!
 What more can He say than to
 you He hath said,
 to you who for refuge to
 Je - sus have fled?

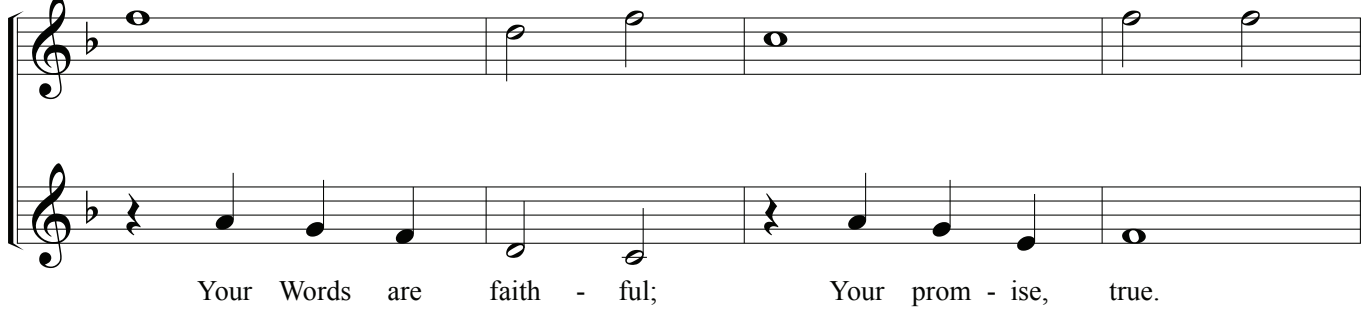
Optional C instrument
mf legato

You are my Ref - uge; I hide in You.

mf legato

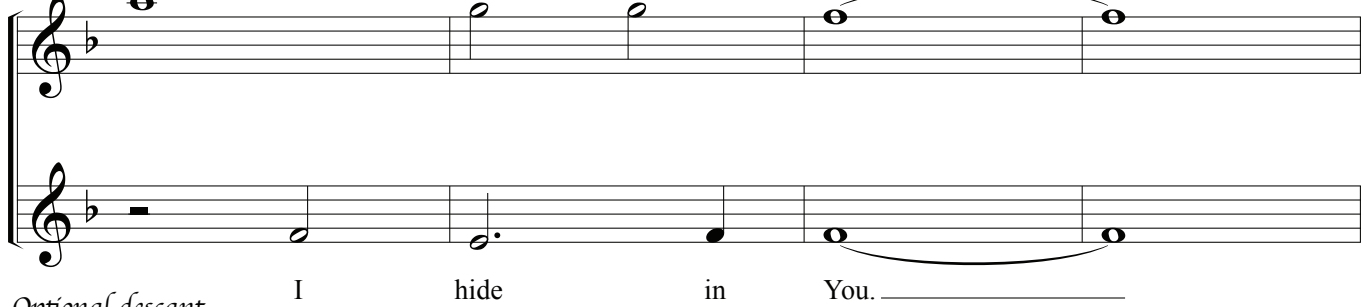
You are the hope I'm run - ning to.

32



Your Words are faith - ful; Your prom - ise, true.

36

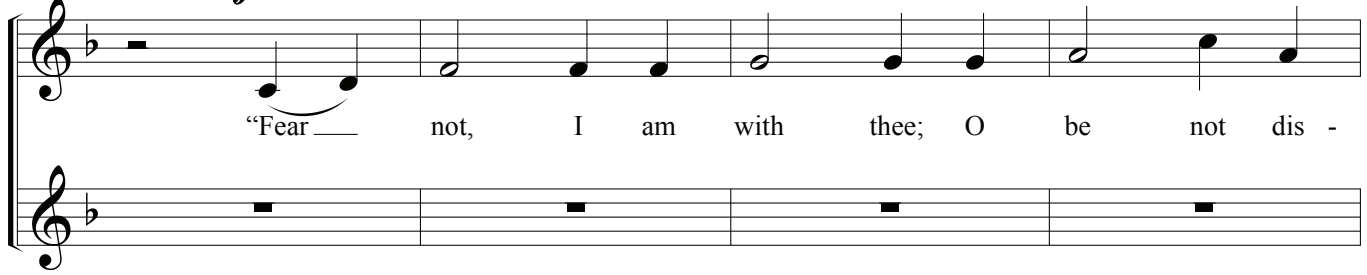


I hide in You.

Optional descant

40

mf marcato



"Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dis -

44

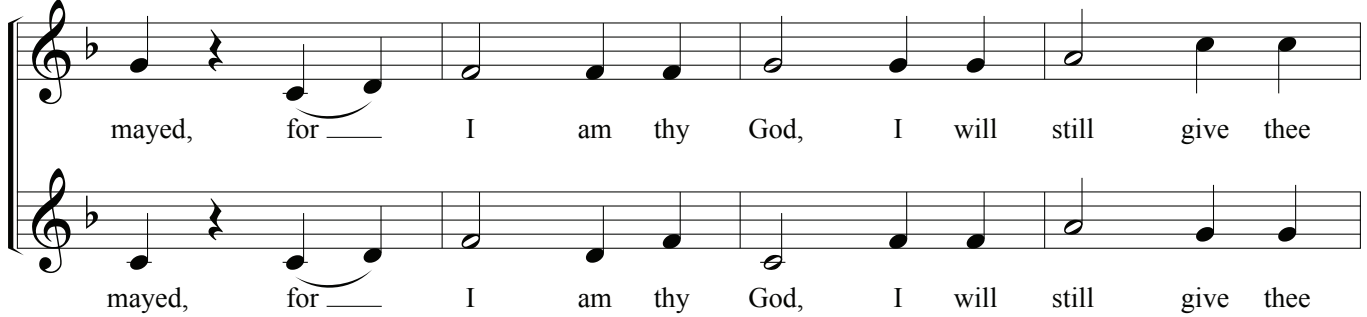
f

f marcato



mayed, Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dis -

48



mayed, for I am thy God, I will still give thee

52 *f*

aid. I'll strength - en thee, help thee, and cause thee to

aid. I'll strength - en thee, help thee, and cause thee to

56

stand up - held by My right - eous, om - nip - o - tent

stand up - held by My right - eous, om - nip - o - tent

60 *f*

hand." How —

hand." How — firm a foun - da - tion,

65 *f*

firm a foun - da - tion, ye

How — firm a foun - da - tion, ye

69 *ff* **2**

saints of the Lord! —

saints of the Lord! —



FRIENDLY

Song of the Month: "A Godly Friend"

Patch Theme Song of the Year: "A Respectable Pirate"

Children's Hymn of the Year: "How Firm a Foundation"

Memory Verse: Proverbs 18:24—"A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly: and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother."

Make-up Memory Verse: Proverbs 13:20—"He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a companion of fools shall be destroyed."

Sailor Scripture Memory: Each week, read and review the passage below in order to quote the entire passage in any performance during the year. Quote along with Patch the Pirate on the *Learn at Home* CD.

Psalm 27:1-14—"The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my flesh, they stumbled and fell. Though an host should encamp against me, my heart shall not fear: though war should rise against me, in this will I be confident. One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to enquire in his temple. For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion: in the secret of his tabernacle shall he hide me; he shall set me up upon a rock. And now shall mine head be lifted up above mine enemies round about me: therefore will I offer in his tabernacle sacrifices of joy; I will sing, yea, I will sing praises unto the Lord. Hear, O Lord, when I cry with my voice: have mercy also upon me, and answer me. When thou saidst, Seek ye my face; my heart said unto thee, Thy face, Lord, will I seek. Hide not thy face far from me; put not thy servant away in anger: thou hast been my help; leave me not, neither forsake me, O God of my salvation. When my father and my mother forsake me, then the Lord will take me up. Teach me thy way, O Lord, and lead me in a plain path, because of mine enemies. Deliver me not over unto the will of mine enemies: for false witnesses are risen up against me, and such as breathe out cruelty. I had fainted, unless I had believed to see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord."



SPEAKING PARTS FOR THE PERFORMANCE

Sailors 1, 2, 3, and 4 stand in the center of the performance area for the following conversation. Sailor 1 (female) is dressed in an unusual way, perhaps with a bright flowery dress, sunglasses, and wide-rimmed straw hat. A large and bright tote bag would add to the effect.

- Sailor 1: This *sho* is a *wahn-da-ful* day! And all of y'all just look so *key-yoot!*
- Sailor 2: You certainly have been talking . . . uh . . . *different* these last few days, (*Sailor 1*).
- Sailor 3: And I've never seen you wear an outfit quite like *that* before!
- Sailor 1: Oh, isn't it *adorable?* My long-lost *cuh-zinns* from way *day-own say-outh* have come *visitin'*, and they brought me these *key-yoot* things to *way-uh!* Do you *lah-ke it?*
- (Brief pause as Sailors 2, 3, and 4 stand back looking at Sailor 1, trying to think of how to answer honestly.)*
- Sailor 2: Well . . .
- Sailor 3: You see . . .
- Sailor 4: I think we all sort of like the *regular* you better, (*Sailor 1*).
- Sailor 1: *(Pulling down sunglasses to look at the others.)* You do?
- Sailor 2: Yes, definitely.
- (Sailors 3 and 4 enthusiastically nod in agreement.)*
- Sailor 1: *(Speaking normally and taking off the sunglasses.)* Well . . . I guess when I hang around my cousins for a while, they kind of rub off on me.
- Sailor 3: That's why the Bible says it's so important to choose your friends wisely.
- Sailor 4: Friends either help us grow in godliness or they pull us toward the world.
- Sailor 1: *(Putting arms around shoulders of Sailors 2 and 3.)* Well, I'm thankful I have honest friends who keep me on the right *tray-ack*—I mean track! Thanks, guys!
- Choir: *(Recites.)* Proverbs 18:24— “A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly: and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother.”
- Choir: *(Sings.)* “A Godly Friend”

A Godly Friend

Ron Hamilton & Cheryl Reid

Ron Hamilton
Arr. by Brian Buda

1 *Animated* $\text{♩} = 116$ *Marcato* *1st time solo*
mf *2nd time all*

7 Hap - py is the man who does - n't

9 walk with the wick - ed. Hap - py is the man who does - n't

11 stand with the sin - ner. Hap - py is the man who does - n't

15 sit with the mock - er. Hap - py is the man! Be care - ful how you

18 choose your friends 'cause your friends rub off on you. The

21 words they say, the thoughts they think, the pla - ces they go, the

27 *1st Ending*

things they do — all of these rub off on you. Find your - self a god - ly

33 *2nd Ending* *mf* Find your -

friend. Find your - self a god - ly friend.

self a god - ly friend.

Find your - self a god - ly friend.

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THE JOLLY ROGER ORCHESTRA

MONTH ONE - WEEK 1

Directions: Below each picture, identify the type of orchestra instrument by writing *string* or *woodwind* in the blank



A



B



C



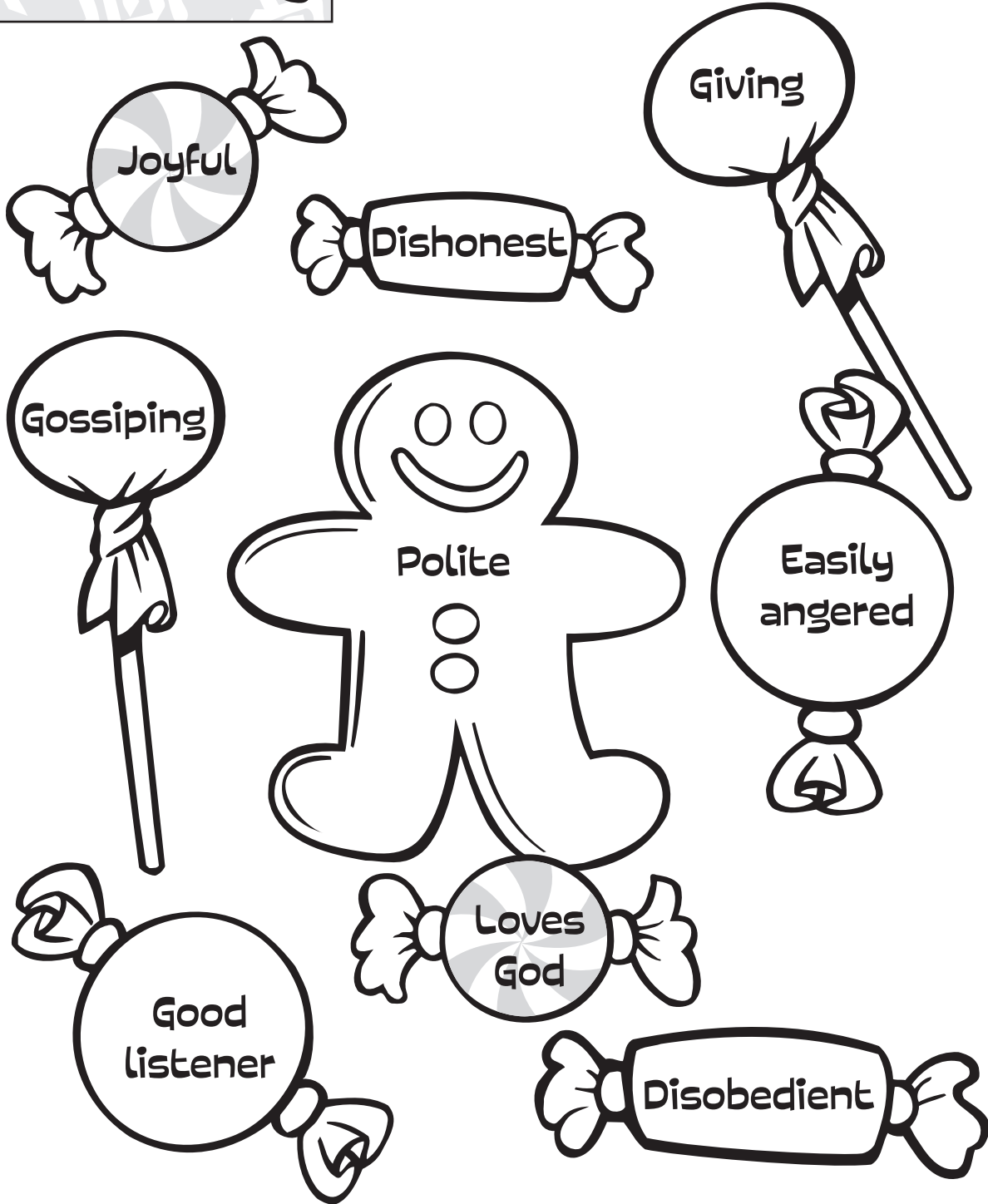
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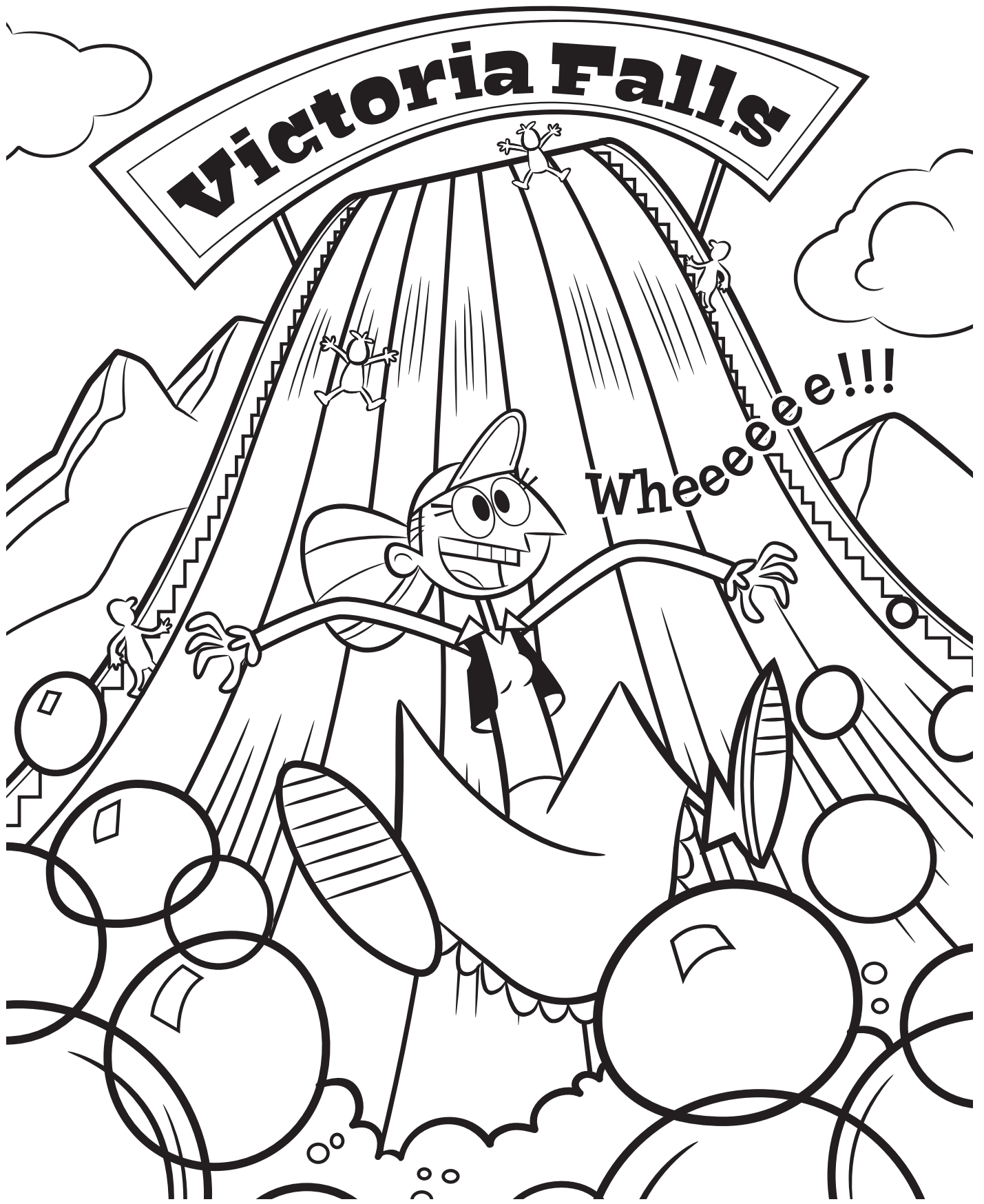


SWEET FRIENDSHIPS

Directions: On the candy are printed words describing good and bad character qualities. Using crayons or markers, color the candies that describe the good character qualities you should strive for and that you should look for when choosing friends.



ACTION: Are you being the kind of friend that you expect your friends to be? Are you the kind of friend that God wants you to be? Ask God to help you be a good friend and to choose good friends.



“Whoopieeeeeeee! Bubbles! Geronimooooooooo!”

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YOUR VERY BEST FRIEND

Did you know that God wants you to have friends? Friends are very important. Good friends will help you. Bad friends will hurt you. This week as you have your devotions, you will learn about the best Friend of all.

DAY 1

MONTH / DAY

Genesis 2:18a—“And the Lord God said, It is not _____ that the _____ should be _____.”

God created Adam for fellowship. God actually talked to Adam. Adam was God’s friend. But soon after Adam was created, God saw that Adam needed to have a companion for fellowship and for a helper as well. That’s when He created Eve. God designed people to want to be near each other. Friends are important. God wants you to have friends. This month in your quiet time, you will learn about choosing good friends and being a good friend, too.



Thank God for your friends. Ask Him to help you become a better friend this month.

DAY 2

MONTH / DAY

John 15:12—“This is my _____, That ye _____ one another, as I have _____ you.”

Some people act as if they don’t need or want any friends. Is it right for a Christian to feel this way? Today’s verse gives us an answer to that important question. God commands His children to love one another with the same kind of love that God has for them. If you are a child of God, it is wrong for you to be unfriendly toward others. To please God, you must love others as God loves them.



Ask God to help you love others the same way God loves you. Thank Him that He loves you.

DAY 3
MONTH / DAY

John 15:13—“Greater love hath no _____ than this, that a man lay down his _____ for his _____.”

Did you know that Jesus is your Friend? He is the perfect Friend, and it is from Him that we learn to be a good friend to others. Jesus loves you so much that He died on the cross to save you—His friend—from hell. Can you ever repay Jesus for what He has done? No. Jesus died just because He loves you.



Thank God for sending Jesus to die for your sins. Thank Him for being your Friend.

DAY 4
MONTH / DAY

John 15:14—“Ye are my _____, if ye _____ whatsoever I _____ you.”

Yesterday you learned that God is your Friend. Are you a friend to God? You are if you are His child. Today’s verse says that you will want to obey God if you are His friend. God’s love changes His children on the inside and helps them serve Him better.



Ask God to help you obey His commandments. Thank Him that you are His child.



DAY 5

 MONTH / DAY

John 15:15—“Henceforth I call you not _____; for the _____ knoweth not what his lord doeth: but I have called you _____; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you.”

How would you feel if you got a letter from the President of the United States, saying, “I want you to be a close friend of mine. You can talk to me any time.” That would be an exciting day for you! Did you know that God Himself has said the same thing to you in His letter, the Bible? Read today’s verse again. God wants you to be His close friend, not just His servant. Do you talk to God as to a friend?



Thank God that He wants you to be His friend. Thank Him that you can talk to Him at any time.

DAY 6

 MONTH / DAY

John 15:16a—“Ye have not _____ me, but I have _____ you.”

You have learned this week that God is your Friend. God sent Jesus to die for your sins. He chose you to be His friend. Did He choose you because you look nice or because you are smart? No. God chose you because He loves you. He is your Friend because you need Him, not because He needs you.



Thank God for choosing you because He wants to meet your needs. Thank Him for accepting you the way you are.



DAY 7
 MONTH / DAY

John 15:16b—“And ordained [planned for] you, that ye should go and bring forth _____, and that your _____ should _____: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you.”

God has offered you the perfect friendship with Himself. But He also commands you to reach out and love others the way He loves you. Is it possible for you to be a friend to others the way God is to you? You are only able to do that if you have God’s help. Through the power of the Holy Spirit living inside of you, you can be the kind of friend to others that God wants you to be.



Ask God to help you love others the way He loves you. Ask Him to help you learn to be a better friend this month.



I have faithfully had my devotions this week.

(sailor’s name)

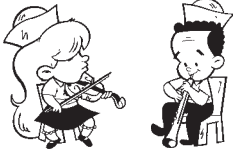


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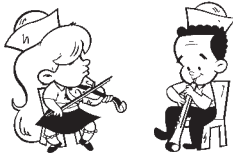


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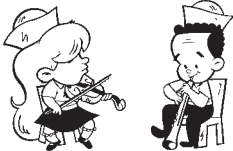
Directions: Color the instrument family that matches the orchestra fact below.



1. The instruments in this family are played with a bow or plucked with the fingers.



2. The flute belongs to this family.



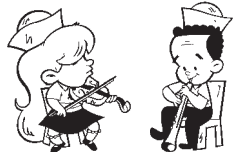
3. The cello is in this instrument family.



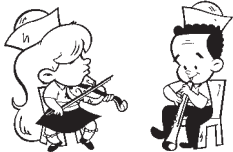
4. Today, the instruments in this family are made of silver or of gold.



5. The oboe is in this instrument family.



6. The sound is produced by blowing into this family of instruments.



7. Some of the instruments in this family have a mouthpiece made of reed.



8. In this family, as the instruments get larger, their voices get lower.

FRIENDSHIP ADVICE

MONTH ONE - WEEK 2

Directions: Write the letter of the answer in the blanks of each verse below. Use your Bible to look up any phrases you don't know. These are all verses on the topic of friends and friendship.



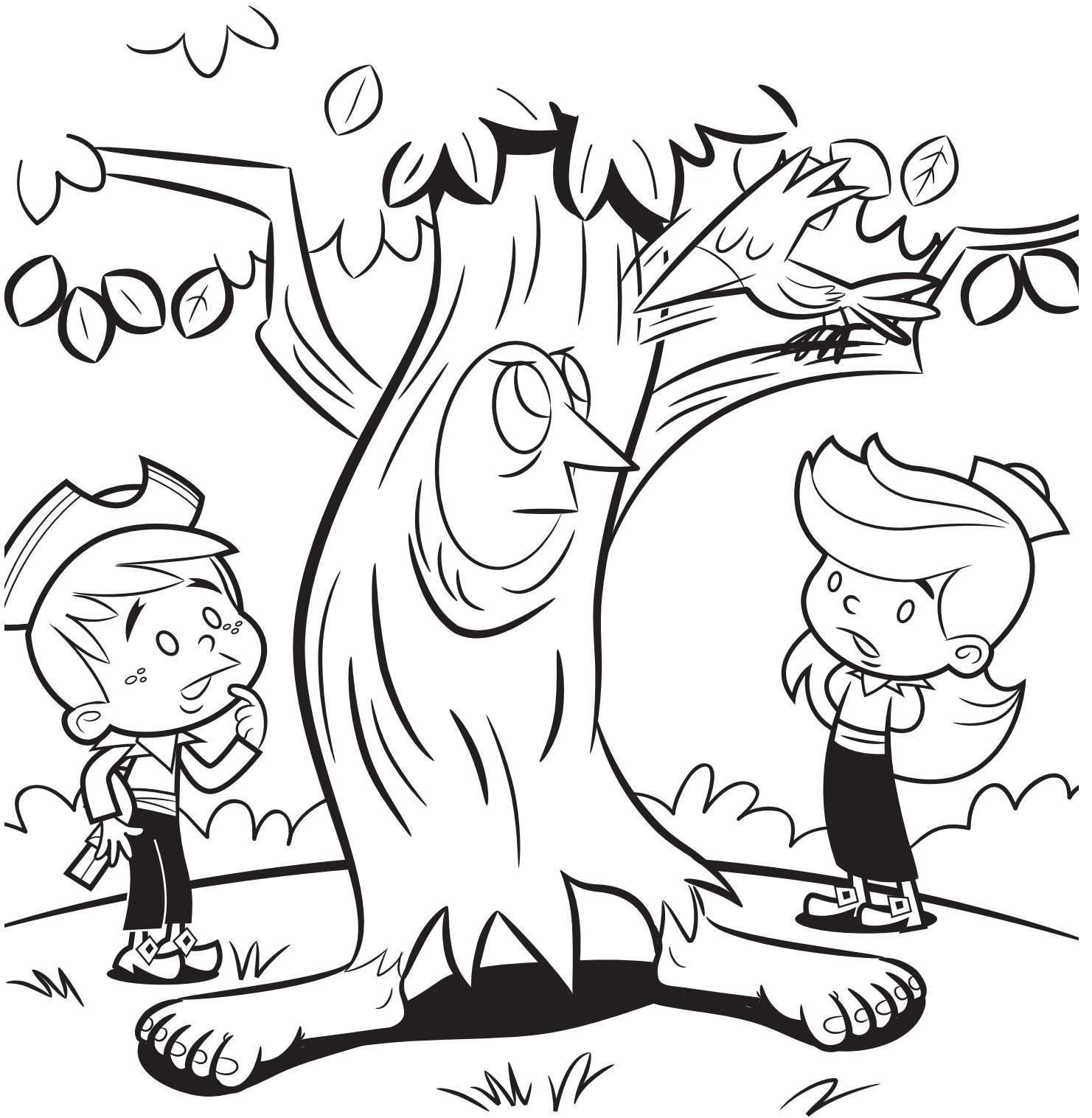
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|------------|------------|-------------|
| a. angry | d. friend | g. life |
| b. brother | e. friends | h. servants |
| c. command | f. loveth | |

1. "A friend _____ at all times."
Proverbs 17:17
2. "A man that hath _____ must shew himself friendly."
Proverbs 18:24a
3. "There is a friend that sticketh closer than a _____."
Proverbs 18:24b
4. "Make no friendship with an _____ man." Proverbs 22:24
5. "Thine own friend, and thy father's _____, forsake not."
Proverbs 27:10
6. "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his _____ for his friends." John 15:13
7. "Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I _____ you."
John 15:14
8. "I call you not _____; . . . but I have called you friends." John 15:15

ACTION: What kind of friend is Jesus? (Mark each of the correct ones.)

- Loving Patient Angry Giving Selfish

Are you that kind of friend? Ask God to help you be the kind of friend that Jesus is.



Nigel Oak and his pet woodpecker, Hammer.
IncrediWorld



HOW TO BE A GOOD FRIEND

Last week in your devotions, you learned that God is your Friend. God wants you to be the same kind of friend to others that He is to you. This week as you have your quiet time, you will learn what the Bible says about being a good friend.



1 Samuel 18:4—“And _____ stripped himself of the _____ that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his _____, and to his bow, and to his girdle [belt].”

Jonathan was the king’s son. David was a poor shepherd boy. Yet Jonathan and David were the best of friends. Today’s verse says that Jonathan gave his own belongings to meet David’s needs. Jonathan was a giving friend. In order for you to be a godly friend to others you must be a giving friend like Jonathan. Today as you are with your friends, see what you can do to meet their needs, instead of your own.



Ask God to help you always to be a good friend by meeting the needs of others.



1 Samuel 23:16—“And Jonathan Saul’s _____ arose, and went to David into the _____, and strengthened his _____ in God.”



Jonathan’s father, King Saul, wanted to have David killed. David was hiding in a forest. He was scared and discouraged. Jonathan risked his life to go to David and encourage him. “My father won’t find you,” Jonathan told David. “You will be the king some day.” A godly friend will encourage his friends in the Lord. Do you help your friends trust God more?



Ask God to help you encourage your friends to trust God. If you have a friend who encourages you, thank God for that friend.

DAY 3

MONTH / DAY

1 Samuel 19:4—“And _____ spake good of David unto Saul his father, and said unto him, Let not the _____ sin against his servant, against David; because he hath not sinned against thee, and because his _____ have been to thee-ward very good.”

King Saul was determined to kill David. It hurt Jonathan for his father to hate his friend David. Jonathan went to Saul and spoke good about David. He told Saul about the good things David did. What do you do when you hear someone say bad things about one of your friends? Do you stand up for your friends and defend them? A godly friend is a loyal friend.



Ask God to help you stand up for your friends when others say bad things about them.

DAY 4

MONTH / DAY

Romans 15:7—“Wherefore _____ ye one another, as _____ also received us to the _____ of God.”



What do you look for in a friend? Do you look for someone who dresses well or someone who is well-liked and popular? Today's verse says that Christians are to love and accept others just as God loves and accepts them. A godly friend will not shut others out because they are unpopular or out of style. What kind of friend are you?



Thank God that He accepts you just the way you are. Ask Him to help you be that kind of friend to others.



Galatians 6:2—" _____ ye one another's _____, and so fulfil the _____ of Christ."

Ashley's friend Becky was down in the dumps. "I know I'm going to do terribly on the spelling test!" Becky wailed. "I'm sure you can do well if you try," Ashley told her. "I'll help you study this afternoon, and I'll pray for you during the test." A godly friend will do what today's verse says—help others with their problems. Ashley was a godly friend. Are you?



Ask God to help you bear the burdens of your friends. If you have a friend who bears your burdens, thank God for that friend.



Proverbs 17:17a—"A _____ at all _____."

People are always changing. You and your friends are changing rapidly as you grow up. The things you like and dislike change. Your moods change. And while you are changing, everything around you is changing as well. Can a friendship survive through all the changes of life? Today's



verse says that a true, godly friend loves at all times. Godly love can hold a friendship together through every change that life brings. Do you love your friends at all times—even when they are difficult to love?



Ask God to help you love your friends at all times. Ask Him to give you lasting friendships with others.

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Proverbs 27:5-6—“Open rebuke is better than _____ love. Faithful are the _____ of a friend; but the kisses of an _____ are deceitful.”

Nobody is perfect. No matter how good you think your friend is, there will be times when that friend is wrong. What should you do? Ignore the problem? Today’s passage says that you should lovingly “rebuke” (correct) your friend when he does wrong. It can be very hard to tell a friend that he is doing wrong. But a godly friend will do this to help his friend do right.



Ask God to give you the courage to help your friends do right. If you have a friend who tells you when you are doing wrong, thank God for that friend.



I have faithfully had my devotions this week.

(sailor’s name)