

Friends with Jesus - Part one

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We all need to develop a closer walk with God, He wants to become our closest friend.

1 Chron 12:32

And of the children of Issachar, which were men that had understanding of the times, to know what Israel ought to do; the heads of them were two hundred; and all their brethren were at their commandment. KJV

Ex 33:11

And the LORD spake unto Moses face to face, as a man speaketh unto His friend. And he turned again into the camp: but his servant Joshua, the son of Nun, a young man, departed not out of the tabernacle. KJV

Rom 5:10

For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life. KJV

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And since, when we were his enemies, we were brought back to God by the death of His Son, what blessings He must have for us now that we are His friends and He is living within us! TLB

{1} God is: Creator, Our Maker, Our Lord and Master, Our Judge, Our Redeemer and most of all He is our Friend.

FRIEND

A person whom one loves and trusts; close companion or comrade.

Rom 5:11

Now we rejoice in our wonderful new relationship with God-all because of what our Lord Jesus Christ has done in dying for our sins-making us friends of God. TLB

{a} Had it not been for a man called Jesus.

2 Cor 5:18

And all things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation; KJV

{b} There's not a friend like the lovely Jesus. No not one!

2 Cor 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Ghost, be with you all. Amen. KJV

{c} Being friends with the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

{d} If you may remember my first remarks: God will only be as close as we will let Him be. We all know that God is no respecter of people. It is our move.

John 15:15

Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth: but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you. KJV

{1} Brother Lawrence a cook in a French Monastery, wrote these words:

"The key to friendship with God, he said, is not changing what you do, but change your attitude toward what you you do."

Eph 6:5

As unto Christ; KJV

{2} When you are sweeping the floor or preaching a sermon, be sure you include your Friend Jesus.

{3} All day all night, all the time. There's not a friend like Jesus. What a friend we have in Jesus.

John 15:13

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

14.Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you. KJV

{4} Someone said, what we need to do is quite telling Jesus about our mountain and start telling the mountain about Jesus.....

{5} We all need to switch our thinking about all of our troubles and start thinking about Jesus.

Job 23:11

My foot hath held his steps, his way have I kept, and not declined.

12.Neither have I gone back from the commandment of his lips; I have esteemed the words of his mouth more than my necessary food.

13.But he is in one mind, and who can turn him? and what his soul desireth, even that he doeth. KJV

Ps 119:97

Oh, how I love them. I think about them all day long. TLB