

# LESSON 4

## JONATHAN AND DAVID

### Worksheets

- Bible Discovery Worksheet: How did Jonathan and David show that they were true friends?
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## HOW DID JONATHAN AND DAVID SHOW THAT THEY WERE TRUE FRIENDS?

Fill in the blanks.

1. Jonathan \_\_\_\_\_ of David.

Thus Jonathan \_\_\_\_\_ of David to Saul his father, and said to him, "Let not the king sin against his servant, against David, because he has \_\_\_\_\_, and because \_\_\_\_\_ have been \_\_\_\_\_ toward you. (1 Sam 19:4)

2. Jonathan helped David \_\_\_\_\_.

"May the LORD do so and much more to Jonathan. But if it pleases my father to do you evil, then I will \_\_\_\_\_ it to you and \_\_\_\_\_, that you may go in \_\_\_\_\_. And the Lord be with you as He has been with my father. (1 Sam 20:13)

3. Jonathan \_\_\_\_\_ David.

Then Jonathan, Saul's son, arose and went to David in the woods and \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_. And he said to him, "Do not fear, for the hand of Saul my father shall not find you. You shall be \_\_\_\_\_ over \_\_\_\_\_, and I shall be next to you. Even my father Saul knows that." (1 Sam 23:16-17)

4. David \_\_\_\_\_ for Saul and Jonathan.

Then David \_\_\_\_\_ with this \_\_\_\_\_ over Saul and over Jonathan his son. (2 Sam 1:17)

5. David \_\_\_\_\_ to Jonathan's son.

So \_\_\_\_\_ dwelt in \_\_\_\_\_, for he \_\_\_\_\_ continually at the \_\_\_\_\_. And he was lame in both his feet. (2 Sam 9:13)

**BEING A TRUE FRIEND**

What are the qualities of a true friend? Read the scenarios below and look up the following bible verses to find out what true friendship is.

**Scenario #1**

Adam was feeling unhappy. Lately, a group of older boys at school have been picking on the younger children. They would scare them, take their snacks, and empty out all the contents of their backpack onto the ground. They've picked on Adam a couple of times. When Adam's mom noticed how dirty his things were, he told his mom he had dropped his things. When some of Adam's friends see the big boys pick on Adam, they tell him to fight back. "Just punch them in the eye, give them a good kick in the stomach, and then run." "Show them who is boss," they advised. During the Sabbath, Adam tells his friend Karl at church. Karl advises Adam to tell his mom and school teacher about the bullying. Karl then suggests that they go to the chapel to pray.

Read Proverbs 27:9.

A true friend \_\_\_\_\_.

**Scenario #2**

Katy and Bella are the best of friends. They attend the same school and are in the same class. Today, the teacher told everyone to think of a science project that they could work on at home. When Katy hears this, she is worried because there is no one at home who would be able to help her with her project. Her parents are always at work and her grandmother does not understand English. Katy feels helpless. During recess, Bella asks Katy what she is going to do for her science project. Katy starts to cry and tells Bella that she doesn't know what to do.

Read Proverbs 17:17.

A true friend \_\_\_\_\_.

**Scenario #3**

Tom was eager to show the other boys his "new" video game. Actually, it was a "hand-me-down" game his cousin didn't want. When the boys saw the game, they looked at each other and smirked. "That's a NEW game?" they laughed. "It's prehistoric! Yea, nice game Tom!" They turned and walked away. Tom, still holding onto his game, looked hurt. Brian decided to stay behind with Tom.

Read Proverbs 27:5-6.

A true friend \_\_\_\_\_.

**Scenario #4**

Judith and Tammy are attending the summer Spiritual Convocation for the first time. During the prayer session, the pastor encouraged the students to pray for the Holy Spirit. Judith and Tammy both come to the front of the chapel to pray. They pray with their whole heart. During the prayer, Tammy receives the Holy Spirit and is overjoyed. As each day of the convocation passes, Judith has yet to receive the Holy Spirit, and she begins to wonder if God loves her and if He will give her the Holy Spirit. Judith feels like giving up.

Read Ecclesiastes 4:9-12.

A true friend \_\_\_\_\_

**Scenario #5**

Amanda looked around and noticed that her friend Ricky was not in R.E. class today. She soon found out why. The class was told to pray for Ricky because he had become very sick and would be in the hospital for a while. Amanda felt very sad. She prayed to God, asking that Ricky be made well. At home, Amanda wanted to make Ricky a get well card. She spent a long time drawing the things that Ricky liked and writing things that she thought might cheer him up. Amanda thought that Ricky would be lonely in the hospital, so she decided to make him a card each week and put all kinds of fun things inside. Each evening before bed, Amanda prayed to ask God to heal her friend soon.

Read John 15:13.

A true friend \_\_\_\_\_

**Scenario #6**

At school, Donny sits with his friend Tod. Each time the class has math lessons, a math teacher comes into the class to teach them. Tod thinks that math is boring, so he doesn't pay attention. He doodles on his book, looks around to get someone's attention, or even dozes off. Donny learns from R.E. class that it is important to behave well and be a good student. But during math class, his friend Tod sometimes writes him silly notes with a drawing of the math teacher, which cracks Donny up. He tries not to laugh, but Tod kicks on his chair until Donny can't take it and he laughs out loud. One time, during a written test, Tod asked Donny for the answer to one of the questions. Donny knew it wasn't right, but he snuck the answer to Tod anyway. Now Donny, like Tod, has been falling behind in his math class, and the teacher has told his parents about his poor behavior in class.

Read Proverbs 13:20; 12:26.

A true friend \_\_\_\_\_

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# Homework Assignment

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Weekly Bible Reading:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bible Reading:** Check each box when you complete that day's reading.

**Prayer:** Check each box after you pray to God that day.

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Read							
Pray							

## What I Learned from the Bible This Week

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Memory Verse

Please write down this week's memory verse. (**Proverbs 17:17**)

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## True or False

1. Jonathan and David's friendship was special because not only did they like and respect each other, they both placed God as the center of their lives. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Jonathan demonstrated his love to David by speaking well of David before Saul, helping David flee, and encouraging him. \_\_\_\_\_
3. When Saul and Jonathan died, David wrote a report of how evil Saul was. He had this report read throughout the land. \_\_\_\_\_

## Multiple Choice

4. \_\_\_\_\_ : What gifts did Jonathan give to David?
  - a. A robe, a sling, a sword, and a bow
  - b. A shield, a sword, and a bow
  - c. A robe, armor, a sword, and a bow
5. \_\_\_\_\_ : Jonathan loved David \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. As he loved himself
  - b. The same way that David loved him
  - c. The way David's family loved David
6. \_\_\_\_\_ : Jonathan used this signal to tell David that Saul did not intend to kill David and that all was well:
  - a. Find the arrows. They are next to you.
  - b. Find the arrows. They are beyond you.
  - c. Find the arrows. They are on this side of you.

**Short Answer**

7. How did Jonathan show that he loved David as himself?

8. Write the letter of the alphabet that comes AFTER each letter in the arrowheads to find out the vow that David made to Jonathan.

X N T      R G Z K K      R G N V      L D

Z M C      L X      G N T R D      S G D

J H M C M D R R      N E      S G D

K N Q C      E N Q D U D Q.

**Life Application**

9. Draw a picture of something you will do for a friend this week.