



Sunday Notes:

- **Small Groups:**

- **Sunday Morning:**

- **Sunday Evening**



Lesson 5:
Focus on Your Friendships!

Choose Your Friends Carefully.

- Your friends can impact your character for good.
 - Godly friends challenge each other (Prov. 27:5-6, 17).
 - Godly friends care for each other (Prov. 17:17).
 - Godly friends create more wisdom (Prov. 13:20).
 - Godly friends counsel sincerely (Prov. 27:9).
 - Godly friends are close-by (Prov. 27:10; 18:24).
 - Godly friends are discreet (Prov. 17:9).
- Your friends can impact your character for evil.
 - Bad friends tell you what you want to hear (Prov. 27:6).
 - Bad friends are self-indulgent (Prov. 23:20-21).
 - Bad friends distance their authorities (Prov. 28:7; 24:21-22).
 - Bad friends are lazy (Prov. 28:19).
 - Bad friends are angry (Prov. 22:24-25).
 - Bad friends steal (Prov. 29:24).
 - Bad friends speak foolishly (Prov. 14:7; 24:1-2).
 - Bad friends are sensual (Prov. 29:3).
 - Bad friends are unfaithful (Prov. 18:24).
 - Bad friends are attractive (Prov. 1:10-15; 24:1).

Be a Godly Friend.

- Build up others with positive, honest, edifying speech (Prov. 17:9; 16:28; 27:14).
- Support others during difficult times (Prov. 17:17; 27:10).
- Value loyalty (Prov. 27:10).
- Show proper respect (Prov. 27:14).
- Challenge each other (Prov. 27:5-6, 17).
- Be genuine and sincere (Prov. 27:9).



- Pursue God's truth together (Prov. 13:20).
- Carefully consider financial partnerships (Prov. 6:1-5; 17:18).
- Be present (Prov. 27:10; 18:24).

What Out for Fake Friends.

- Fake friends are motivated by money (Prov. 19:4, 7).
- Fake friends are motivated by materialism (Prov. 19:6b)
- Fake friends are motivated by reputation (Prov. 19:6-7).
- Fake friends are motivated by the mob (Prov. 19:4a; 14:20).

Prayer

Scripture: Iron sharpeneth iron;
So a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend.
Proverbs 27:17

Single Focus/Cross Impact Requests:

- Cross Impact
 - Evangelistic Bible Studies
 - Officer Elections
 - 3 new girls who have been coming
- Single Focus
 - Broad Ripple Activity
 - Guys and Girls Weekend
- Purdue Cross Impact Effort
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Specific Requests:

- Dornbirers as dad recovers from surgery and prepares for more radiation.
- Ryon's dad with medical diagnosis and seeking 2nd medical opinion
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Announcements:

- April 30th: Church workday
- May 15: Friday Game-night