

How to Choose Friends

Samson had a bad habit of choosing bad friends.

Let's go to the Bible and see what God says about friends.

1) Is this a friend who keeps getting me into trouble or causes trouble?

1 Corinthians 15:33

2) Is this a friend who makes jokes but usually their jokes hurt other people?

Proverbs 26:18-19

Ephesians 5:4

3) Is this a friend who says bad things about others, especially when those other people aren't around? Like a gossip?

Proverbs 20:19

Proverbs 16:28

4) Is this a friend who cheats when playing games or is looking for opportunities to cheat?

Leviticus 6:1-4 or Malachi 1:14

Proverbs 3:28-30

5) Is this a friend who often hits or punches others?

Romans 13:9-10

Proverbs 22:24

Let's remember to follow the Lord when choosing friends!

6) Is this a friend who helps me become closer to God?

Proverbs 18:24

3 John 1:2

3 John 1:11

