

Being Wise About Friends

Text: Proverbs 17:17; 18:24;

Introduction: What is a friend?

I. Don't choose foolish friends - Proverbs 13:20; 1 Corinthians 15:33; Proverbs 12:26;

III. Luke 12:19-21;

FOOL = Psalm 14:1;

II. Choose fortifying friends –

A. They build us up morally - Proverbs 27:9;

B. They build us up emotionally - Proverbs 17:17;

III. How to Make Fantastic Friends –

A. Be cheerful - Proverbs 15:15;

B. Be generous with praise - Proverbs 12:25;

C. Be modest - Proverbs 27:2;

D. Be real - 1 Corinthians 2:3;

E. Be faithful in Bible study - Proverbs 27:17;

Conclusion: John 15:13-15; Romans 5:8;