

# Silver Creek Fellowship NOTES

July 16

## THE LIFE OF DAVID YOU'VE GOT A FRIEND IN ME!

### Four Takeaways from the Friendship of David & Jonathan

1. Friendship is a gift from God.

*John 15:13 (NIV)* "Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends"

2. A true friend is true.

*Proverbs 17:17 (NIV)* "A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for a time of adversity"

3. A true friend loves you as he loves himself.

*1 Samuel 18:1 (NIV)* "After David had finished talking with Saul, Jonathan became one in spirit with David, and he loved him as himself."

*1 Samuel 20:17 (NIV)* "And Jonathan had David reaffirm his oath out of love for him, because he loved him as he loved himself."

*Matthew 22:39 (NIV)* "Love your neighbor as yourself"

*2 Samuel 1:26 (NIV)* "I grieve for you, Jonathan my brother; you were very dear to me. Your love for me was wonderful, more wonderful than that of women."

4. A true friend helps you find strength in God.

*1 Samuel 23:16 (NIV)* "And Saul's son Jonathan went to David at Horesh and helped him find strength in God."

True friends \_\_\_\_\_ your strength.

*Deuteronomy 32:30 (NIV)* "One can put a thousand to flight, and two ten thousand to flight."

*Proverbs 18:24 (NIV)* "A man of many companions may come to ruin, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother."

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