

**Redemptive Friendship**  
**Proverbs 27:5-10**  
**June 30, 2019**

True friendship accepts sincere counsel. (27:9)

True friendship allows for careful correction. (27:5–6)

True friendship is costly. (27:9)

True friendship always cultivates our spiritual walk and ministry. (27:17)

Jesus is our truest friend.

***John 15:12–15 (ESV)***

***<sup>12</sup> “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup> Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends.***

***<sup>14</sup> You are my friends if you do what I command you. <sup>15</sup> No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you.***