Proverbs 12.26 The righteous should choose his friends carefully, For the way of the wicked leads them astray.

* "What is a true friend?" How do we answer that question?

Are you –

any friendship is ...

* What do we see friends doing in the Bible and in life?

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* What points by CS Lewis help understand what Solomon is getting at in our text?

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* What makes a true friend? Two biblical examples:

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* What are two telltale signs you are in a "friendship" that is actively leading you in the "way of the wicked"?

* One of the most important questions to ask with regard to

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* What mentality are we all born with? What mentality do we need?

* What is the touchstone of friendship?

* A few specific practical applications:

* You don't have a true friend unless you have someone who ...

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* To be be a true friend, you have to be ...

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