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All of us need deep friendships that help us grow to be more and more like Jesus. Through the example of Jesus and David and Jonathan, what is God showing you as we focus this week on friendship?

Pick a few names from your circle (from Tuesday's devotion) and pray for each person specifically. Ask God to show you how you can be a better friend for these people.

To be intentional in our friendships, we must learn God's wisdom and what His picture of health in a relationship looks like. This week we understand, through John 15:12-13, that Jesus calls us to a high standard. He wants us to love one another as He has loved us. How do we do this in our friendships? Have you experienced some different ways to become less selfish and more others-focused?

For you, what is most difficult about the humility, honesty, and vulnerability deep friendships require?

Has your definition of friendship changed this week? What is different about your understanding of how to be a friend? How have your expectations of others changed?