



## Family Devos Sept. Week 1



**Scripture:** 1 Samuel 22:6-23

### Discussion Points:

- Who was David?
- Why was Abiathar on the run? And why did he run to David?
- What are ways or situations in which we can protect our friends?

**Family Activity:** Have everyone in the family pick out one of their friends to tell about. What do you like about them? What makes them a good friend? Have you protected them in some way before?



## Family Devos Sept. Week 2



**Scripture:** 1 Samuel 23:14-18

### Discussion Points:

- Why is David on the run?
- Who was Jonathan?
- How did Jonathan encourage David?
- What encourages you?
- How do you encourage your friends?

**Family Activity:** Help each other write an encouragement message to a friend. Then you can mail it in a card, text it, or tell them in person.



## Family Devos Sept. Week 3



**Scripture:** John 19:25-27

### Discussion Points:

- What is loyalty?
- Why is it important?
- What are some different areas besides friendship that loyalty is important?
- What kinds of things test loyalty?

**Family Activity:** Make peanut butter sandwiches together. Talk about how siblings need to work at sticking together and being friends as they grow up. Kinda like how peanut butter and jelly go together.



## Family Devos Sept. Week 4



**Scripture:** Mark 2:1-12

### Discussion Points:

- Why did the friends take their buddy to Jesus?
- What obstacles did they face?
- What made them not give up?
- Whose faith did Jesus see and recognize?
- How can our faith in God help our friends?

**Family Activity:** Have a sleepover with some friends and do this devo with them. Act out the story, taking turns being the one being carried to Jesus.