

## "FRIENDS"

1. Have you ever experienced the end of a friendship?  
If so, what do you see as the reasons for its ending?
2. How do you explain this advice from an ancient Roman writer "Treat your friend as if he might become an enemy?"
3. What are some of the ways in which friendships are tested?
4. How would you feel if a close friendship of yours came to an end? Would you feel sorry for yourself?  
or Try to pick up the pieces?
5. Because friendships can end for one reason or another how do you feel about limiting the number of friendships you have?

"HUMAN FRIENDSHIP has limits because of the real greatness of man. We are too big to be understood by another. There is always something in us left unexplained, unexplored. We do not even know ourselves, much less can another hope to probe into the recesses of our being. Friendship has no limit because of the infinite element in the soul."

Hugh Black

To love means to have another person's happiness as one's goal to put the other person before one's self, to serve and devote one's self to the other's good.