

Jesus within Friendship

Think of someone who is your friend. Take a few minutes to reflect on that friendship. When you look at the process of friendship presented earlier, ask yourself the following questions about that particular friendship:

- How did the friendship begin?
- When did it begin to involve any type of sharing? What kind?
- How did it develop into something meaningful or special? What was that process like?
- How long was it before you and that person were “identified”?
- When did you realize the importance of “oneness” and “individuality”?

Jesus

Jesus is God's love for you in human form.

Jesus is freedom from limitations placed on self, others, and the world.

Jesus felt like you do in mind, body, and spirit.

Jesus is love.

Jesus is the way to experience God's unconditional love.

Jesus is in you.

Jesus is present in your confusion.

Jesus is conversion.

Jesus is attitude and action.

Jesus is an intimate friend who is always with you in many forms: family, heart, failure, loneliness, disappointment, success, and disclosure.