

2 SAMUEL 13 (p 363)

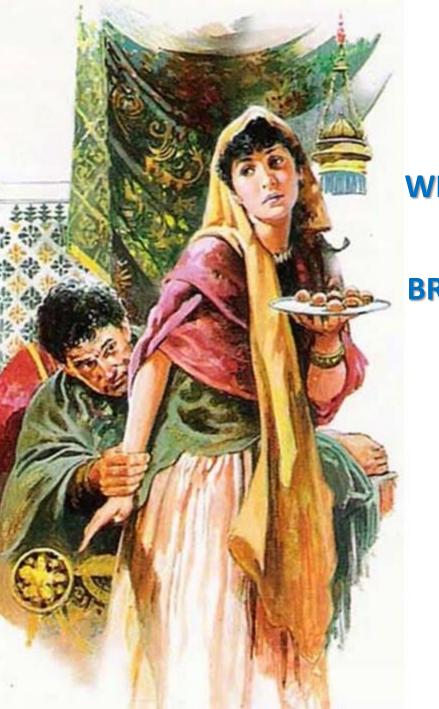


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<u>2 Kings 5</u>

Do I have FRIENDS that are a source of influence that will lead me to a closer relationship with God?



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Matthew 27:19-20

Who should Pilate have listened to?

IS THERE SOMEONE I AM WILLING TO LISTEN TO WHO WILL TELL ME TO <u>STOP</u>?

HE HAD A FRIEND Are my friends helping me get closer to God or further away? Are my friends helping me draw closer to my brethren or taking my heart away? Is it easier to listen to my friends than to my brethren?

How much influence do my friends have on my life?

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The value of righteous friends

- Andrew and Peter
 - John 1:40-42 (p 1221)
 - Philip and Nathanael
 - John 1:45 (p 1221)
 - Paul and Silas
 - Acts 16:25 (p 1275)



SHE OBEYED THE GOSPEL AS A TEENAGER

HE SERVED THE LORD FOR MANY YEARS

Wisdom Comes From Choosing The Right Kind Of Friends

Choose friends carefully

Proverbs 1:8-16 (p 725)

Wrong kinds of friends are destructive

Proverbs 2:11-16 (p 726)



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THE RIGHTEOUS SHOULD CHOOSE HIS FRIENDS CAREFULLY, FOR THE WAY OF THE WICKED LEADS THEM ASTRAY.

Proverbs 12:26 (p 738)



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HE WHO WALKS WITH WISE MEN WILL BE WISE, BUT THE COMPANION OF FOOLS WILL BE DESTROYED. Proverbs 13:20 (p 739)



Make no friendship with an angry man, and with a furious man do not go, lest you learn his ways and set a snare for your soul. *Proverbs 22:24-25* (p 751) Do not be deceived: "Bad company corrupts good morals." Become sober-minded as you ought, and stop sinning; for some have no knowledge of God. I speak this to your shame. - NASB -

> 1 CORINTHIANS 15:33-34 (p 1324)

