

FRIENDSHIP EXCERPTS

... When the friendship between two friends is affirmed and strengthened by the friendship that both have with Christ, the joy of being friends multiplies and the reality of this experience is enjoyed at a deeper level, because friendship forged, founded and cultivated by the light of Christ and in the warmth of its union with Him by Grace, it could be said is backed and, in a certain way, financed or secured by Him. ...

... When there is a true friendship between friends, one that is intimate, the participants of it know each other inwardly, although each one has different qualities and they mutually respect these, they live the ups and downs of life side by side and what they do not experience together they relive as soon as they are able to reunite to dialogue and comment what each one has lived. ...

... Persons who are real friends are not possessive, what they want is for the other friend to move freely; inadvertently the two mutually propel one other toward the best of each of them and the best for each of them. ...

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