

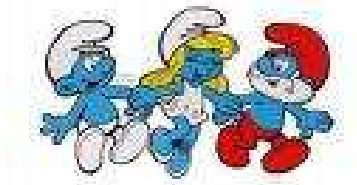


Family Devotion for Week of 3/14/10

Lesson: We show God's love in our friendships

Key Verse: "This is my commandment: Love each other in the same way I have loved you." John 15:12

Jonathon and David were true-blue friends. That means they stuck together by each other no matter what. Want to see hoe true blue they were? With your family, check our I Samuel 20.



True-blue friends?

Show your true colors!

1. Make a thin line of glue on a pen
2. Wrap yarn around the pen, and cut the yarn
3. Repeat, using different colors

Use colors that mean something to your family— like green because you like to be out in nature or blue if it's been a sad time for your family.

After you finish, hold your pens and discuss these questions:

- What do the colors in our pens mean to us?
- How did it feel to work as a family on these pens?
- How is working on this project together like how friends work together on their friendships?

Use your pens to write a prayer on a piece of construction paper. In your prayer, ask God to keep your family close and working together for Him.

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Family Challenge

Choose a family friend—either an individual or another family. Brainstorm ways your whole family can show God's love to this friend. Decide together on one or two of those things to do—and then do them!