

It Is Good to Be a Friend of Jesus

LESSON 2

3. God _____ you to obey Him. He even helps you _____ to obey Him.



"God is working in you to make you willing and able to obey Him" Philippians 2:13 (CEV).

4. God is always sad if you disobey Him. But He will _____ you if you ask Him.



"If we **confess** our sins, he will forgive our sins" 1 John 1:9 (ICB).

5. God is making a special _____ for you in heaven. You will go to live with God when you die.



Jesus said, "There are many rooms in my Father's house. . . . I am going there to prepare a place for you" John 14:2 (NirV).

"Anyone who belongs to Christ is a new person. The past is forgotten, and everything is new"
2 Corinthians 5:17 (CEV).



Zacchaeus did not obey God. He took too much tax money from people.

One day Zacchaeus met Jesus. Jesus loved Zacchaeus. Jesus wanted to help Zacchaeus change.

Zacchaeus became a friend of Jesus. He was sorry for doing wrong. He wanted to obey God.

Zacchaeus said, "I will give back the money I took. I will help poor people."

"Today God has forgiven you," Jesus said.
--from Luke 19:1-10

Remember This!

Friends of Jesus
have a new and
changed life.



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1. God is always _____ you. God is
✱ ◐ ➡ ▼

_____ you when good things
✱ ◐ ➡ ▼
happen. He is also with you when bad things
happen. He helps you.

“God is . . . always ready to help in times of
trouble” Psalm 46:1 (CEV).

2. You can _____ to God anytime.
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You can tell God anything you need to tell
Him. God hears your prayers.

“I pray to you, God, because you will help me.
Listen and answer my prayer!”
Psalm 17:6 (CEV).

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