



'A heart at peace gives life to the body.' Proverbs 14:30 NIV

### 3. I will be \_\_\_\_\_ of your feelings.

'Wisdom is gentle all the time.' James 3:17 NLT

'courteous' LB 'considerate' NIV

'Let everybody see that you are considerate in all you do.' Philippians 4:5 NLT

'We must be considerate of the doubts and the fears of others. Let's please the other person not ourselves in doing what's good for him and build him up.'

Romans 15:2 LB

'Kind words bring life, but cruel words crush your spirit.' Proverbs 15:4 TEV

### 4. I will be open to your \_\_\_\_\_.

'Wisdom is willing to yield to others.' James 3:17 NLT

'Intelligent people are always open to new ideas. In fact, they look for them.' Proverbs 18:15 NLT

### 5. I will cut you some \_\_\_\_\_.

'Wisdom is full of mercy and good deeds.' James 3:17 NLT

'Love forgets mistakes; nagging about them parts the best of friends.'  
Proverbs 17:9 LB

### 6. I will be \_\_\_\_\_.

'Wisdom is impartial and always sincere.' James 3:17 NLT

'The lips of a liar conceal hostility and whoever spreads accusations is a fool.'  
Proverbs 10:18 NAB

'Reverence for the LORD is the foundation of true wisdom.' Psalm 111:10 NLT

'Jesus is the key that opens all the hidden treasures of God's wisdom and knowledge.'  
Colossians 2:3 TEV



1. What do you think of this statement: 'Studies have shown that the number one predictor of happiness is the relationships in your life. Most of what we do in relationships is counter-productive. Wisdom doesn't eliminate the problems, but it does help to minimize them.'
2. To what does Proverbs 2:7 liken integrity? Why do you think integrity matters so much in developing Christ-like relationships?
3. All too often we react to what people say and not what they feel. What wise insights regarding the words you choose to speak are revealed in Proverbs 15:4?
4. The wiser I am, the more I demonstrate that I am willing to listen and learn from others. Read Proverbs 18:15, in several versions if possible, and discuss how you can apply this truth in your life. Do you need to rethink how you act with those around you? Do you always provide an open mind and heart? Share with your group and pray for godly wisdom to create a new awareness.
5. How much of what we argue about really matters? How can we let go of the mistakes of others?
6. How do you feel when someone contradicts you or condemns you without even listening to you? What can you do in your own life to keep from being contradictory or condemning?
7. It's common for people to wear masks, covering their true personalities. Jesus never hid who he was. How did Jesus show he was the real deal? What steps could you take to remove your mask in your different relationships?



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