



**FRIENDSHIP.**

Friendship is a feeling of love and affection of one person for another. This feeling of love must be reciprocated. Otherwise, friendship cannot be possible. Friendship does not exist where tastes, feelings and sentiments are not similar.

It is said that a friend in need is a friend indeed. There may be many friends at the time of prosperity. But most of them desert at the time of adversity. We can examine the sincerity of a friend during our time of hardship and trouble. Only a sincere and faithful friend remains with us at the time of our trouble. All others leave us. It is very painful when our friends turn into traitors.

There are many fair-weather friends. They terminate their friendly tie as soon as their interests are fulfilled. It is very difficult to find a true friend today. It is better to establish true friendship with either a dog or an elephant. Both these beasts will remain faithful to their human friends. Today, friendship between two persons is short-lived.

Good friends exercise good influence. They always help their friends, in distress and inspire them to walk on the right path. But evil friends ruin us completely.