

JESUS, SAVIOR, FRIEND

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dedicated to True Friend Jesus, 20 April 2012
Album: Amazing Power 'n' Prayers

"I will delight myself in Your statutes; I will not forget Your word." -- Psalm 119:16

Verses 1 and 2

Jesus, Savior Friend..... my mind cannot explain how I
love You with this pain, knowing how much I hurt You. I
can't put into words my deep love for Your holy Word. I'm
ashamed for my sins.... I'm amazed that You still love me.

READING 1: First John 4, verse 19: "We love Him -- Jesus -- because He first loved us." First John 4: 19.

BRIDGE and Verse 3

God, You've touched my heart with love, so I can love You back.
First John 4, verse 19 shows: You loved FIRST..... I love You BACK.
God, I love You, Oh so much! I know it must be Your touch
gifting me to love You back, First John 4, Verse 19: You
loved me FIRST, before Your Cross.....
LORD, help me be your friend back. Lord, help me be your friend back.
Jesus, help me be your friend back.

BRIDGE and Verse 4

God, You've touched my heart with love, so I can love You back.
First John 4, verse 19 shows: You loved FIRST..... I love You BACK.
On my own, I'm too selfish to love You, to worship You,
God, with all my heart. First John 4, Verse 19: You
loved me FIRST, before Your Cross.....
LORD, help me be your friend back. Lord, help me be your friend back.
Jesus, help me be your friend back.

Background during Reading 2: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus -- public domain
hymn by Charles Converse and Joseph Scriven, CCLI # 27714

READING 2: In John 15, verse 13, Jesus is describing Himself as he says "Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends." BUT the very NEXT verse shows that Jesus was also talking to you, about YOU.... verse 14, "You are My friends if you do whatever I command you." Are you willing to lay down your life for Jesus your Savior and Friend?
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Descant: "O Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end. You ARE forever with me, my Master and my friend." -- public domain hymn by A.H. Mann & J.E. Bode, CCLI #40454
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Song Story. An actual prayer, written on guitar overlooking one of Creator God's
breath-taking steep mountain ranges, as sunset clouds drifted in.