

Understanding Friendship in Bridge to Terabithia

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Review Questions

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Answer the following questions based on the lesson about friendship and the characters in *Bridge to Terabithia*.

1. What does Proverbs 17:17 teach us about friendship?

- A. A friend loves only in good times
- B. A friend loves at all times
- C. A friend is only there when needed

2. Describe how Jess and Leslie's differences contribute to their friendship. What strengths do they bring out in each other?

3. Jess and Leslie both feel like outsiders at the beginning of their friendship.

- True False

4. Leslie challenges Jess's existing ____ by introducing him to new ideas and experiences.

5. Why might first impressions of Leslie be misleading?

- A. Because she is shy
- B. Because she acts differently than others
- C. Because she is new and different

6. What are some ways we can be more open to people who seem different from us?

7. True friendship only focuses on similarities between friends.

- True False

8. A true friend is someone who loves at all times, as stated in Proverbs ____:17.

9. What makes a true friendship special according to the lesson?

- A. Shared interests
- B. Loyalty and support
- C. Being the same

10. What have you learned about friendship today from Jess and Leslie's story?

Answer Key

1. A friend loves at all times 2. Jess and Leslie are different in many ways, but these differences help them learn from each other. Leslie's creativity encourages Jess to think outside the box, while Jess's loyalty gives Leslie a sense of belonging. 3. True 4. worldview 5. Because she is new and different 6. We can try to learn about their interests, listen to their ideas, and find common ground. It's important to approach others with kindness and curiosity. 7. False 8. 17 9. Loyalty and support 10. I learned that true friendship is about accepting each other's differences and supporting one another. It's important to look beyond first impressions to see the real person inside.