"The ornaments of our house are the friends who frequent it."

Ralph Waldo Emerson

"A friend is someone who understands your past, believes in your future, and accepts you just the way you are."

Anonymous

"Friendship is the bread of the heart."

Mary Russell Mitford

"I keep my friends as misers do their treasure because, of all the things granted us by wisdom, none is greater or better than friendship."

Pietro Aretino

"Truly great friends are hard to find, difficult to leave, and impossible to forget."

Anonymous

"Lots of people want to ride with you in the limo, but what you want is someone who will take the bus with you when the limo breaks down."

Oprah Winfrey

"I always felt that the great high privilege, relief and comfort of friendship was that one had to explain nothing."

Katherine Mansfield

"My friends are my estate."

Emily Dickinson

"Friendship is born at that moment when one person says to another, 'What! You too? I thought I was the only one."

C.S. Lewis

"Let us be grateful to people who make us happy, they are the charming gardeners who make our souls blossom."

Marcel Proust

"Friendship is precious, not only in the shade, but in the sunshine of life."

Thomas Jefferson

"There is nothing on this earth more to be prized than true friendship."

Saint Thomas Aquinas

"Ah, how good it feels! The hand of an old friend."

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

"Relationships create the fabric of our lives. They are the fibers that weave all things together."

Eden Froust

"Some people go to priests; others to poetry; I to my friends."

Virginia Woolf

"Where there are friends, there is wealth."

Titus Maccius Plautus

"Friendship makes prosperity more brilliant, and lightens adversity by dividing and sharing it."

Cicero

"Life is partly what we make it, and partly what it is made by the friends we choose."

Tennessee Williams