## THINKING DEEPER

How would your parents describe you? Your closest friend? You biggest rival?

## **LOOKING DEEPER**

- Clayton says, "It's a relationship that gives us our identity." Do you agree? Jot down some notes and discuss with the group?
- 2. Who do you give greatest priority in your life? Is it someone from your THINKING DEEPER list? How does their opinion about you determine your identity?

- Read Romans 8:38-39? What does that verse say to you? Does it give you confidence to live for God?
- 4. What impact does it make in your life to hear Jesus call you His friend (John 15::13)? How does it change you see yourself?

## **GOING DEEPER**

Read Romans 1:16; Colossians 1:1; and Titus 1:1-3. How does Paul identify himself? How would you be looked at if you identified yourself a "servant of Christ" as boldly as Paul did?

Here's a challenge: Tell at least one person you don't know about what kind of friend you have in Jesus. Write some notes on how they responded. Pray for them each day. Share your experiences with your small group. If you need some help, counsel with your student leader.