

Dave walks in and prostrates himself on the altar

J: Hey Dave... what are you doing?

D: I'm trying to be friends with God... and if I lie on this special looking table
- it might help me to be friends with God!

J: Why do you wanna be friends with God

D: Well, he created everything... and even me
- and to tell the truth... I sort of ignore him a bit
- So he's probably angry at me
- And I thought I'd make it up to him by... y'know just being near this holy table

J: Are you crazy Dave! If you think hanging round that table's gonna make you friends with God... I mean... if you've ignored him most of the time
That table's not gonna help ya!

D: I know, I know... what about if I go and stand next to Mr Abbey
- he's a minister isn't he (runs over Tim)

J: Yeah he's a minister... but if God's really cranky at you for ignoring him
- I think you'll need to do more than hang around Mr Abbey

D: Oh... I know... I know what about church... just going to church... maybe then God will think that I'm good enough to be his friend (runs and sits in pew)

J: Well... sort of... I mean it is good to go to church... but going to church by itself doesn't really make you friends with God

D: Well what does Jason? What can I ever do to be friends with God? How can I know that he's not angry at me anymore? What can I do?

J: Not much really... not much accept trust in Jesus..

D: Trust in Jesus? But didn't he die... how can I trust in him

J: Yeah he did die... on the cross... but y'see, that's how you can be friends with God
- Instead of God being cranky at you for ignoring him
- He did a big SWITCHEROO and Jesus died in your place

D: Wow... Jesus saved me... and he made me friends with God? and all I've gotta do is believe in him?

J: That's right Dave... and all you have to do is believe in him... to be friends with God.
Why don't we thank God for Jesus... Let's pray