

GROWING TOWARD *Spiritual* MATURITY

STUDY 11
HANDOUT A

Mentoring Others

Think About It — Briefly describe a mentoring relationship you have been involved in. What were the positive results of the relationship?

Mentoring is a _____ process between an older, more mature, more knowledgeable, or more skilled person and another person who learns in some _____ way.

“And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses _____ to reliable men who will also be qualified to _____ others.”

—2 Timothy 2:2

“As iron _____ iron, so one man _____ another.”

—Proverbs 27:17

Biblical Character Study on Mentoring Relationships

A. Elijah & Elisha

<u>Nature of the relationship</u>	<u>Benefits of the relationship</u>
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1 Kings 19:19

2 Kings 2:11

1 Kings 19–2 Kings 2

B. Barnabas & Paul

<u>Nature of the relationship</u>	<u>Benefits of the relationship</u>
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Acts 9:17,27–28

Acts 11:26

Acts 13:2

Acts 13:4–13

C. Paul & Timothy

<u>Nature of the relationship</u>	<u>Benefits of the relationship</u>
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2 Timothy 1:2; 2:1–2

Acts 14; 16–21

1 & 2 Timothy

Various Forms of Mentoring

I _____

Discipler

Spiritual Guide

Coach

O _____

Counselor

Teacher

Sponsor

P _____

Model

—Contemporary

—Historical