

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE OF FAITH

This narration may be used to present or introduce Bethel Officers at open meetings such as installations, promotional meetings, etc. Any formation and/or seating arrangement may be used.

NARRATOR:

**We read within the Holy Book
That God created man;
He made the sun, the moon and stars
According to His plan.**

**He gave the melody to the birds –
The honey to the bees,
With grass He covered o'er the earth,
Put fruit upon the trees.**

**To man He gave the virtue, Faith
To trust in Him on high;
For He knows youth must try its wings
Before it learns to fly.**

**Symbolic of that faith – the Cross,
Where Christ was crucified
Reminds us that to have such Faith
Strengthens the soul inside.**

**Around that Cross, a friendship ring
Denotes our Faith in God;**

**His friendship too, we all would seek
As on through life we trod.**

**A friendship circle bound with love
Of prayer, of song, and smile,
Of faith to trust in all our friends
Will make our lives worthwhile.**

Bethel Choir:

**Their songs of friendliness and faith
Ring out for all to hear;
Their youthful voices, rich and true
Make known that He is near.**

Inner and Outer Guard:

**No one should pass our guarded door
Nor seek to enter here,
Unless these daughters, fair, make sure
They're worthy and sincere.**

Junior and Senior Custodian:

**Our properties are ever watched
By Daughters such as these;
They work in perfect harmony
Their aim is but to please.**

Musician:

**Without her music with us to share,
The day would seem too long;**

**We need her joyous melodies
In harmony and song.**

Librarian:

**Our thirst for knowledge in the arts
Is truly virtue rare;
This Daughter answers all our needs
Her wisdom beyond compare.**

Chaplain:

**And who shall teach us how to pray
To put our trust in Him?
Our Chaplain kneels with head bowed low
As Altar lights we dim.**

Recorder:

**On pages spotless, she doth write
Our every act and deed;
Her records tell of faith and love
For friendship is our creed.**

Treasurer:

**In terms of gold we count our wealth,
But gold cannot compare,
With youth and beauty of one we trust,
This precious Daughter fair.**

Messengers:

**Our Messengers, so fair of face,
Bring tales of joy and woe;**

**They teach us to have faith in friends
And trust in those we know.**

**They practice honesty and truth
And try to set the pace,
So all of us who follow them,
Will cherish this Holy place.**

Marshal:

**As Pilgrims seek to know the truth
And meaning of our creed,
Our Marshal fair is there to aid
She's there to take the lead.**

Guide:

**In everything we do and say
In fun or service planned,
Our daughter guide is always here
To lend a helping hand.**

Junior and Senior Princess:

**As in the Book of Job we read
There were three Daughters fair, -
Comes now two Princesses in view
Their beauty to compare.**

**We know when God created man,
He planned a beauteous face,
For here we see His work of art**

In loveliness and grace.

Honored Queen:

**And know the eldest of the three
Oh yonder the threshold stands,
She learned the lessons of his love
Heed well all his commands.**

**For she is truly fair of face
And walks with regal air,
We know that God created her
The fairest of the fair.**

**Before you now these Daughters stand
In youthfulness and grace,
They are the fairest in the land
And none can take their place.**

**To you, my Daughters, have such faith
That when your work is through
You'll know that you have learned to live
As He would want you to.**

**Always turn to Him for help,
Don't ever turn away;
For He alone can give you strength
As you go on your way.**