



...On True Friendship

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“ I have much more faith in a kind man than I do in mankind.”

-- William A. Welker

Yours truly first shared the above quo-

tation with readers over 15 years ago. Have my thoughts on this subject changed? Not really.

As I look back on my life, I think of my family members when I think of true friendship. After that, the list can be numbered in the single digits -- and for me, the

majority of these few friendships are found in the realm of the wrestling community.

What we often find in our lives is that the amount of friends we have is like the following analogy: "Lots of dollars are to lots of friends as few dollars are to few friends. " Count your friends when you're