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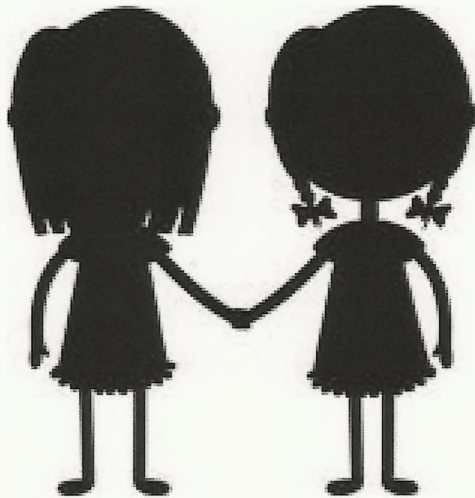
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A Forever Best Friend by Jennie Easter

As journalist Elizabeth Fishel once said, “A sister is both your mirror and your opposite.” I get told all the time that my sister and I are like night and day. We have very different personalities and we look nothing alike, but we also have a lot in common and have a great connection. Three reasons why I love having a sister are because I’ll always have someone to talk to and that I can trust, I have two closets to find clothes in, and when I’m bored I always have her to hang out with and make memories.

When I have no one else to talk to, I know I can always turn to my sister. I can always trust her, and she’ll always tell the truth and give me her honest opinion. Having a sister is like having a built-in best friend. I know I may not always have the same best friends I do now, but I will always have my sister. Growing up we have been through a lot together, which makes us very close and that’s why we have such a strong relationship.

Another reason why I love having a sister is sharing closets. My sister and I are close to same size, so most of our clothes fit each other. When we can’t find anything to wear, we can go into each other’s closets and look; however, we don’t always like sharing. Since I’m the oldest, my sister gets all my old clothes that I don’t want anymore, and she doesn’t



have to buy as many clothes when we go school shopping. I’m glad that I have a sister with whom I can share clothes.

Growing up, I have always had my sister to play and hangout. When we would get in trouble, our parents wouldn’t let us hang out with our friends, so all we

had was each other. Sometimes that wasn’t a bad thing, because we learned to like each other and get along. Nowadays, we don’t fight as much, and it’s more fun to hang out with each other. Most of my memories throughout my life have been made with my sister.

Having a sister is one of the greatest gifts anyone can receive. It’s easy to have a sister that talks, shares, trusts and makes memories with me—a forever best friend. Having a sister has taught me many things throughout my life. Being a sister has also helped and shaped me to become the person I am today. I am so thankful to have a sister to not only argue with at times, but to cherish every moment of my childhood with. Marian Eigerman spoke truthfully when she said, “A loyal sister is worth a thousand friends.”