

# Don't Be Talkin' 'Bout Friends

## Acappella

Of all the things to do to a friend  
You hurt them by your tongue.  
Relationships will fatally end  
Without a knife or gun.

Waitin' till you 're back behind them,  
Then you put them down  
How could you be talkin' 'bout them  
When they're not around?

Chorus:

Don't be talkin' 'bout friends when they're not around  
Don't be cuttin' their hearts and puttin' them down.  
Don't be temptin' the Lord and makin' Him frown,  
Don't be talkin' 'bout your friends when they're not around.

How all the gossip falls on our ears  
It doesn't make much sense,  
How we can cause the innocent tears,  
Not helping their defense.

Listening, we all should fear it,  
Listening is wrong.  
If there were no one to hear it  
It could not go on.

Repeat Chorus

Too many friendships have been broken  
By just a simple, careless word spoken.

Repeat Chorus (x2)

Don't be talkin' down, throwin' down, cuttin' down friends  
Why not treat them more like friends (when they're not around)?  
Don't be saying lots of things, overlook the hurt it brings  
Don't be talkin' bout your friends (when they're not around).

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