My Friends

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One friend, two friends, three and four, Who is the friend that I like more? Richard lets me ride his bike; Sarah knows the songs I like. Kim and I can draw quite well; Janet likes me, I can tell. Carlos calms my fear of math; Katie gave my dog a bath! David's stories make me smile; Rosa makes the day worthwhile. Each friend has a special way— I think I'll ask them *all* to play!

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