



# FANCY NANCY TEA FOR TWO

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## SUMMARY

Nancy's best friend Bree just got a fancy new tea set made of real china! Nancy and Bree are so excited to have a tea party with their dolls with the new set. But when it breaks, will their friendship survive the fight? Who's to blame? Does it matter?



## Questions:

1. Have you ever passed notes with a friend or written letters? How does it feel to get a letter?
2. How do you think Bree felt when she got such a nice gift from her aunt? How do you think Nancy felt when she learned she would get to play with it? Even if your friend shares something with you, is it still mostly theirs or is it completely equal? Does that depend what they're sharing?
3. Are things extra-special when they used to belong to someone else? How do you think Bree's mom feels when she watches Bree play with a tea set that was once hers to play with as a girl?
4. Is it fair to take turns, or should Bree get to decide how to play because the set is hers? If you were Bree, how would you feel? How would you feel if you were Nancy? Can both of them be right? Can both of them be wrong?
5. When the teapot breaks and Bree is upset, what should Nancy do? How can she help Bree feel better?
6. When you get upset with a friend should you yell at them and say you never want to be friends again? What's a good way to stay calm when you're angry so you don't say something you don't mean?
7. Should you apologize when you break something or hurt someone's feelings, even if it was an accident? Is it always easy to say you're sorry? If it's not easy, why should you do it anyway?
8. Is it more important to be right or to be friends with someone? What if thinking you're right (whether you are or not) is going to ruin your friendship?
9. When someone apologizes, does that mean they were 100% wrong and you were 100% right? Sometimes do both people need to apologize? How do you know?
10. Can you fix a broken friendship like you fix a broken teapot?