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**Theme Worksheet (Matching) ELA-Literacy.RL.7.2**

A theme is the central message of a story that the author wishes to convey to the reader.

Directions: Draw a line to match the theme to its message.

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| A. Courage      | 1. Stand by your friend in good and bad times. |
| B. Hope         | 2. Don't give up.                              |
| C. Friendship   | 3. The opposite of violence.                   |
| D. Peace        | 4. Remember those in your life.                |
| E. Loyalty      | 5. Face your fears and don't be afraid.        |
| F. Perseverance | 6. Believe in something.                       |
| G. Dedication   | 7. Share your common interests and passions.   |
| H. Honor        | 8. Stand up for someone or something.          |
| I. Remembrance  | 9. Pay respect to someone or something.        |