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The Color Purple: (e)ii Female bonds table

Female characters	Key letters	The development of their relationship	Significance/message
Celie and Nettie	3, 7, 11, 52, 54, 85, 90		
Celie and Shug	6, 14, 22, 24, 25, 26, 33, 34, 35, 46, 47, 60, 68, 69, 73, 76, 83, 89		
Celie and Sofia	19, 21, 28, 37, 78, 84		