

## Devoted to One Another

Acts 2:42-47 and Romans 12:9-13

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### 1. Devoted to One Another in Your Thinking

Romans 12:2-3 says: Do not be conformed to this world,<sup>[a]</sup> but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.<sup>1</sup> For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.

Philippians 2:2-5 “complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind.<sup>3</sup> Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.<sup>4</sup> Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.<sup>5</sup> Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus

### 2. Devoted to One Another in Your Serving

Mark 10:43b-45 – But whoever would be great among you must be your servant,<sup>[a]</sup> **44** and whoever would be first among you must be slave<sup>[b]</sup> of all. **45** For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

John 13:13-15 – You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for so I am. **14** If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. **15** For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you.

### 3. Devoted to One Another in Your Praying

### 4. Devoted to One Another in Your Giving

James 2:15-17 – If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food,<sup>16</sup> and one of you says to them, “Go in peace, be warmed and filled,” without giving them the things needed for the body, what good<sup>[a]</sup> is that? <sup>17</sup> So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.

Galatians 6:10 So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.