

8. Impartial - Romans 1:14

I am a debtor both to Greeks and to barbarians, both to wise and to unwise

9. Available - Romans 1:15

...So, as much as is in me, I am ready to preach the gospel to you who are in Rome also.

10. Not Ashamed - Romans 1:16

For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek.



Thankful	Humble
Serve with spirit	Fruitful
Prayerful	Impartial
Submissive	Available
Giving	Not Ashamed

**Session 4
Romans 1:1-16**

Questions

Following the Model of Service

- Name 2 areas that mark you in your service
- Name 3 areas where you need God’s help
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Pray for One Another that God will grant the ability to follow the Apostle Paul’s life as he followed Jesus Christ.



The Fellowship
Resources for the Body of Christ

Outline of this Series

Session 1 – Living Sacrifices Romans 12:1-2

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The Style of Serving in the Body

The Sacrifice, The Body, The Giftings - Romans 12:1-8

God give the grace so that we operate in the gifts. We may become physically tired but once rested will again move in the gift and not burn out. We seek His direction as we operate in these Giftings.

Giftings from the Father

1. Prophesying – Encourage Trust in God
2. Serving (ministry) Personal Abilities Helps for Kingdom Growth
3. Teaching – Encourage Understanding Bible
4. Exhortation – Encourage Godly Lifestyle
5. Giving – Personal Finances Invested for Kingdom Growth
6. Leading – Structure for Kingdom Growth
7. Showing Mercy – Restoring People to Kingdom Living

A Model of Service Romans 1:1-16

His Nature

Bondservant & Called

Paul, a bondservant of Jesus Christ, called to be an apostle, separated to the gospel of God... among whom you also are the called of Jesus Christ;

Exodus 21:5-6 the pierced ear

Old Testament Servants

Abraham – Genesis 26:24; Moses –Numbers 12:7;

Joshua – Joshua 24:29; David – 2 Samuel 7:5; Isaiah – Isaiah 20:3

New Testament Servants

James- James 1:1; Peter 2 Peter 1:1; John; Revelation 1:1

Jesus Matthew 20:26-27

His Example

1. Thankful – Romans 1:8

First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for you all, that your faith is spoken of throughout the whole world.

2. Serve with Spirit - Romans 1:9a

For God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in the gospel of His Son...

3. Prayerful - Romans 1:9b

...that without ceasing I make mention of you always in my prayers...

4. Submissive - Romans 1:10

...making request if, by some means, now at last I may find a way in the will of God to come to you.

5. Giving - Romans 1:11

For I long to see you, that I may impart to you some spiritual gift, so that you may be established—

6. Humble - Romans 1:12

...that is, that I may be encouraged together with you by the mutual faith both of you and me.

7. Fruitful - Romans 1:13

...Now I do not want you to be unaware, brethren, that I often planned to come to you (but was hindered until now), that I might have some fruit among you also, just as among the other Gentiles.