

“Basic Duties to Living Out a Transformed Life”
Part 7
Romans 12:9-21

Intro: • We offer God our lives in our reasonable responses of worship vs. 12

- We exercise the spiritual gifts given us by God to
Serve Him in the building of His church vs. 3-8

Then we begin to live like this:

I. Our personal duties vs. 9

- a) Love without hypocrisy
- b) Hate what is evil
- c) Cling to what is good

II. Our duty to the church family vs. 10-13

Eph. 4:1-3, 25-32; Col. 3:12-17

- 1) Be devoted in brotherly love
- 2) Prefer one another in honor
- 3) Do not lag in diligence
- 4) Fervent in Spirit
- 5) Serving the Lord
- 6) Rejoicing in hope
- 7) Persevering in tribulation
- 8) Be devoted to prayer
- 9) Contributing to the needs of the saints
- 10) Practicing hospitality

III. Our duty to all people vs. 14-21

Romans 13:8, 10

1) Bless those who persecute you

Matt. 5:44-48; 1 Peter 2:21-23; Luke 23:34; Acts 7:60

2) Rejoice with those who rejoice

Luke 15:5-10; 1 Cor. 12:26; 2 Cor. 2:3; Phil. 2:17-18

3) Weep with those who weep

Neh. 1:2-4; John 11:33-36; Jeremiah 9:1

4) Do not be partial

James 2:1-9; 1 Cor. 1:10; 1 Peter 3:8

5) Avoid haughtiness

Romans 11:20-22; 1 Sam. 2:3

6) Associate with the lowly

Luke 14:12-14; Hebrews 13:3

7) Do not view yourself better than others

Romans 11:25; 12:3; Proverbs 3:7; 26:12

8) Never return evil for evil

1 Thess. 5:15; 1 Peter 3:9-18; Proverbs 24:29

9) Always respect what is right

2 Cor. 8:21; Titus 3:8

10) Live in peace with everyone

Psalms 34:14; Romans 14:17, 19; Hebrews 12:14; James 3:16-18

11) Never average yourself

Proverbs 20:22; Leviticus 19:18; Nahum 1:2-3; Romans 12:14

12) Overcome evil with good

Proverbs 16:32; Luke 6:27-35; 1 John 5:4-5

