

# Adventure (US)

Moving relationships from monotonous to adventurous.

<sup>1</sup> And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. **Let them be a living and holy sacrifice – the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him.** <sup>2</sup> Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but **let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think.** Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.

<sup>3</sup> Because of the privilege and authority God has given me, I give each of you this warning: **Don't think you are better than you really are. Be honest in your evaluation of yourselves, measuring yourselves by the faith God has given us.** <sup>4</sup> Just as our bodies have many parts and each part has a special function, <sup>5</sup> so it is with Christ's body. **We are many parts of one body, and we all belong to each other.**

<sup>6</sup> **In his grace, God has given us different gifts for doing certain things well.** So if God has given you the ability to prophesy, speak out with as much faith as God has given you. <sup>7</sup> If your gift is serving others, serve them well. If you are a teacher, teach well. <sup>8</sup> If your gift is to encourage others, be encouraging. If it is giving, give generously. If God has given you leadership ability, take the responsibility seriously. And if you have a gift for showing kindness to others, do it gladly.

<sup>9</sup> Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good.

<sup>10</sup> Love each other with genuine affection, and **take delight in honoring each other.** <sup>11</sup> Never be lazy, but work hard and serve the Lord enthusiastically. <sup>12</sup> Rejoice in our confident hope. Be patient in trouble, and keep on praying. <sup>13</sup> **When God's people are in need, be ready to help them. Always be eager to practice hospitality.**

<sup>14</sup> Bless those who persecute you. Don't curse them; pray that God will bless them. <sup>15</sup> Be happy with those who are happy, and weep with those who weep. <sup>16</sup> **Live in harmony with each other. Don't be too proud to enjoy the company of ordinary people. And don't think you know it all!**

ROMANS 12:1-16

NEW LIVING TRANSLATION

## GOD HAS MORE ADVENTURE FOR US:

When I offer up the \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

You get the \_\_\_\_\_ of me when: \_\_\_\_\_

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You can \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_

Here's what \_\_\_\_\_: