

Sermon Title: **Therefore, Be Devoted**

Sermon Text: Romans 12:12

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Sermon Notes:

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Bible Reading: Romans 8:12-17

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## QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

Read Romans 8:12-14. The beginning of verse 12 uses the same Greek word as is found in Romans 12:1 that is translated as “therefore.” In light of what you have learned so far in chapter 8, what do Christians have an obligation to do (v.12-13)?

What does it mean “to put to death the deeds of the body” (v.13)?

Write down a sin pattern you struggle with. How can you put this sin to death?

How would you describe the difference between applying the gospel to our hearts and resisting sin just in our behavior?

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Read Romans 8:14-17. Who are the sons of God?

According to verse 15, how do believers become the sons of God?

In the Roman world, if someone was adopted, he immediately:

- got a new name,
- became an heir of all his new father had,
- his old debts were cancelled,
- his new father became liable for his actions, and
- the new son had an obligation to please and honor his father.

Realizing that this is the cultural context of this passage, how does it make you feel to be adopted in this way by God?

What are the privileges of being an adopted son of God?

- Verse 15a
  
  
- Verse 15b
  
  
- Verse 16
  
  
- Verse 17