

## Life Together (Relationships)

### Tools of the Trade (Part Two)

Romans 12:11-21

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#### From last week (Romans 12:1-10)

1. The most essential relationship tool is to give everything to God (12:1-2)
2. Good relationships depend on certain tools of personal character.
  - Tool #1 – Humility (12:3-8)
  - Tool #2 - Genuine, Bible-defined love (12:9)
  - Tool #3 - Moral integrity (12:9)
  - Tool #4 - Warm affection (12:10)
  - Tool #5 - An attitude of respect (12:10)

#### This week: (Romans 12:11-21)

- Tool #6 – Enthusiasm about serving the Lord (12:11)
- Tool #7 – Hopefulness (12:12)
- Tool #8 – Patience during hard times (12:12)
- Tool #9 – Stubborn devotion to prayer (12:12)
- Tool #10 – Generosity (12:13)
- Tool #11 – Welcoming new relationships (12:13)
- Tool #12 – Blessing persecutors (12:14)
- Tool #13 – Empathy (12:15)
- Tool #14 – Impartiality (12:16 cf 12:3)
- Tool #15 – Concern for your reputation as a Christian (12:17-18)
- Tool #16 – Trust in God's justice (12:18-21)