

Small Group Discussion Questions (Romans 15) November 8, 2018

- 1. Read Romans 15:2. Who is your "neighbor" and how can you please him "for his good, to build him up"? In other words, what are some specific ways you can help build up those around you?
- 2. Read Romans 15:26-17. How would you describe your attitude when you give to others? Are you pleased to do it? Would others describe you as generous with your time, money, and resources? Why or why not?
- 3. How can you live more sacrificially to help build others up? Think specifically about those closest to you—your wife, kids, community, friends, co-workers, neighbors. What are some ways you use your "power" for your own comfort and gain instead of being like Christ and considering the needs of others?
- 4. Paul asks the Romans to "strive together with me in your prayers to God on my behalf" (Romans 15:30b). In his commentary on this passage, Tim Keller says we are to be on mission by being on our knees. Simply put, how is your prayer life?
- 5. We would all agree Paul made his time on earth count. Would you say the same for your own life? Why or why not? What does a lifetime of making disciples look like for you?

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