



Textual Outline for Romans 12:1-2

A ¹I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.

B ²And do not be conformed to this world,

B' but be transformed by the renewing of your mind,

A' that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

Textual Outline for Romans 12:3-8

A ³For I say, through the grace given to me, to everyone who is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, as God has dealt to each one a measure of faith.

B ⁴For as we have many members in one body,

C but all the members do not have the same function,

B' ⁵so we, being many, are one body in Christ,

C' and individually members of one another.

A' ⁶Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; ⁷or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; ⁸he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness.



Outline for Romans 12:1-2

A Recognizing that our lives are sacrifices to the Lord (12:1). Living, Holy, and Acceptable

B The Command: Do not be conformed to this world (12:2a)

B' The Command: Be transformed (12:2b)

A Testing all things in our lives (12:2c). Good, Acceptable, and Perfect

Outline for Romans 12:3-8

A Grace has been given to us (12:3)

B We are many members of one body (12:4a)

C We are all individuals with different functions (12:4b)

B' We are many members of Christ's body (12:5a)

C' We are all individuals (12:5c)

A' Grace has been given to us (12:6-8)

Outline for Romans 12:6-8

The Thesis: Grace Given, Grace Distributed (12:6a)

A Gifts of Prophecy (words) (12:6b)

B Gifts of Ministry (actions) (12:7a)

A' Gifts of Teaching and Exhorting (words) (12:7b-8a)

B' Gifts of Giving, Leading, Mercy (actions) (12:8b)