Real Christian Community Series

“Devoted to One Another”

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Introduction:
A. “_________ is one of God’s ______________.” R. Carlson
B. Today we want to learn something about _______ _________ to one another.

I. Devoted to One Another
A. Analogies to illustrate the life of the ___________.
   1. The analogy of the church as _________ _________.
   2. The analogy of the church as _________.
B. This concept of ________ adds a dimension of warmth, tenderness, concern and loyalty.
C. The term “brotherly love” is the Greek word _____________ and refers to the love that should exist among close friends.
D. The phrase “be devoted” comes from the Greek word ____________, and comes from the root word for the mutual love of parents and children.
E. It can be translated “show loving _________” or “love ________.”

II. How to be Devoted to One Another
A. _______ commitment to _________ stands as a perfect example of being devoted to one another. (Ruth 1:8-18)
B. Developing Devoted Love:
   1. _______________
   2. _______________
   3. _______________
C. Demonstrating Devoted Love:
   1. Be _______________
   2. Be _______________
   3. Be _______________