

Romans 16

1. What is the value of showing appreciation publicly?
2. Write down a list of people that have had a Godly influence in your life this past year. Next to their name, write down specifically how you have grown because of them. Knowing that this information will do no good if it stays on this paper, what will you do about it?
 - b.) How can you follow in Paul's example?

<i>PAUL'S COMMENDATION OF WOMEN</i>	
Woman	Service Rendered
Apphia	Hosted the church in her home (Philem. 2)
Euodia and Syntyche	Labored with Paul in the gospel (Phil. 4:2, 3)
Lydia	Heard Paul and opened her home to him and fellow believers (Acts 16:11–15, 40 ; see also Phil. 1:1, 3–6)
Mary	Labored much for the gospel (Rom. 16:6)
Persis	Labored much in the Lord (Rom. 16:12)
Phoebe	Helped many (Rom 16:1, 2)
Priscilla	Risked her life for Paul's life (Rom. 16:3, 4)
Rufus' mother	Fulfilled the role of a mother to Paul (Rom. 16:13)
Tryphena and Tryphosa	Labored in the Lord (Rom. 16:12)

3. Who needs to be avoided according to verses 17 & 18?

b.) Why should you avoid them?

c.) Write down the descriptions Paul uses of them. Do you know of anyone like this?

d.) Can any of these things be said of you?

4. In verse 19 Paul comments on the report about the community of Christians in Rome. For what spiritual quality were they known?

B.) What report could be given about our church?

C.) What report could be given about you individually?

5. Paul had a great love for the Lord's Church and it is evident in this warm chapter. How well do you love the Church?

(Were not talking about the building, but the people.)

6. How much do you miss the people of God when you aren't there?

7. How can you know if you have a healthy love for the church?