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Series: Act Like A Christian

Title: Christians Have A High Level of devotion.

Text: Acts 2:42

Devoted to the teaching of the apostles

proskartereō means "to continue to do something with intense effort, with the possible implication of despite difficulty – 'to devote oneself to, to keep on, to persist in'"

In order to hear the apostles teaching they had to be present.

Christians love to attend Bible studies.

Acts 17:11 - Now the Bereans were of more noble character than the Thessalonians, for they received the message with great eagerness and examined the Scriptures every day to see if what Paul said was true.

Christians love to attend worship.

Psalms 100:2 - Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

Acts 13:2 - While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them."

Christians love to be challenged to be more devoted.

Hebrews 10:24-25 - ²⁴And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. ²⁵Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

One of the signs of the return of Christ is Apostasy.

To fall away from a former belief or position.

2 Thessalonians 2:3 - Don't let anyone deceive you in any way, for (that day will not come) until the rebellion (or falling away) occurs and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the man doomed to destruction.