

NEW YEAR: CHALLENGE AND PROMISE

ROMANS 13

A NEW
YEAR...





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- Should we?
 - Could we?
 - Must we?



'TIED UP IN KNOTS' HE DOESN'T WANT

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- THE CONTEXT
 - A CHALLENGE
 - A (COVENANTAL) PROMISE



WHO WERE THESE PEOPLE?

THEY WERE AT THE BEGINNING OF SOMETHING...



THEY WERE SUFFERING...



THEY WERE
STRUGGLING
FOR IDENTITY...





THEY WERE PASSIONATE...

IMPORTANT CAVEAT



SUBJECT TO/ SUBMITTED
TO...



THE PROMISE...



LOVE FULFILLS
THE LAW...

A framed piece of art with the text "LOVE WINS." written in a bold, black, hand-drawn font. The text is centered on a white background within a black frame. The frame has a slight shadow, giving it a three-dimensional appearance.

LOVE
WINS.

LOVE ONE
ANOTHER...

COMMIT TO
LOVE...

LET NO DEBT
remain outstanding
except the
CONTINUING ^{DEBT} TO
LOVE
one another
for whoever loves others has
FULFILLED THE LAW

