

True Love Will Not Judge

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Matthew.7:1,2.

1“Do not judge, or you too will be judged.

2 For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

Matthew 7:3-5.

3“Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother’s eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye?

4How can you say to your brother, ‘Let me take the speck out of your eye,’ when all the time there is a plank in your own eye?

5You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother’s eye.

Luke 7:31-35

31“To what then shall I compare the people of this generation, and what are they like?

32 They are like children who sit in the marketplace and call to one another, and say, ‘We played the flute for you, and you did not dance; we sang a song of mourning, and you did not weep.

33 For John the Baptist has come neither eating bread nor drinking wine, and you say, ‘He has a demon!’

34 The Son of Man has come eating and drinking, and you say, ‘Behold, a gluttonous man and a [u]heavy drinker, a friend of tax collectors and [v]sinners!’

35And yet wisdom is vindicated by all her children.”

Romans 14:3,4,13.

3 Let not him who eats despise him who does not eat, and let not him who does not eat judge him who eats; for God has received him.

4 Who are you to judge another’s servant? To his own master he stands or falls. Indeed, he will be made to stand, for God is able to make him stand.

Romans 14:13

13.13Therefore let us not judge one another anymore, but rather resolve this, not to put a stumbling block or a cause to fall in our brother’s way.

Romans 2:1-3.

1 Therefore you are inexcusable, O man, whoever you are who judge, for in whatever you judge another you condemn yourself; for you who judge practice the same things.

2 But we know that the judgment of God is according to truth against those who practice such things.

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3 And do you think this, O man, you who judge those practicing such things, and doing the same, that you will escape the judgment of God?

Luke: 12:13,14.

13 Now someone in the crowd said to Him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me."

14 But He said to him, "You there—who appointed Me a judge or arbitrator over the two of you?"

Luke. 18:9-14

Prayer of a Pharisee and a publican! Judging one's spirituality.

Matthew.7:21-23.

21 "Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of My Father who is in heaven will enter.

22 Many will say to Me on that day, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in Your name, and in Your name cast out demons, and in Your name perform many [s]miracles?'

23 And then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; LEAVE ME, YOU WHO PRACTICE LAWLESSNESS.'

James 4:11,12.

11 Do not speak against one another, brothers, and sisters. The one who speaks against a brother or sister, or judges his brother or sister, speaks against the law, and judges the law; but if you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law but a judge of it.

12 There is only one Lawgiver and Judge, the One who is able to save and to destroy; but who are you, [j]udging your neighbor?

1 Corinthians 4:3-5.

3 But to me it is an insignificant matter that I would be examined by you, or by any human court; in fact, I do not even examine myself.

4 For I am not aware of anything against myself; however, I am not vindicated by this, but the one who examines me is the Lord.

5 Therefore do not go on passing judgment before the time, but wait until the Lord comes, who will both bring to light the things hidden in the darkness and disclose the motives of human hearts; and then praise will come to each person from God.

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1 Corinthians 10:32,33.

31 Therefore, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all things for the glory of God. 32 Do not offend Jews or Greeks, or the church of God; 33 just as I also please everyone in all things, not seeking my own benefit but the benefit of the many, so that they may be saved.

2 Samuel 6:16.

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To conclude:

Judge not!

Concentrate on your own log

Cannot judge with our limited knowledge

Esteem others better than ourselves