

Judging Others

Being judgmental, while being universally despised, seems to be everywhere present. We live in a highly censorious era, and we are not immune to the disease of being judgmental in ways that dishonor God and harm others.

In his great mercy, Christ does not merely command us not to judge, he offers us three compelling reasons not to judge others.

We must not judge others in light of...

1. Future Rewards vs. 37-38
 - a. Divinely administered
 - b. Humanly administered
 - c. In abundance!

2. Present Inability vs. 39-40
 - a. We are blind
 - b. We are not above our master

3. Severe Indictment vs. 41-42
 - a. A hypocrite?
 - b. Beams and Specks
 - c. Radical humility

Application:

1. Have you ever believed that you are a worse sinner than the person/people you judge?
2. Do you need to repent of the sin of judging others?
3. Do you know how God will judge you?