

TREATING PEOPLE AS JESUS WOULD

Matthew 7:1-12

Don't be so _____ (v.1)

Judge: krino - to distinguish, i.e. decide (mentally or judicially); by implication, to try, condemn, punish: KJV - avenge, conclude, condemn, decree, determine, esteem, judge, ordain, call in question, sentence to, think

...a woman came to Him with an alabaster vial of very costly perfume, and she poured it on His head as He reclined at the table. 8 But the disciples were indignant when they saw this, and said, "Why this waste? 9 "For this perfume might have been sold for a high price and the money given to the poor." 10 But Jesus, aware of this, said to them, "Why do you bother the woman? For she has done a good deed to Me. 11 "For you always have the poor with you; but you do not always have Me. 12 "For when she poured this perfume on My body, she did it to prepare Me for burial. 13 "Truly I say to you, wherever this gospel is preached in the whole world, what this woman has done will also be spoken of in memory of her." Matthew 26:7-13

Only judge others by a _____ I would also want to be _____ by (v.2)

Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Matthew 5:7 (NIV)

(vv.3-5) Pharisees judged _____ look good _____ to make _____

Disciples judge _____ look good _____ so that they can help _____

...first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your brother's eye.(v.5)

The illustration of the eye teaches us: Having a plank (hypocrisy) in my eye makes me unable see someone's _____ or _____ their problem

**The eye is the most _____ part of the body
A speck in the eye makes a _____ existence
Removing a speck requires _____
Without great caution, I can cause _____**

**Don't be so _____ (v.6)
"Do not give dogs what is sacred Matthew 7:6 (NIV)**

(Herod) questioned Him (Jesus) at some length; but He answered him nothing. Luke 23:9-10

How do I not be too critical or too gullible? (vv.7-11)

**I will only keep asking, seeking and knocking if I _____ the _____
...it shall be given, ...ye shall find, ...it shall be opened (v.7) (KJV)**

**This promise is for _____ (v.8)
For everyone who asks receives (v.8)**

Why should I trust this promise? (vv. 9-11)

**Jesus _____ the entire Sermon on the Mount
in one verse (v.12)
"In everything, therefore, treat people the same way you want them to treat you, for this is the Law and the Prophets. Matthew 7:12**