

You never get a second chance to make a _____

All too often we classify or we develop this point of view of a person by the _____ that they are caught in

Matthew 7:1-2- 1 “Do not judge, so that you won’t be judged. 2For you will be judged by the same standard with which you judge others, and you will be measured by the same measure you use

John 8-1 - 1 But Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. 2 At dawn he went to the temple again, and all the people were coming to him. He sat down and began to teach them.

- Jesus spent more time _____ than anything else

3Then the scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman caught in adultery, making her stand in the center. 4“Teacher,” they said to him, “this woman was caught in the act of committing adultery. 5 In the law Moses commanded us to stone such women. So what do you say?” 6They asked this to trap him, in order that they might have evidence to accuse him. Jesus stooped down and started writing on the ground with his finger.

- There were 3 things at stake here for Jesus

1. The law of _____

2. The _____

3. The _____ of Jesus

- Writing – _____ – to write, with reference to the contents of the writing used of those things which stand written in the sacred books (of the OT)

- This term is only found in the _____ and it is to refer or point back to something in the Old Testament, or in reference to OT scripture. For example “It is written”

7 When they persisted in questioning him, he stood up and said to them, "The one without sin among you should be the first to throw a stone at her."

- Jesus never said not to stone her, He knew by saying this statement, that He would have been the only person _____ to actually cast a stone

8Then he stooped down again and continued writing on the ground. 9When they heard this, they left one by one, starting with the older men. Only he was left, with the woman in the center. 10When Jesus stood up, he said to her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" 11"No one, Lord," she answered. "Neither do I condemn you," said Jesus. "Go, and from now on do not sin anymore."

- Jesus did not condemn the woman for her sin, but he did not _____ it either.

- John 3:17 - For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

People in attendance:

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- Matthew 7:1-5- 1 "Do not judge, so that you won't be judged. 2For you will be judged by the same standard with which you judge others, and you will be measured by the same measure you use. 3Why do you look at the splinter in your brother's eye but don't notice the beam of wood in your own eye? 4Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the splinter out of your eye,' and look, there's a beam of wood in your own eye? 5Hypocrite! First take the beam of wood out of your eye, and then you will see clearly to take the splinter out of your brother's eye.

At the end of the day we need to treat people with kindness no matter how _____

- Matthew 25:35-40 35 "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat; I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink; I was a stranger and you took me in; 36I was naked and you clothed me; I was sick and you took care of me; I was in prison and you visited me.' 37 "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? 38When did we see you a stranger and take you in, or without clothes and clothe you? 39When did we see you sick, or in prison, and visit you?' 40 "And the King will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'

If we view anyone or see them as anything other than a _____ we are doing a disservice to our creator.