

Questions Jesus is Asking- Judge Not  
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Matthew 7:1-6

*"Judge not, that you be not judged. <sup>2</sup> For with what judgment you judge, you will be judged; and with the measure you use, it will be measured back to you. <sup>3</sup> And why do you look at the speck in your brother's eye, but do not consider the plank in your own eye? <sup>4</sup> Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me remove the speck from your eye'; and look, a plank is in your own eye? <sup>5</sup> Hypocrite! First remove the plank from your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.*

<sup>6</sup> *"Do not give what is holy to the dogs; nor cast your pearls before swine, lest they trample them under their feet, and turn and tear you in pieces.*

**1) Don't Judge Others**

Matthew 7:1-2

*Judge not, that you be not judged. <sup>2</sup> For with what judgment you judge, you will be judged; and with the measure you use, it will be measured back to you.*

Matthew 5:20

*"For I tell you that unless your righteousness surpasses that of the Pharisees and the teachers of the law,*

*you will certainly not enter the kingdom of heaven."*

**2) Do Judge Yourself**

Matthew 7:3-5

*And why do you look at the speck in your brother's eye, but do not consider the plank in your own eye? <sup>4</sup> Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me remove the speck from your eye'; and look, a plank is in your own eye? <sup>5</sup> Hypocrite! First remove the plank from your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.*

Matthew 7:4

*Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me remove the speck from your eye'; and look, a plank is in your own eye?*

Matthew 7:6

*"Do not give dogs what is sacred; do not throw your pearls to pigs. If you do, they may trample them under their feet, and turn and tear you to pieces."*

**There is a difference between being judgmental and being descriptive.**

John 3:16-17

*"For God so loved the world that he gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. <sup>17</sup> For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn (judge) the world, but to save the world through him."*

**You can disagree with someone without hating them.**

**Removing the Plank**

- Ask yourself
- Ask the Holy Spirit
- Ask someone else

*"What is life like on the other side of me?"*

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