



# Sermon on the Mount

Week 4 Do Not Judge Others



## The Progression of the Message

Jesus begins the sermon asking us to reflect on our own \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter 6 looks primary at our relationship/connection with \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter 7 covers our relationship/connection with \_\_\_\_\_

## Do Not Judge

The word judge used here is the word “*krino*” and it means to pass \_\_\_\_\_, it’s an active verb which means you are \_\_\_\_\_ someone.

If we judge others God will \_\_\_\_\_

We should therefore our own \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_

We are subject to \_\_\_\_\_ in the body but not meant to be \_\_\_\_\_ over each other therefore \_\_\_\_\_ one another and \_\_\_\_\_ quickly.

If people reject the message of Jesus, we are not to \_\_\_\_\_ trying to convince them.

*<sup>1</sup> Do not judge others, and you will not be judged. <sup>2</sup> For you will be treated as you treat others. The standard you use in judging is the standard by which you will be judged. <sup>3</sup> “And why worry about a speck in your friend’s eye when you have a log in your own? <sup>4</sup> How can you think of saying to your friend, ‘Let me help you get rid of that speck in your eye,’ when you can’t see past the log in your own eye? <sup>5</sup> Hypocrite! First get rid of the log in your own eye; then you will see well enough to deal with the speck in your friend’s eye.”* **Matthew 7:1-6 (NLT)**

## God’s Generosity

Jesus encourages us to \_\_\_\_\_ for what we \_\_\_\_\_.

Ask God with an \_\_\_\_\_ that God will \_\_\_\_\_.

As we seek first the Kingdom; God will give to us, what God \_\_\_\_\_ is best for us.

*<sup>7</sup> “Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. <sup>8</sup> For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened. <sup>9</sup> “Which of you, if your son asks for bread, will give him a stone? <sup>10</sup> Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? <sup>11</sup> If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him!”* **Matthew 7:7-11(NIV)**

## “The Golden Rule”

Jesus says in view of God’s \_\_\_\_\_ we should treat others in the same \_\_\_\_\_ we want to be treated. This sums up the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_.

There are many who claim to be \_\_\_\_\_, but they lack \_\_\_\_\_ in their lives.

*<sup>12</sup> So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.”* **Matthew 7:12 (NIV)**

*<sup>13</sup> “Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it. <sup>14</sup> But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it.”* **Matthew 7:13-14 (NIV)**

## False Prophets

We should use \_\_\_\_\_ and know the \_\_\_\_\_ to ensure we are not being \_\_\_\_\_ by false prophets and teachers.

Jesus says watch out for these people who claim to \_\_\_\_\_ on God's behalf but do not have the fruit of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, acknowledging \_\_\_\_\_ and His teachings.

*"<sup>15</sup> Watch out for false prophets. They come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ferocious wolves. <sup>16</sup> By their fruit you will recognize them. Do people pick grapes from thornbushes, or figs from thistles? <sup>17</sup> Likewise, every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. <sup>18</sup> A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, and a bad tree cannot bear good fruit. <sup>19</sup> Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. <sup>20</sup> Thus, by their fruit you will recognize them. <sup>21</sup> Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. <sup>22</sup> Many will say to me on that day, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name and in your name drive out demons and perform many miracles?' <sup>23</sup> Then I will tell them plainly, 'I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!'"*  
Matthew 7:15-23 (NIV)

Jesus is not talking about \_\_\_\_\_ but rather the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

People look at outward \_\_\_\_\_, but God looks at the \_\_\_\_\_.

## Build on the Rock

Do not simply \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus words, build a solid \_\_\_\_\_ on his teachings, a life \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ.

This Word of God is \_\_\_\_\_ for bringing down \_\_\_\_\_ in your life, this Bible is powerful in \_\_\_\_\_. Love \_\_\_\_\_, learn from \_\_\_\_\_, but serve \_\_\_\_\_ and know God's \_\_\_\_\_ which lead to \_\_\_\_\_ in the faith.

*"<sup>24</sup> Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. <sup>25</sup> The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. <sup>26</sup> But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. <sup>27</sup> The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash." <sup>28</sup> When Jesus had finished saying these things, the crowds were amazed at his teaching, <sup>29</sup> because he taught as one who had authority, and not as their teachers of the law."*  
Matthew 7:24-29 (NIV)

*"<sup>11</sup> So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, <sup>12</sup> to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up <sup>13</sup> until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. <sup>14</sup> Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of people in their deceitful scheming. <sup>15</sup> Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ."*

Ephesians 4:11-15 (NIV)