One Another

**Judging** One Another

(Romans 14: 13)

“Therefore let us stop passing **judgment** on **one another**. Instead, make up your mind no to put any stumbling block or obstacle in the way of a brother or sister.”

(Matthew 7:1-2)

“Do not **judge**, or you too will be **judged**. For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.”

**First born**: Gets justice

**Second born:** Gets mercy

**The only righteous judge** is the one **who is willing to take the judgement**.

**Judge:**

-To decided, distinguish, or resolve

-To judge in a court of law

-To expose motives

(1 Corinthians 4:5)

“Therefore judge nothing before the appointed time; wait until the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart. At that time each will receive their praise from God.”

(Matthew 7:3-5)

“Why do you look at the **speck of sawdust** in your brother’s eye and pay no attention to the **plank in your own eye**? How can you say to your brother, ‘Let me take the speck out of your eye,’ when all the time there is a plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, **first take the plank out** of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother’s eye.”

1. Don’t apply motives to the decisions of others.
2. Don’t focus on the small things in others, change the world by changing yourself.
3. Don’t control others with a pattern of criticism.

**If you have to get what you need through judgement—there’s something missing in you.**