

HALF TRUTHS

MESSAGE #1: DO NOT JUDGE

A half-truth can be dangerous because it has enough truth to make it sound believable and enough error to mess up your life if you really buy into it. One of the biggest myths floating around out there is, "We have no right to judge." It sounds a lot like something Jesus said... but what did He really mean?

ICEBREAKER

What human trait do you find off-putting?

DIG DEEPER

1. Read **Matthew 7:1-6**. Jesus words on Judgement. What was Jesus condemning?
2. What picture did Jesus use to illustrate the point? What does this teach us? (
3. What is the difference between exercising judgment and being judgmental?
4. Share about a time when you made a good judgment call.
5. Have you ever tried to save someone else some pain? What did you learn from the experience?
6. Have you ever avoided talking to someone about a problem? Why? Would you do the same thing the next time?
7. Has someone ever corrected you? How did it go? How would you like someone to do it in the future?

TAKE IT HOME

We must be discerning as we make our way through life. But we have to be at least as willing to see our faults as those of others. Love makes us speak up. Humility makes us kind. Use good judgment but don't be judgmental.