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How to Both Judge and Not Judge
In a World Where Everyone's Truth Is True
1 Corinthians 5:9-13

I. Understand the Difference

A) The Corinthian Misunderstanding

B) The Christian Mandate

II. Understand the Details

A) The Root

B) The Fruit



Small Group Questions

1. Paul lists several sinful behaviors which ought to be intolerable in the Church. Do you think his list is complete? I suspect not, but rather that it was a sample of what was typical in his day. What might we add to this list from our own time and culture?
2. Paul clearly directs that the local church be a place free from the inroads of the world. Is there an argument to be made for the home being a similar refuge. I don't think the same methods of purification are possible in the home, so how may we make the home a similar kind of refuge from the world?
3. Imagine a situation in which you are being confronted as "judging" for your Christian stand in a particular matter. How would you respond to that accusation and turn that conversation to the gospel?