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John 1:1 & 14

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 8:2-11

But early the next morning he was back again at the Temple. A crowd soon gathered, and he sat down and taught them. As he was speaking, the teachers of religious law and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in the act of adultery. They put her in front of the crowd. "Teacher," they said to Jesus, "this woman was caught in the act of adultery. The law of Moses says to stone her. What do you say?" They were trying to trap him into saying something they could use against him, but Jesus stooped down and wrote in the dust with his finger. They kept demanding an answer, so he stood up again and said, "All right, but let the one who has never sinned throw the first stone!" Then he stooped down again and wrote in the dust. When the accusers heard this, they slipped away one by one, beginning with the oldest, until only Jesus was left in the middle of the crowd with the woman. Then Jesus stood up again and said to the woman, "Where are your accusers? Didn't even one of them condemn you?" "No, Lord," she said. And Jesus said, "Neither do I. Go and sin no more."

### What's My Posture Towards Messed Up People?

Be an **advocate**, not an **accuser**.

*I John 2:1*

*My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have an advocate with the Father—Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.*

**Pray** more and **say** less.

Colossians 4:6

*Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone.*

**Throw ropes, not rocks.**

Romans 3:23

*For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.*

*Luke 19:10 For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.*

Give a **chance** with a **challenge**.

Lead **people** to **Jesus**.

Additional Study

Monday	Matthew 7:1-5, Colossians 3:13
Tuesday	Romans 8:1-6 and Romans 3:23
Wednesday	Matthew 5:7 and James 2:13
Thursday	Hebrews 4:16 and Romans 6:14
Friday	John 4:1-42



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