

WELCOME TO HAVEN

July 11, 2021

Welcome

Worship Songs

"Always"
"You Say"

Scripture for Today

Galatians 5:14-15 (NLT)

Prayer

Message

"My Big Mouth: Criticizing"

Jack D. Cohen

Worship Song

"Here's My Heart"

*Closing



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CRITICIZING

“For the whole law can be summed up in this one command: “Love your neighbor as yourself.” But if you are always biting and devouring one another, watch out! Beware of destroying one another.”
– Galatians 5:14-15 (NLT)

“Some people make cutting remarks, but the words of the wise bring healing.” – Proverbs 12:18 (NLT)

“Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.”
– Ephesians 4:29

WINDOWS TO THE HEART

“It is better to be criticized by a wise person than to be praised by a fool!” – Ecclesiastes 7:5 (NLT)

- Praise – often reveals what you _____ most
- Criticism – often reveals your deepest _____

“How can you think of saying, ‘Let me help you get rid of that speck in your eye,’ when you can’t see past the log in your own eye?”
– Matthew 7:4 (NLT)

WHICH DO YOU WANT TO BE?

1. A _____ finder

“It’s better to live alone in the desert than with a quarrelsome, complaining wife.”
– Proverbs 21:19 (NLT)

“Don’t bad-mouth each other, friends. It’s God’s Word, his Message, his Royal Rule, that takes a beating in that kind of talk. You’re supposed to be honoring the Message, not writing graffiti all over it.”
– James 4:11(MSG)

2. A _____ dealer

“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”
– Romans 15:13

- Jesus is our _____
- Jesus is our _____ hope
- Jesus is our _____ hope

“... I close my letter with these last words: Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in harmony and peace. Then the God of love and peace will be with you.”
– 2 Corinthians 13:11 (NLT)