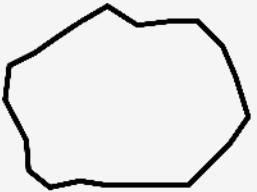
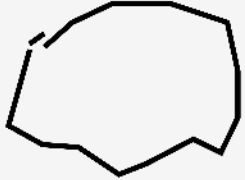


# God is put down that rock

Write a name inside each rock of someone you have recently judged unfairly.



Consider going to them and apologizing.

*"When Jesus stood up He said to her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" John 8:10*

Too often we see God as the one who wants to do us in for any mistake we make. I used to think that everything that happened to me, like falling off my bike or some good thing not happening to me, was the result of God punishing me for some mistake I had made in the past.

Here we see Jesus defending a woman who had been caught in a compromising position. Instead of agreeing with those who wanted to stone her He defended her. He challenged the angry mob that whoever was without sin could cast the first stone. They dropped their rocks one by one.

What is to be learned form this?

1. God forgives us
2. God does not like bullies ganging up on the weak.
3. God warns us to go and sin no more
4. God does not condemn us when we blow it.

There will be times when God has to discipline us like the paralyzed man you learned about in an earlier story (John 5:14) God also desire that we do not judge or condemn others. If we have been forgiven we should also forgive others. Do you have any rocks in your pocket stored up for anyone? Empty your pockets and forgive.

Read John 8:1-12, Matthew 6:12-14

Send God a comment (prayer). God, forgive me because i completely misjudged.....