



**WHY PEOPLE ARE
AFRAID OF CHURCH**

- **Viewed As Disrespecting One's Family**
 - We all have histories; some religious and some irreligious.
 - It takes a great deal of courage to go against one's upbringing.
 - (John 8:32; Matthew 10:34-38).

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- **The Unknown & Unexpected**
 - People are often afraid of being singled out, embarrassed, or asked to do something they are unwilling to do.
 - Are there expedient ways to give people assurances?
 - (1 Corinthians 9:19-22).

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WHY PEOPLE ARE AFRAID OF CHURCH

- **It Reminds People Of Things They Are Afraid Of And Don't Like To Think About**
 - Sin, Death, Judgment, Eternity, Hell
 - Many use avoidance as a means of dealing with unpleasant issues.
 - (2 Corinthians 6:2).

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