

DUMB MISTAKES

Session

Five

“Standing En Masse Against Evidence”

And how to avoid them!

Introduction

“Everybody’s doing it!” This defense has been the reliable standby explanation for lifestyle decisions, generation after generation! The comfort found in “fitting in” can often insulate people from the hard examination of whether the crowd had made the right decision in the first place. The rush of peer acceptance can be quickly overwhelmed by the sobering realization that the majority made a major league mistake.

Background

The Story of the Crowd * John 12:20-46

The Mistake

What was the crowd’s dumb mistake?

The Result

What happened as a result of their mistake?

The Principle

What principle did they violate in their mistake?

The Solution

How can you avoid making the same mistake?