



## *“The Costly Nature of Faulty Assumptions”*

*John 7:14-31 • part 34*

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### INTRODUCTION

- the high cost of faulty assumptions

### **Faulty Assumption #1: Only formal education is true education (7:14-18)**

- formal education doesn't make one smart/ skilled

- Jesus' education

Mt. 7:28-29

- did Jesus need to be taught?

Mt. 24:36

- evidence Jesus was taught by and spoke for the Father

Mt. 23:2-7; 27:18

### **Faulty Assumption #2:**

**Keeping the teachings of the rabbis = keeping God's Law (7:19-24)**

- honoring Moses while ignoring Moses

- revisiting Jesus' intentional healing on the Sabbath

Jn. 5:18

- receiving God's Law, but revering man's law

### **Faulty Assumption #3:**

**Current understanding not necessarily correct understanding (7:25-31)**

- the facts to bring understanding

Jn. 6:42

- Jesus sent by the Father

### CONCLUSION