

Have you ever erred?

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Perhaps! The writer of this article has erred many times: he is a mere mortal (mero mortal).

To “err” is to make a mistake, to sin (pecar), or to be mistaken (equivocarse). Let’s look at some examples:

- To err is human (errar es de humanos). This is a proverb.
- We must err on the side of caution when voting in the election (debemos pecar por exceso de precaución...debemos pecar de piadoso/cauteloso...).
- Mr. Corbyn erred when he said Mr. Johnson was not clever (...erró cuando dijo que...).
- Alejandro erred in his choice of a Ferarri (...erró en su elección de un Ferrari).