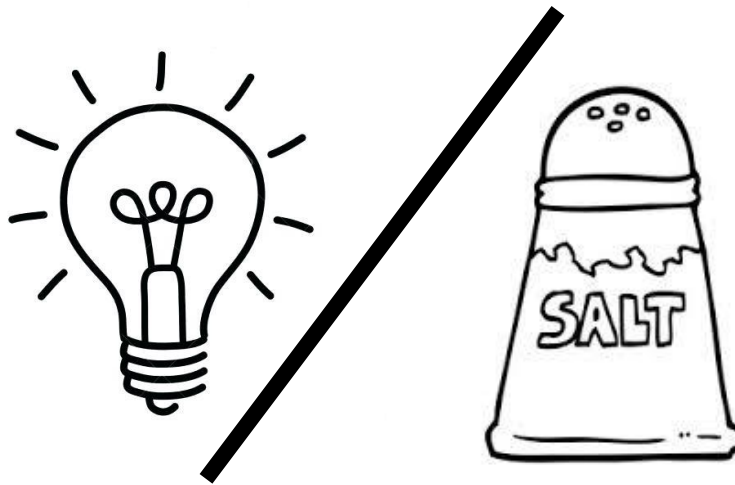


Salt & Light



Read:

Matthew 5:13-16

¹³"You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

¹⁴"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

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Salt & Light

What do the light and salt have in common?

God wants us to be light & salt in the world.

YES

NO

Most people want us to be light & salt to call attention to evil.

YES

NO

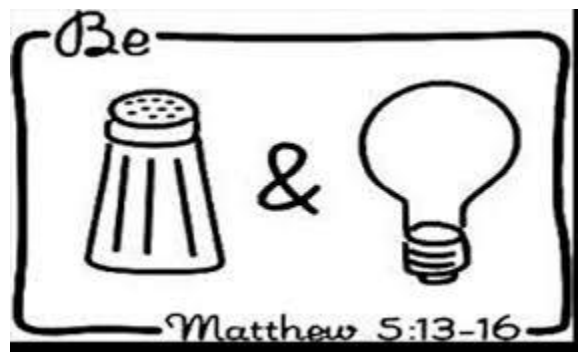
If we become like those in the world, we can still be effective for God's plan.

YES

NO

What is one way you are light to those who can't see truth?

What is one way you season the world with salt?



Salt & Light in Action

Check examples of salt & light in action for God & His truth.

- ___ Blending in with your friends at school.
- ___ Standing up for what is right.
- ___ Cheating on homework or a test in school.
- ___ Telling your friends why you keep the Sabbath.
- ___ Lying about where you were on the feast days.

Salt Light

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SALT
LIGHT
LOVE
STEADFAST
EXAMPLE
WITNESS
SHINE
LAMP
STAND
DEEDS
GLORIFY

Let It Shine

Read: Eph. 5:1-21

Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children;

²And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet smelling savour.

³But fornication, and all uncleanness, or covetousness, let it not be once named among you, as becometh saints;

⁴Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor jesting, which are not convenient: but rather giving of thanks.

⁵For this ye know, that no whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, hath any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God.

⁶Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience.

⁷Be not ye therefore partakers with them.

*⁸For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: **walk as children of light:***

⁹(For the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness and righteousness and truth;)

¹⁰Proving what is acceptable unto the Lord.

¹¹And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them.

¹²For it is a shame even to speak of those things which are done of them in secret.

¹³But all things that are reproved are made manifest by the light: for whatsoever doth make manifest is light.

¹⁴Wherefore he saith, awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.

¹⁵See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise,

¹⁶*Redeeming the time, because the days are evil.*

¹⁷*Wherefore be ye not unwise but understanding what the will of the Lord is.*

¹⁸*And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit;*

¹⁹*Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord;*

²⁰*Giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ;*

²¹*Submitting yourselves one to another in the fear of God.*

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What are we to do as children of light? How are we to be different than those living in the darkness of the world?

Complete the T-chart below with examples from the scripture above regarding how we are to act as light in a dark world.

Children of Light	Those in the Darkness

Read: Acts 1:8

⁸ But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. Bible Gateway (KJV)



What is our power source that keeps us shining?

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We are transmitters of light, reflecting God's laws in our everyday lives. Where are we to shine?

Read: I Peter 2:9

⁹ But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvelous light; Bible Gateway (KJV)



How can we glorify God in our lives every day? Read the scriptures to determine how we are to reflect God's light in every areas of our lives.

Areas of Life	Scripture	Details & Examples
Dress & Clothing	I Timothy 2:9-10	
Language	Proverbs 25:11	
Prayers	I Corinthians 14:13	
Use of Money	I Peter 4:10 Titus 1:7	
Choice of Music	Psalms 1:1-6 Psalm 119:11	
Schedule & Calendar	Genesis 1 & 2 Lev. 23	
Worship	John 4:23-24 John 14:17	

Can people around you tell you are different? Yes No

Rate how your saltiness/brightness by placing an X on the line.



Salty & Bright

Bland & Dull



Shine
Bright

JESUS said,

I am the
light of
the
WORLD.

John 8:12

LET YOUR LIGHT
shine
BEFORE OTHERS,
THAT THEY
MAY SEE YOUR
good
deeds.

Matthew 5:16



Do not
lose
my
Flavor

