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You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt loses its flavor, how shall it be seasoned? It is then good for nothing but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot by men. *Matthew 5:13 (p 1115)*



MATTHEW 5:13-20

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What good are we to God when we are no longer the salt of the earth? *Matthew 12:30 (p 1125)*





WE CAN LOSE OUR INFLUENCE

Do not be unequally yoked together with unbelievers. For what fellowship has righteousness with lawlessness? And what communion has light with darkness?

2 Corinthians 6:14-18 (p 1330)

You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven. Matthew 5:14-16 (p 1115)



MATTHEW 5:13-20

We are LIGHTS What kind of lights? Our purpose must not be hidden



We are the LIGHT OF THE WORLD Our lives must manifest a character of Jesus Christ! Ephesians 5:8-14 (p 1346) Philippians 2:15 (p 1349)

SALT & LIGHT



Matthew 7:28-29 (p 1118)





Beloved, I beg you as sojourners and pilgrims, abstain from fleshly lusts which war against the soul, having your conduct honorable among the Gentiles, that when they speak against you as evildoers, they may, by your good works which they observe, glorify God in the day of visitation. (1 Peter 2:11-12)

