

Making a Difference by being Salt and Light

✓ God has called us to make a difference in Our World _____

Matthew 5:13–16 NLT. “You are the salt of the earth. But what good is salt if it has lost its flavor? Can you make it salty again? It will be thrown out and trampled underfoot as worthless. ¹⁴ “You are the light of the world—like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. ¹⁵ No one lights a lamp and then puts it under a basket. Instead, a lamp is placed on a stand, where it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶ In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.

Characteristics of Salt

✓ Salt provides _____

Matthew 10:19–20 GNB When they bring you to trial, do not worry about what you are going to say or how you will say it; when the time comes, you will be given what you will say. ²⁰ For the words you will speak will not be yours; they will come from the Spirit of your Father speaking through you.

Acts 18:9 NLT. One night the Lord spoke to Paul in a vision and told him, “Don’t be afraid! Speak out! Don’t be silent!

✓ We need to provide traction on the _____

Psalms 139:16 NLT You saw me before I was born. Every day of my life was recorded in your book. Every moment was laid out before a single day had passed.

✓ We need to provide traction on _____.

Hebrews 13:4 NLT Give honor to marriage, and remain faithful to one another in marriage. God will surely judge people who are immoral and those who commit adultery.

✓ We need to provide traction on _____.

Matthew 19:4–6 NLT “Haven’t you read the Scriptures?” Jesus replied. “They record that from the beginning ‘God made them male and female.’ ⁵ And he said, ‘This explains why a man leaves his father and mother and is joined to his wife, and the two are united into one.’ ⁶ Since they are no longer two but one, let no one split apart what God has joined together.”

✓ Salt _____

✓ Salt gives food a _____

✓ Salt _____

✓ Salt _____

✓ Salt _____ things

Characteristics of Light

✓ Light _____

✓ Light _____.

✓ Light makes it possible _____

✓ Light has _____

How can we be salt and light?

- ✓ When we live salty lives, we provide _____ and _____ through slippery and often confusing issues and times.
- ✓ When we live salty lives, _____.
- ✓ When we live salty lives, We _____.
- ✓ When we live salty lives, _____ to convict the world of sin.
- ✓ When we live salty lives, we live in a way that _____.
- ✓ When we live in the Light, we provide light in a dark world so others can see the way
- ✓ When we live in the Light, we make it _____ where we are present.
- ✓ When we live in the Light, _____
- ✓ When we live in the Light, we reflect the love of Jesus that _____ people hearts and minds, heals their bitterness, and enlightens their souls.
- ✓ When we live in the Light, _____ for others.
- ✓ When we live in the Light, _____ to walk and not fall into temptation.