

I Am A Light Matthew 5:13-16

The World Needs Light

A lamp in a dark place - **John 3:16-21; Ephesians 5:7-10**

Be A Light

*"Oh, Christian, do not hide your light! For ye are the light of the world;
But keep it trimmed and burning bright, For ye are the light of the world."*

God is "The Light", we are illuminated by him - **1John 1:5-7**

Be a light for Jesus

Am I a flood light or a flickering candle?

Danger: "put it under a bushel" ("No! I'm gonna let it shine!")

A sinful life will dull and hide any light we may have - **1Thessalonians 5:5-8; Colossians 2:8; James 4:1-4**

Brighten Your Corner

*"Go, show to all the path of right, For ye are the light of the world;
Go bring the straying back to light, For ye are the light of the world."*

Bring the straying back to light by holding forth the word of life - **Philippians 2:12-16; Matthew 4:12-16**

When the light of the sun shines it goes to every part of the earth. - **Mark 16:15-16; Matthew 28:19-20**

We must let the world know that there is such a thing as the path of right - **Matthew 7:13-14**

Shine the light of God

Don't try to enhance the light or glamorize it.

Gospel needs no illumination. (Sunshine In My Soul) - Set up to shine - **Matthew 5:13-16**

Let Jesus Shine through you!

Keep The Light On

(Let The Lower Lights Be Burning)

*"Oh, do not let your light burn low, For ye are the light of the world;
But keep it bright and onward go, For ye are the light of the world."*

Fail to keep self prepared for the Lord's return, our lights will begin to burn low - **Matthew 25:1-8**

Light The Fire! (Be A Light For Jesus Every Day)

Rather, we need to keep our lights bright by having God's word in our hearts and following Jesus

Christ - **Psalms 119:105; John 8:12**

This light is deeds you do, example you set and truth you preach, good works.

Stay away from sin and live holy lives - **Titus 2:11-12; Romans 13:12-14**

Truth declared - **2Corinthians 4:5-6**

Heavenly Sunlight

*"For ye are the light of the world, For ye are the light of the world;
Then keep your lamps all trimmed and bright, For ye are the light of the world."*

With our lights kept bright we can onward go toward the prize - **Philippians 3:13-14**

God is light, Christ is light

His disciples are light

The Gospel is light, The Truth is light

To be Light:

We must live the light.

We must be a powerful reflection of God - **Matthew 5:16**

God uses You and Me to influence the world for Good!

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