



Title | Believer vs. Unbeliever
Series | Us vs. Them
Text | Matthew 5:13-16
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Sermon Notes

Matthew 5:13 “You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people’s feet. **14** You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. **15** Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. **16** In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.” *ESV*

Big Idea:

Text questions during the sermon: 623-850-8809

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For Reflection and Application:

Monday:

Do you think some believers are antagonistic toward unbelievers? If so, why?

Tuesday:

Read Matthew 5:13 and Colossians 4:5-6. What does it mean to be the salt of the earth, and why is it important?

Wednesday:

Read Matthew 5:14-16. What does it mean to be the light of the world, and why is it important?

Thursday:

Reread Matthew 5:16. What are the “good works” and what is their purpose?

Friday:

In light of Matthew 5:13-16, how would you evaluate your own saltiness and brightness? Does anything need to change in your life? If so, how?

Daily Prayer:

Lord, help me to be salt and light. Help me to give others a taste and a glimpse of who you are. That they may be saved. And that you may be glorified. Amen.