



*Live*

*Love*

# *Overflow*

*"I have come that you might have life,  
and have it overflowing in you!"*

*John 10:10*

*Learn*

# Overflow

Learning From Jesus

“This Little Light of Mine”

Matthew 5:14-16

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# Two Purposes Of A Follower Of Jesus

- 1. Be Salt: Counteract Corruption**  
**2 Thess 2:6,7**
- 2. Be Light: Reveal Spiritual truth**  
**Eph 5:13**

*“Just as natural light from the sun illuminates the natural world, so spiritual light illuminates our dark world to the truth of God.”*



# Four Characteristics of Salt and Light

- **Distinctive**
- **Balance**
- **Essential**
- **Purpose**



# Dangers We Face

- **Lose our distinctiveness**

**1Pe 2:9: *But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.***

- **Get out of Balance**

- **Not contribute what ONLY we have to offer**

**1Pe 3:15 *But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,***

**Col 4:5-6 *Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity. Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone.***



# Prepare For Different Responses

- **Outer:** From those around us
- **Inner:** From transformed lives
- **Upper:** Toward God vs 16



# Challenge

- **How can I bring light to those in my life?**
- **How can I add spiritual flavor to life around me?**
- **How can I allow the Holy Spirit to shine spiritual light through me?**

