

When you walk in to a dark room and turn on the light, the darkness disappears. This is due to the fact that darkness is just the absence of light. Grab a flashlight tonight and go outside when it is dark. Turn on the flashlight and point it at something. What happens?

In John 8:12, Jesus said “ I am the light of the world.” He then goes on to say that if we follow Him, we will never walk in darkness. Take a few minutes and think about this. How does this apply to your life?

We live in a world that has a lot of spiritual darkness. Sometimes it seems as though we are surrounded by it. Sometimes there are areas of our lives that the light grows dimmer and dimmer. Are there any areas in your life that have grown spiritually dark? If so shine the light on those areas and allow the mercy of Christ to work.

Jesus is the light of the world...no arguments there. In the book Matthew, Jesus also calls you and me the “light of the world.” Think about all the different areas of influence in your life...work, family, neighborhood, local establishments, church etc. Think about these areas and develop a plan to become even more of a light. It is amazing the difference one person can make if he or she sets out to be a light. We never know the difference we can make until we put things in action.

In a world that has so much confusion and pain, the truth and light of Christ can and will bring healing and hope.

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The I AM (s) of Jesus
The Light of the World
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John 8:1 - 12



People in darkness (Ephesians 4)

Intellectual Futility

Ecc 2:26

Ignorance of God

Moral and Spiritual Numbness

1 Tim 4:2

Selfish Indulgence

The Light Exposes.

John 3:19-20

The light Reveals Truth.

John 16:8 Luke 5:32

The Light Brings Life.

Jn 12:46 1 Jn 1:5-7