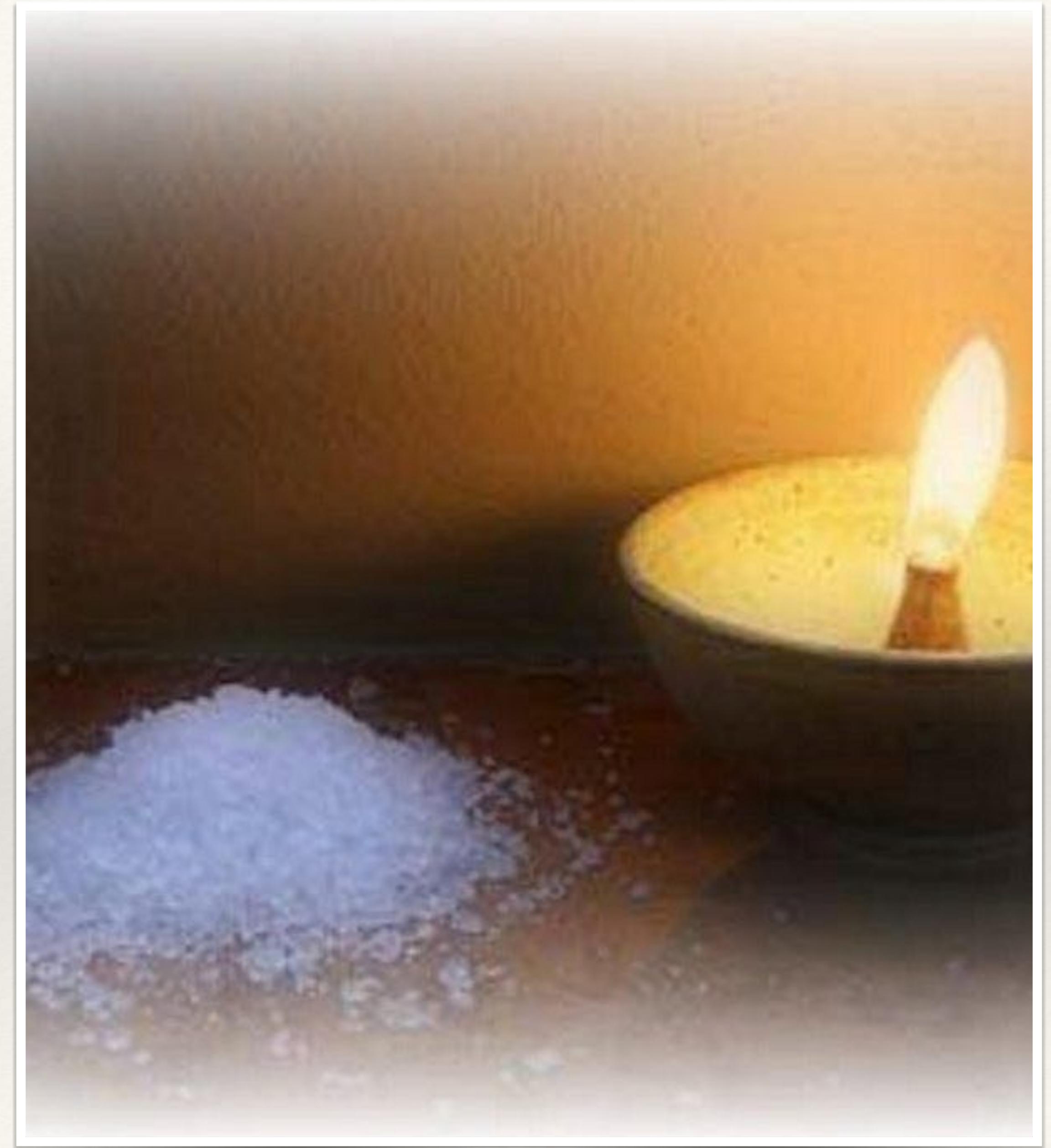


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Be Salt and Light

Matthew 5:13-16

Sermon on the Mount





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A STUDY THROUGH THE BEATITUDES

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MATTHEW 5:3-12

Those who will feature prominently in the kingdom

Blessed are

the poor in spirit

those who mourn

the meek

How good is life for

the powerless

those who are grieving loss

the unimportant and afflicted

Highly valued in the kingdom

Blessed are

those who hunger and
thirst for righteousness

the merciful

the pure in heart

How good is life for

those who desire right relationships and justice

those who show loyal love and compassion

those who love with pure and unselfish motives

Those who take the path of sacrifice

Blessed are

the peacemakers

those who are persecuted
because of righteousness

you for suffering for
following Jesus

How good is life for

those who put themselves in the middle of
conflicts and seek reconciliation

those who suffer for doing the right thing

those willing to face ridicule and slander for
living Jesus's way



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.

“You are the light of the world—like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. 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. In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.

Lev. 2:13 NIV

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Numbers 18:19 NIV

Whatever is set aside from the holy offerings the Israelites present to the LORD I give to you and your sons and daughters as your perpetual share. It is an everlasting covenant of salt before the LORD for both you and your offspring.”



A COVENANT OF *SALT*

The *grain* offering

Isaiah 42:6-7 NIV

“I, the LORD, have called you in righteousness;
I will take hold of your hand.
I will keep you and will make you
to be a covenant for the people
and a light for the Gentiles,
to open eyes that are blind,
to free captives from prison
and to release from the dungeon those who sit in darkness.

1 Peter 2:9,12 NIV

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.

Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.







Isaiah 2:2-3,5 NLT

In the last days, the mountain of the LORD's house
will be the highest of all—
the most important place on earth.
It will be raised above the other hills,
and people from all over the world will stream there to worship.
People from many nations will come and say,
“Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,
to the house of Jacob's God.

Come, descendants of Jacob,
let us walk in the light of the LORD!

Isaiah 58:6-8 NIV

“Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen:
to loose the chains of injustice
and untie the cords of the yoke,
to set the oppressed free
and break every yoke?

Is it not to share your food with the hungry
and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter—
when you see the naked, to clothe them,
and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood?
Then your light will break forth like the dawn,
and your healing will quickly appear;
then your righteousness will go before you,
and the glory of the LORD will be your rear guard.

Isaiah 60:1-3 NIV

“Arise, shine, for your light has come,
and the glory of the LORD rises upon you.
See, darkness covers the earth
and thick darkness is over the peoples,
but the LORD rises upon you
and his glory appears over you.
Nations will come to your light,
and kings to the brightness of your dawn.



Kingdom People!

“I find that it is the seemingly very small deeds of ordinary ministers of the gospel and others that push the darkness back—small acts of kindness, love, and biblical instruction. These apparently insignificant acts, I believe, constitute the lion’s share of how Christ builds his kingdom—small act by small act, brick by brick, as the church shines forth the glory of our triune God.”

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