

What Does Jesus Call Me To Do?

Matthew 5:13-16

Jesus said, YOU are the Salt and the Light...

Each Beatitude is an Invitation to see if we ARE what we SAY we are...(Matthew 5:3-10)

“True Disciples Affect the world in a Positive Way by the way they LIVE”

1. JESUS CALLS ME TO BE AN INFLUENCE (v.13)

- Are YOU “Worth Your Salt?”
- Salt is Used Mainly as a Preservative & a Seasoning.
- Many so-called Christians have become a Hindrance instead of a Preservative.
- Salt Changes things.
- BUT...“If salt Never Leaves the Salt Shaker it’s of NO Value to anyone...it’s ONLY a Decoration on the table.

2. JESUS CALLS ME TO HAVE A TESTIMONY (vv.14-16)

- We have a THREE-FOLD CALL (or Responsibility) to the light.
 - 1) We’re Called To RECEIVE The Light. (John 3:19-21)
 - 2) We’re Called To WALK In The Light. (Ephesians 5:8; 1 John 1:5-7)
 - 3) We’re Called To REFLECT The Light. (Philippians 2:14-15)
- Jesus said TWO THINGS will happen when you SHINE your Light:
 - 1) “MEN Will See Your Good Works.” (v.16a)
 - People are Drawn to Christ by the Power of a Life WELL LIVED.
 - 2) They Give GOD The Glory. (v.16b)
- Your Testimony can actually Point People to GOD.