

## Live Who You Are

Scripture: Matt. 5:13-16

## **Sermon Points:**

1. As salt, we are the hope for a decaying world.

2. As light, we are the hope for a dark world.

## **Group Opener:**

At the end of the message the lights dimmed in the auditorium and we felt the darkness. Then we were all invited to light up the room with our individual lights. What stood out to you about this?

## **Discussion Questions:**

1. Who is the person that helped you realize your value to God or shared the gospel with you?

NOTE: Leaders please prepare your own answer and be prepared to go first. Ex. parent, pastor, ministry leader, friend or neighbor also share the what/how this happened.

- 2. How does our relationship with Jesus make us "salty" and "luminous" to the people around us?
- 3. Read See Matt. 5:13-16
  Jesus said that both salt and light can become ineffective. Can you see any beliefs or behaviors in your life that may be limiting your ability to impact those around you?
- 4. When Jesus says, "you are salt...light" he uses the plural pronoun meaning "all of us" or "ya'll." We all contribute to a collective impact. What can you do individually or as a small group to increase your contribution to the mission of Jesus?

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