



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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Salt & Light

1. What makes the “old commandment” *new*?
2. Read Matthew 5:13-20. Are the similitudes given to encourage people to become salt and light?
3. What’s the danger with looking within yourself to see whether you’re “salty” enough?
4. First, how ought we to read 5:16 “Let your light shine before others...”?
5. Secondly, explain the way in which the similitudes are the effect of the beatitudes.
6. Talk together about how the church ought to be a “re-salinization plant.”
7. Why should churches return a focus to loving our neighbors rather than transforming the culture?
8. Who needs our good works: God or neighbor?
9. What really makes a Christian “worldly”?

For Further Reading..

Articles

[When the Salt Loses Its Savor](#), Michael Horton

[Jerome, Augustine & The Fall of Rome](#), Kim Riddlebarger

[Marching to Zion](#), Michael Horton

Books

[Hero of Heroes](#), Iain Duguid

[Where in the World is the Church?](#), Michael Horton

[Out of the Salt Shaker](#), Rebecca Pippert