



Sermon Notes

The Fruit of a Transformed Life

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Key Scriptures:

Romans 12:2 2 Matthew 5:1-10 Matthew 5:13-16

Romans 12:2 NIV

“Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.”

Matthew 5:1-10 New International Version (NIV)

5 Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him, ²and he began to teach them.

He said:

³“Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

⁴ Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.

⁵ Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.

⁶ Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.

⁷ Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.

⁸ Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.

⁹ Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children of God.

¹⁰ Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Main Idea: Live as LIFE GIVER...

Matthew 5:13a New International Version (NIV)

¹³“You are the **salt** of the earth.

I live as a life giver when I...

A) Bring the FLAVOR of the kingdom..

B) Bring the TRUTH against the worldly bacteria...

C) Bring out the GOOD stuff in people.

Matthew 5:13 New International Version (NIV)

¹³“You **are** the salt of the earth. **But if the salt loses its saltiness**, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

I live as a life giver when I...

D) I am who JESUS says I am.

Matthew 5:14-16

¹⁴“**You are the light of the world.** A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶In the same way, **let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.**

I live as a life giver when I...

E) I reflect the LIGHT of JESUS...

How Light functions...

A) Clarifies

Psalm 119:105 New International Version (NIV)

¹⁰⁵ Your word is a lamp for my feet,
a light on my path.

B) Places darkness in it's place

Genesis 1:3-5 New International Version (NIV)

³ And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. ⁴ God saw that the light was good, **and he separated** the light from the darkness. ⁵ God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

C) Shines brighter in the company of other lights

Romans 12:4 New International Version (NIV)

⁴ For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, ⁵ so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.