

“YOU ARE THE SALT OF THE EARTH”

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Matt. 5:13-16 (NLT)

13 “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. 14 “You are the light of the world—like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. 15 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. 16 In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.

1 Peter 2:9,12 (NLT) - “You can show others the goodness of God”

Characteristics of Salt

- Salt has a distinctive flavor
- Salt preserves
- Salt creates thirst
- Salt is valuable
- Salt can be irritating

Isa. 55:10,11 (NLT) – “My word will prosper everywhere I send it”

1 Peter 3:14-17 (NLT) – “If someone asks about your hope as a believer, always be ready to explain it.”