

Christmas Lights, Part 3

- 1. Because Jesus lives in me, His light shines out of my inner-most being to a world in darkness.**

“This will fulfill what the Lord has commanded us: ‘I have destined you to become a beacon light for the nations and release salvation to the ends of the earth!’ ””

Acts 13:47 TPT

“For the Lord our God has brought us His glory-light. I offer Him my life in joyous sacrifice. Tied tightly to Your altar I will bring You praise. For You are the God of my life and I lift You high, exalting You to the highest place.”

Psalms 118:27-28 TPT

MOSES-Exodus 34:29,30 Face shone, fear

STEPHEN-Acts 6:15 Glow like face of angel

“Live a cheerful life, without complaining or division among yourselves. For then you will be seen as innocent, faultless, and pure children of God, even though you live in the midst of a brutal and perverse culture. For you will appear among them as shining lights in the universe, offering them the words of eternal life.....”

Philippians 2:14-16 TPT

2. The Holy Spirit is the oil that makes my life a fire that cannot be quenched.

“.....Jesus instructed them, “Don’t leave Jerusalem, but wait here until you receive the gift I told you about, the gift the Father has promised. For John baptized you in water, but in a few days from now you will be baptized in the Holy Spirit!””

Acts 1:4-5 TPT

“On the day Pentecost was being fulfilled, all the disciples were gathered in one place. Suddenly they heard the sound of a violent blast of wind rushing into the house from out of the heavenly realm. The roar of the wind was so overpowering it was all anyone could bear! Then all at once a pillar of fire appeared before their eyes. It separated into tongues of fire that engulfed each one of them.”

Acts 2:1-3 TPT

- 3. I can't manufacture my own oil, but I am responsible to seek it from the source and keep my lamp full.**

““At the time my coming draws near, heaven's kingdom realm can be compared to ten maidens who took their oil lamps and went outside to meet the bridegroom and his bride.”

“Five of them were foolish and ill-prepared, for they took no extra oil for their lamps. Five of them were wise and sensible, for they took

flasks of olive oil with their lamps. “At the time my coming draws near, heaven’s kingdom realm can be compared to ten maidens who took their oil lamps and went outside to meet the bridegroom and his bride. When the bridegroom didn’t come when they expected, they all grew drowsy and fell asleep. Then suddenly, in the middle of the night, they were awakened by the shout ‘Get up! The bridegroom is here! Come out and have an encounter with him!’ So all the girls got up and trimmed their lamps. But the foolish ones were running out of oil, so they said to the five wise ones, ‘Share your oil with us, because our lamps are going out!’ “ ‘We can’t,’ they replied. ‘We don’t have enough for all of us. You’ll have to go and buy some for yourselves!’ “While the five girls were out buying oil, the bridegroom appeared. Those who were ready and waiting were escorted inside with him and the wedding party to enjoy the feast. And then the door was locked. Later, the five foolish girls came running up to the door and pleaded, ‘Lord,

Lord, let us come in!’ ‘But he called back, ‘Go away! Do I know you? I can assure you, I don’t even know you!’ ‘That is the reason you should always stay awake and be alert, because you don’t know the day or hour when the Bridegroom will appear.’”

Matthew 25:1-13 TPT

**I’m saved to be His special vessel,
to be filled with the oil of His Spirit,
and to burn brightly for His glory.**

**The light doesn’t come from my talent, my
charisma, my intellect, my physical
appearance, or my training.**

**“Those who are [spiritually] wise will shine
brightly like the brightness of the expanse of
heaven, and those who lead many to
righteousness, [will shine] like the stars
forever and ever.”**

Daniel 12:3 AMP

**“For God, who said, “Let brilliant light shine out of darkness,” is the One who has cascaded His light into us—the brilliant dawning light of the glorious knowledge of God as we gaze into the face of Jesus Christ.”
2 Corinthians 4:6 TPT**