



**WITH
LIVES
ALIGHT**

MATTHEW 5:14-16 NIV

¹⁴“You are the light of the world. A city 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 men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.

“The light of Christ, is the brightness of God shining on the retina of the human soul.”

– John Piper

EXODUS 34:29 ESV

²⁹When Moses came down from Mount Sinai, with the two tablets of the testimony in his hand as he came down from the mountain, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God.

LIGHT

From the Greek, *phōs*:

- To shine or make manifest... A heavenly light such as surrounds angels when they appear.
- Same word used for “fire”, literally means “firelight.”
- Hebrew equivalent, *'ôwr*, let there be...

GENESIS 1:3-4 NIV: ³And God said, “Let there be light,” and there was light. ⁴God saw that the light was good, and he separated the light from the darkness.



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PSALM 57:9-11 NIV

9 I will praise you, O Lord, among the nations;

I will sing of you among the peoples.

10 For great is your love, reaching to the heavens;

your faithfulness reaches to the skies.

11 Be exalted, O God, above the heavens;

let your glory be over all the earth.

1 SAMUEL 24:1-8 NIV

¹After Saul returned from pursuing the Philistines, he was told, "David is in the Desert of En Gedi." ²So Saul took three thousand chosen men from all Israel and set out to look for David and his men near the Crags of the Wild Goats.

³He came to the sheep pens along the way; a cave was there, and Saul went in to relieve himself. David and his men were far back in the cave.

1 SAMUEL 24:1-8 NIV

⁴The men said, "This is the day the LORD spoke of when he said to you, 'I will give your enemy into your hands for you to deal with as you wish.'" Then David crept up unnoticed and cut off a corner of Saul's robe.

⁵Afterward, David was conscience-stricken for having cut off a corner of his robe. ⁶He said to his men, "The LORD forbid that I should do such a thing to my master, the LORD's anointed, or lift my hand against him; for he is the anointed of the LORD."

1 SAMUEL 24:1-8 NIV

⁷With these words David rebuked his men and did not allow them to attack Saul. And Saul left the cave and went his way.

⁸Then David went out of the cave and called out to Saul, "My lord the king!" When Saul looked behind him, David bowed down and prostrated himself with his face to the ground.

TO BOLDY GO!

EXODUS 33:18-23 NIV

¹⁸Then Moses said, “Now show me your glory.”

¹⁹And the LORD said, “I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the LORD, in your presence. I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. ²⁰But,” he said, “you cannot see my face, for no one may see me and live.”

LOVE THY ENEMY!

MATTHEW 5:43-45 NIV

⁴³“You have heard that it was said, ‘Love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ ⁴⁴But I tell you: Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, ⁴⁵that you may be sons of your Father in heaven. He causes his sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous.



SING YOUR PRAYERS!

“The one who sings prays twice.”

- St. Augustine

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EPHESIANS 5:19-20 AMPLIFIED BIBLE

¹⁹Speak out to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, offering praise with voices [and instruments] and making melody with all your heart to the Lord,

²⁰At all times and for everything giving thanks in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God the Father.