

<u>Have You Seen the Light? (Isaiah 9:2, John 9:5, Matthew 5:14)</u>
December 24, 2025







For a child is born to us, a son is given to us. The government will rest on his shoulders. And he will be called: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6 NLT

The people who walk in darkness will see a great light. For those who live in a land of deep darkness, a light will shine. Isaiah 9:2 NLT

Have you seen the Light?

The people who walk in darkness... who live in a land of deep darkness... Isaiah 9:2 NLT

Before Christmas, almost everyone was living in spiritual darkness





...People who contradict his word are completely in the dark. Isaiah 8:20 NLT

They will go from one place to another, weary and hungry. And because they are hungry, they will rage and curse their king and their God. They will look up to heaven Isaiah 8:21 NLT

and down at the earth, but wherever they look, there will be trouble and anguish and dark despair. They will be thrown out into the darkness. Isaiah 8:22 NLT

The people... will see a great light... a light will shine. Isaiah 9:2 NLT

At Christmas, Jesus was revealed as the Light of the world





"I have come as a light to shine in this dark world, so that all who put their trust in me will no longer remain in the dark." John 12:46 NLT

Jesus spoke to the people once more and said, "I am the light of the world. If you follow me, you won't have to walk in darkness, because you will have the light that leads to life." John 8:12 NLT



But while I am here in the world, I am the light of the world. John 9:5 NLT

Today, we reflect Jesus' light to people around us



You are the light of the world—like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. Matthew 5:14 NLT

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. Matthew 5:15 NLT

In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father. Matthew 5:16 NLT



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This Week's OWNit365 New Testament Plus Plan:

Dec 21– Matt 23, Family Focus – Matt 23:1-12

Dec 22- Deut 6, Family Focus - Deut 6:4-9

Dec 23 - Reflection & Prayer

Dec 24- Matt 24, Family Focus - Matt 24:42-46

Dec 25- Matt 25, Family Focus - Matt 25:14-30

Dec 26- Matt 26, Family Focus - Matt 26:36-46

Dec 27- Matt 27, Family Focus - Matt 27:27-37