



Every Great Move of God Declares the Kingdom of God

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YOU ARE SALT AND YOU ARE LIGHT

MATTHEW 5:14-16

1. Matthew has a twofold purpose in writing his Gospel. Firstly, to prove Jesus is the Messiah, secondly, to explain the Kingdom of God to his readers. How do the Beatitudes do this? (Matthew 5:1-16)
2. Both Jesus and John the Baptist call people to repentance. Jesus commands His hearers to change their mind regarding the Kingdom of God, and John the Baptist commands his hearers to change their behaviour to represent the Kingdom of God. How might the church call the world to repentance in a culturally relevant way?
3. Being salt and light means influencing and informing others of the kingdom of God. In what ways can you be salt and light in the world today?