YOU ARE...



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Forgiven Family Salt Valuable Light Freed Friends

Part 2: Different

Matthew 5:13 (ESV)- You are the salt of the earth...

CONTEXT

- ◆ There are 41 verses with the word "salt"
- ♦ Most of the verses are in the Old Testament (34)
 - ◆ Nine are in reference to the "Salt Sea"
 - ◆ Three have to do with the "Salt Covenant"
 - ◆ Three are in the instructions on offerings.
- ◆ Seven in the New Testament (4 are quotes of Jesus)
 - ♦ 2 of the recordings are from the same account.

Notes:	 	 	

1. THE STATEMENT

Matthew 5:13 (ESV)-You are the salt of the earth...

2. THE PROBLEM

Matthew 5:13 (ESV)-You are the salt of the earth, <u>but if salt has lost its taste</u>,

Mark 9:50 (ESV)- Salt is good, but if the salt has lost its saltiness,

3. THE QUESTION

Matthew 5:13 (ESV)-You are the salt of the earth, <u>but if salt has lost its taste</u>, <u>how shall its saltiness be restored?</u>

4. THE ANSWER

Matthew 5:13 (ESV)-You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's feet.

Life Application Section

How do we stay salty?

A. Remain Close

2 Corinthians 3:18 (ESV)-And we all, <u>with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed</u> into the same image from one degree of glory to another.

B. Remain Obedient

Matthew 7:24 (ESV)-Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock.

C. Remain Connected

Mark 9:49-50 (ESV)-For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good, but if the salt has lost its saltiness, how will you make it salty again? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another."

D. Remain Patient

Philippians 1:6 (ESV)-And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ

Here Is The Point: It is important that we stay "salty".