Preschool · Easy

Salt and Light Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · Matthew 5:13–16

Name: _____ Date: _____

Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. Jesus said, "Ye are the (**salt** / **sugar**) of the earth."
2. Ye are the (**light** / **dark**) of the world.
3. A city on a (**hill** / **boat**) cannot be hid.
4. Men put a candle on a (**candlestick** / **bed**).
5. Let your light (**shine** / **hide**).

Circle the number

6. Salt and light: how many things did Jesus call you? **1** / **2** / **4**
7. Candle, bushel, candlestick: how many things? **1** / **3** / **5**

Trace the verse

Use a pencil to write over the gray letters. Then write the words again on the line below.

Ye are the light of the world

Matthew 5:14 (KJV) · ye = you

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Answer key

Circle the right word

1. "Ye are the **salt** of the earth." *(Matthew 5:13)*
2. "Ye are the **light** of the world." *(Matthew 5:14)*
3. "A city that is set on an **hill** cannot be hid." *(Matthew 5:14)*
4. Not under a bushel, but on a **candlestick**. *(Matthew 5:15)*
5. "Let your light so **shine** before men." *(Matthew 5:16)*

Circle the number

6. **2.** "Ye are the **salt** of the earth" and "Ye are the **light** of the world": two things. *(Matthew 5:13–14)*
7. **3.** A **candle**, a **bushel** and a **candlestick**: three things. *(Matthew 5:15)*

Trace the verse

"Ye are the light of the world" is the start of Matthew 5:14 (KJV). The whole verse is: "Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid."

For the teacher

Time: about 10 minutes · **Ages:** 4–6 (preschool and kindergarten)

- **Read it out loud:** read each sentence and both choices, then let kids circle the answer. Kids who can't write yet can point while you circle.
- **Tracing:** kids trace the gray letters with a pencil or crayon, then copy the words on the line. Younger kids can just trace.
- **Talk about it:** Jesus said, "Let your light so shine before men" (Matthew 5:16). Ask: *How can you let your light shine?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Salt and Light Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/salt-and-light-lesson.

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