Grades 3–5 · Hard

Salt and Light Worksheet

Hard: look up the answers in your Bible · Matthew 5:13–16

Name: _____ Date: _____

Look it up in your Bible

Read the verse, then write the answer on the line.

1. Where did Jesus go up? *Read Matthew 5:1.* _____
2. What did Jesus say ye are? *Read Matthew 5:13.* _____
3. What is salt without savour good for? *Read Matthew 5:13.* _____
4. What else did Jesus say ye are? *Read Matthew 5:14.* _____
5. What cannot be hid? *Read Matthew 5:14.* _____
6. Where do men put a candle? *Read Matthew 5:15.* _____
7. Who gets light from the candle? *Read Matthew 5:15.* _____
8. Why should we let our light shine? *Read Matthew 5:16.* _____

Memory verse

Write Matthew 5:14 from memory. The first letter of each word is given.

Ye **a** ____ **t** ____ **l** ____ **o** ____ **t** ____ **w** ____ . **A** **c** ____ **t** ____ **i** ____

s ____ **o** ____ **a** ____ **h** ____ **c** ____ **b** ____ **h** ____ . *Matthew 5:14 (KJV)*

Think about it

How can your light shine at home or at school? (Matthew 5:16)

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Answer key

Look it up in your Bible

1. He went **up into a mountain**. *(Matthew 5:1)*
2. **The salt of the earth.** *(Matthew 5:13)*
3. It is **good for nothing, but to be cast out**. *(Matthew 5:13)*
4. **The light of the world.** *(Matthew 5:14)*
5. **A city that is set on an hill.** *(Matthew 5:14)*
6. Not under a bushel, but **on a candlestick**. *(Matthew 5:15)*
7. **All that are in the house.** *(Matthew 5:15)*
8. **That they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.** *(Matthew 5:16)*

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

Think about it
Answers will vary (obey parents, be kind, help others, tell the truth, share, pray, tell others about Jesus). Help kids see that Jesus wants others to see our good works so that they glorify God, not us (Matthew 5:16).

For the teacher

Time: about 20 minutes · **Ages:** grades 3–5

- **Bibles:** each child (or each pair) needs a King James Bible open to Matthew 5.
- **Old Bible words explained:** multitudes = crowds, ye = you, savour = salty taste, wherewith = with what, thenceforth = from then on, trodden under foot = walked on, hid = hidden, bushel = a big basket for measuring grain, candlestick = a candle stand, glorify = give praise to.
- **Talk about it:** Jesus said, "Ye are the light of the world" (Matthew 5:14) and "Let your light so shine before men" (Matthew 5:16). Ask kids to share their "think about it" answers.
- **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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