

BE THE LIGHT

Week 3 (Under A Basket)

KEY IDEA:

God has put you in a position to SHINE - 2 Corinthians 5:20

RECAP 5 Phrases: (Matthew 5:14-16)

- You Are The Light
- A City On A Hill
- Under A Basket
- Let Your Light Shine
- Give Glory To God
- LAST WEEK: You are created to be light – good works
- THIS WEEK: Key Idea ^ -> Unwrap & Explain
 - Halloween is this weekend ... Costumes?
 - God has put you in a position to shine ... But most of us don't
 - We wear a mask
 - We represent another name
 - Imagine a lighthouse without a light!
 - Imagine your power goes off & the only candles you have are ones that won't stay lit. (It's Not Lit!)
- 2 Corinthians 5:20 – We Are Ambassadors – Represent Him – Carry the Name of Christ
 - **ESV** – *“Therefore we are ambassadors for Christ, God making His appeal through us, we implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.”*
 - **NLT** – *“So we are Christ’s ambassadors; God is making His appeal through us. We speak for Christ when we plead, ‘Come back to God’.*
 - **MSG** – *“We’re Christ’s representatives. God uses us to persuade men & women to drop their difference & enter into God’s work of making things right between them. We’re speaking for Christ Himself now: become friends with God; He’s already a friend with you.”*