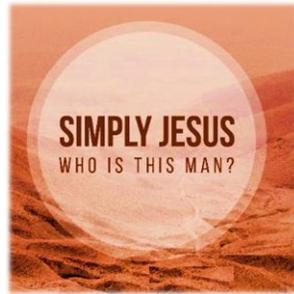


# Simply Jesus: Who is this Man?

## He is the Light of the World

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Scripture Passage: John 8:12-30

Key Verse: John 8:12

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, **“I am the light of the world.** Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.”

### 1. Jesus gives us light to overcome \_\_darkness\_\_\_\_ (8:12-20)

In him was life, and that life was the light of mankind. That light shines in the darkness, and yet the darkness did not overcome it.

John 1:4-5

- His light \_\_illuminates\_\_\_\_

Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures.

Luke 24:45

the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. John 14:26

- His light \_\_exposes\_\_\_\_

For there is nothing hidden that will not be disclosed, and nothing concealed that will not be made known and brought to light. Luke 8:17

- His light \_\_guides\_\_\_\_

Your word is a lamp for my feet and light on my path. Psalm 119:105

We also have the prophetic message as something completely reliable, and you will do well to pay attention to it, as to a light shining in a dark place.

2 Peter 1:19

### 2. Jesus gives us light to overcome \_\_death\_\_\_\_ (8:21-29)

- We are drawn to the cross to receive \_\_life\_\_\_\_

When I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.” He said this to show the kind of death he was going to die. John 12:32-33

- We will either die in our \_\_sins\_\_\_\_ or die in the \_\_LORD\_\_\_\_

I told you that **you would die in your sins**; if you do not believe that I am he, you will indeed die in your sins.” John 8:24

“Then I heard a voice from heaven say, “Write this: **Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on.**” “Yes,” says the Spirit, “they will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them.” Revelation 14:13

### 3. Jesus invites us to let our light \_\_shine\_\_\_\_

“You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, **let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.** Matthew 5:14-16

Be careful to live properly among your unbelieving neighbors. Then even if they accuse you of doing wrong, they will see your honorable behavior, and they will give honor to God when he judges the world. 1 Peter 2:12