Sermon Notes

Matthew 5-8: Disciples

Matthew 5:13-16 (page 810) Preacher: Andrew Holt

"The glory of the gospel is that when the Church is absolutely different from the world, she invariably attracts it. It is then that the world is made to listen to her message, though it may hate it at first"

D. Martyn Lloyd-Jones, Studies in the Sermon on the Mount

Worldly to win the world?

5:13 Stay distinctive

5:14-16 Stay visible

Unworldly to win the world

Taking the truth deeper:

In what ways are we – both individually and as the church – the 'salt of the earth'? What things make us less 'salty'?

In what ways are we – both individually and as a church – the 'light of the world'? What prevents the light from being seen, or how do we even try to hide our light? How might we shine more brightly?