

# MESSAGE NOTES | SEPTEMBER 23 2018



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"You are ***persecuted***"

"You are ***salt***"

"You are ***light***"

"You are ***exceedingly righteous***"

THE

**ONE THING: *Embrace kingdom living from the inside-out***

**Miss something?** Completed sermon notes are available online. Binders to organize your sermon notes are available at the upstairs Welcome Desk.

## NEXT STEPS

- Memorize Romans 8:3-4.
- Review a recent hardship and see how God cared for you personally.
- Read John 14 and 15 this week and look for Christ's promised provision.
- Ask God throughout this week, "How do you want me to shine?"

## NOTES FOR PERSONAL & SMALL GROUP STUDY

### KEEPING IT REAL

**1** Jesus said we ***are*** the salt of the earth and the light of the world (Matthew 5:13-14). What does His assertion mean in the context of grace (vs. works)?

### LOOK AT THE BOOK

**2** We know today that salt is a very stable chemical compound. When Jesus talked about salt losing its flavor (Matthew 5:13), what did He mean?

**3** In Romans 10:4, Paul says Christ is the "end of the law" to those who believe. Relate Paul's statement to Jesus' saying in Matthew 5:18 that "not the smallest letter or stroke shall pass from the Law until all is accomplished."

### TAKING IT FURTHER

**4** Jesus said to do our good works in such a way that those who see them will glorify our Father in Heaven (Matthew 5:16). How can you do your good works to accomplish this?

## WORSHIP LYRICS

If you'd like to spend more time with the lyrics from any of the songs this morning, please click on the song title below to continue worshipping.

[Living Hope](#)

Your Love/I Surrender/How Great Medley: (No link)

[Jesus, Only Jesus](#)

[Psalm 145](#)

[How Great is Our God](#)