

Re-Radicalized

Devotional on the Sermon on the Mount

Week 2

Day 7

Praise (Reflect on what you're grateful for from DAY 6 with the Lord)

Read the text: Matthew 5:13-16 (Focus: Influence)

Ask questions & interpret the context:

- What does it mean to you to be influential?
- Describe how salt and light are agents of influence.
- Now transfer your description of the influence of salt and light into your life. What does it look like?

Summarize: Now take a moment to go back and pour over your observations as well as your responses to the questions.

Engage with God: Bring your thoughts, questions, and desire for change to the Lord for his forgiveness, wisdom, correction, guidance, and direction.

Extra Questions To Consider

1. What is the Lord saying to you personally?
2. What do you need to pray about?
3. With whom does the Lord want you to share this devotional?
4. Who has the Lord placed on your heart to pray for and invite to church?

Digging Deeper

- What do the following references, out of Proverbs, tell you about being an influential follower of Jesus? (Proverbs 27: 9, 17; 10:17; 13:20; 15:1; 12:26; 29:12)
- Consider how men and women in the Bible, like Daniel, Caleb, David, Peter, Mary Magdalene and Joanna were or became influencers. (We encourage you to look them up in Scripture.)
- Think deeply how salt and light are amazing agents of influence?
- In what ways can you be similarly influential in your home, workplace, school, neighborhood, community and church?