

## LIGHT IN THE LORD

- I. LIGHT IS SEEN IN SCRIPTURE AS THE MANIFESTATION OF GOD’S LIFE IN ACTIVITY.
  - A. The Greek word for light is photos
    1. Photos is used of physical light. cf. Act 16:29
    2. Photos is used of spiritual light. 2 Co. 4:4
  - B. Christ manifested light in His incarnation. 1st John 1:5
  - C. Light is seen as eternal life in activity. John 1:4
  
- II. LIGHT IS SEEN IN SCRIPTURE IN CONTRAST TO “THE DARKNESS” WHICH IS THE MANIFESTATION OF SPIRITUAL DEATH.
  - A. The darkness is the absence of God’s life in activity.
  - B. Believers were once seen as in the darkness. Eph. 5:8
  - C. Believers were called out of the darkness. 1st Pet. 2:9
  
- III. THOSE BELIEVING THE FACTS OF THE GOSPEL ARE LIGHT IN THE LORD.
  - A. Believers are seen as children of light. 1st Thess. 5:5 cf. Col. 1:12
  - B. Believers are expected to “walk” in the light. 1st John 1:7
  - C. Believers can “abide” in the light. 1st John 2:20