

**Jesus Style Living—Part 3**  
**Salt Of The Earth**  
**Matthew 5:13**  
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**Introduction**

Not a call to political activism.  
A call to holy living.  
Salt found in Scripture.

**I. The Purpose of Salt**

Salt has over 14,000 uses

- A. Seasoning for food.
- B. Packing meat.
- C. Chemical companies.
- D. Hide and Leather.
- E. Food processing.
- F. Farms feed it to animals.
- G. Melting agent.
- H. Used for wages.

What did Christ have in mind in this scripture.

**II. Preservation**

- A. Stop decay
- B. No revival in America since 1905

**II. Creates Thirst**

- A. Our life should create a thirst for Christ.
- B. Salt water intensifies thirst.
- C. The world should be asking us: "How can I have what you have?"

**III. Problem With Salt**

- A. Loses its savor.
- B. Salt cannot become unsalty, but contamination can cause it to lose its value.
- C. We can lose our value and effectiveness in the kingdom when sin and worldliness contaminates our lives.
- D. To lose our saltiness is not to lose salvation, but it is to lose our effectiveness and to become disqualified for service. (1Cor.9:27)

**Conclusion:**

**A Saltless life is a Christless Life!**