DARKNESS CONCEALS, THE LIGHT REVEALS

LET THERE BE LIGHT | CHRISTMAS AT THE SHORELINE 2015

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LIGHT SHAVE

- Most men in Seattle don't shave at all, but I am shaving much better since our visit there.
- I'm sure you agree that it's good for light to dispel the darkness around us, and to reveal reality so we can live in the truth.
 - · Camping, Porches, Security, Navigating etc...
- · With the world lighting up all around us for Christmas, will our lives light up for Jesus?

DEAR SOUL...

- Will my own life light up this Christmas Season 2015 with the light of Christ, or will I wander around in the darkness of tradition, trudging through responsibilities, fighting lines, and fretting over bills?
- This can't be who I am this Christmas! I will live in the light of Jesus this Christmas and no darkness will hinder me at all! I will live in the light of Jesus Christ my Lord and Savior whose birth I am celebrating this year!!! But how...?

LET THERE BE LIGHT!

I will ask God to say, "LET THERE BE LIGHT" in my life this Christmas.

GOD IS LIGHT

"God is light, and there is no darkness in him at all"

1 JOHN 1:5

- · I will have fellowship with God this season!
- Fellowship with God will give us fullness of joy. 1:4
- Fellowship with God will give us love for one another! 2:10-11

GIVER OF LIGHT

God created light by His word. "Then God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. 4 And God saw that the light was good.

GENESIS 1:3-4

God Himself shines. John describing the eternal city says, The city has no need of sun or moon, for the glory of God illuminates the city, and the Lamb is its light.

REVELATION 21:23

JESUS IS THE LIGHT

Jesus is the Light of God in the world!

• Jesus' light is stronger than darkness!

The Word gave life to everything that was created, and his life brought light to everyone. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness can never extinguish it.

JOHN 1:4-5

Follow Jesus because He is the light of life!

Jesus spoke to the people once more and said, "I am the light of the world. If you follow me, you won't have to walk in darkness, because you will have the light that leads to life.

JOHN 8:12

LET THERE BE LIGHT!

- 1. I will go to my God, who is Light, and renew my faith in Him.
- 2. I will walk in His light asking Him to flood my heart with the light and life of Jesus Christ my Lord.
- 3. I will open my heart to Him asking Him to dispel the darkness and reveal Jesus in me.

GOOD, RIGHT, AND TRUE IN YOU

For once you were full of darkness, but now you have light from the Lord. So live as people of light! 9 For this light within you produces only what is good and right and true.

EPHESIANS 5:8-9