

Christmas Lights!!!!

John 1

In the beginning the Word already existed. The Word was with God, and the Word was God. ² He existed in the beginning with God. ³ God created everything through Him, and nothing was created except through Him. ⁴ 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. ⁶ God sent a man, John the Baptist, ⁷ to tell about the light so that everyone might believe because of his testimony. ⁸ John himself was not the light; he was simply a witness to tell about the light. ⁹ The one who is the true light, who gives light to everyone, was coming into the world..... So the Word became human and made His home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen His glory, the glory of the Father's one and only Son. John 1:1-9, 14

The people who walk in darkness will see a great light. For those who live in a land of deep darkness, a light will shine. Isaiah 9:2 see also Luke 1:78, 2:32

JESUS IS THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD!

1. LIGHT is _____!

⁵ *The light shines in the darkness..... in Him is no darkness at all (John 1:5; I John 1:5)*

So when I tell the truth, you just naturally don't believe Me! ⁴⁶ Which of you can truthfully accuse Me of sin? And since I am telling you the truth, why don't you believe Me? John 8:45-46

In a World of Corruption and Sin He Remains Sinless!

2. LIGHT is _____!

...to everything that was created....let there be light (John 1:4; Gen. 1:3)

¹⁷*Whatever is good and perfect is a gift coming down to us from God our Father, who created all the lights in the heavens. He never changes or casts a shifting shadow. James 1:17*

I the LORD DO NOT CHANGE. Malachi 3:6

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Hebrews 13:8

Einstein claimed that the only reason $E = mc^2$ works is because the speed of light is constant!

In a World of Constant change He NEVER CHANGES!

3. LIGHT is _____!

⁵ *The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness can never extinguish it. John 1:5*

The Battle of All of History was on Calvary 2×10^3 years ago between Darkness and Light

It was now about noon, and darkness came over the whole land [Crucifixion] Luke 23:44

While they were wondering about this, suddenly two men in clothes that gleamed like lightning stood beside them. ⁵ In their fright the women bowed down with their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead?" ⁶ He is not here; He has risen! [Resurrection] Luke 24:4-6

In a World of Darkness He is **STILL SHINING!**

4. **LIGHT is _____!**

*The Word gave life to everything that was created, and His life brought light to everyone.
Let there be light.....* John 1:4

Without Light---Life is _____!!!

Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded [Gr. Block the light] the minds of those who don't believe. They are unable to see the glorious light of the Good News. They don't understand this message about the glory of Christ, who is the exact likeness of God. 2 Corinthians 4:4

You [us] are the Light of the world Matthew 5:14

In a World of Death and Darkness He is STILL MAKING PEOPLE ALIVE!

5. **LIGHT is _____!**

So the Word became human and made His home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen His glory, the glory of the Father's one and only Son. John 1:14

At just the right time Christ will be revealed from heaven by the blessed and only almighty God, the King of all kings and Lord of all lords. ¹⁶ He alone can never die, and He lives in light so brilliant that no human can approach Him. No human eye has ever seen Him, nor ever will. All honor and power to Him forever! Amen. 1 Timothy 6:15-16

The color of any object is NOT in the object but in the _____ that is reflected!

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth..... and He showed me the holy city, Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God. ¹¹ It shone with the glory of God and sparkled like a precious stone—like jasper as clear as crystal.....And 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

In a New World of Perfection He will be the Glorious Light !

Answers:

Pure, Unchanging, Victorious, Life, Impossible, Glorious, Light



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