



I AM... THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

TEXT: JOHN 8:2-12

² At dawn he appeared again in the temple courts, where all the people gathered around him, and he sat down to teach them. ³ The teachers of the law and the Pharisees brought in a woman caught in adultery. They made her stand before the group ⁴ and said to Jesus, “Teacher, this woman was caught in the act of adultery. ⁵ In the Law Moses commanded us to stone such women. Now what do you say?” ⁶ They were using this question as a trap, in order to have a basis for accusing him.

But Jesus bent down and started to write on the ground with his finger. ⁷ When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, “If any one of you is without sin, let him be the first to throw a stone at her.” ⁸ Again he stooped down and wrote on the ground.

⁹ At this, those who heard began to go away one at a time, the older ones first, until only Jesus was left, with the woman still standing there. ¹⁰ Jesus straightened up and asked her, “Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?”

¹¹ “No one, sir,” she said. “Then neither do I condemn you,” Jesus declared. “Go now and leave your life of sin.”

¹² When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.”

Think of a sin you’ve committed that no one else knows about. How would you feel if suddenly it became public knowledge?

The adulterous woman was being used to...



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TEXT: JOHN 6:24-35

Jesus showed concern for the Pharisees' hearts by...

Jesus showed concern for the woman's heart by...

Jesus shows concern for our heart by...

To a shameful group of sinners, Jesus says:

The Light of the World reveals...

The Light of the World promises us...