

# Why Christians Aren't Religious

Ephesians 5:6-10

Prepare your heart and mind for worship on Sunday, September 10, 2023, each day this week, with the following passages and questions. (RTYB'23= Read Through Your Bible in 2023)

## **Monday, September 4                      Isaiah 42:1-6; 49:1-6**

- According to Isaiah 42:6, who is this light to the nations?
- Who is the "You" of Isaiah 49:6? What is light, biblically?
- RTYB'23 – Daniel 7-9; and pray for the Bob Geiser family today.

## **Tuesday, September 5                      Luke 2:21-32**

- What does "a light of revelation" mean in verse 32?
- How did Jesus fulfill this prophecy and the Isaiah prophecy?
- RTYB'23 – Daniel 10-12; and pray for the Olin Geiser family today.

## **Wednesday, September 6                      Acts 13:13-52**

- Is "the light for the Gentiles" in verse 47 the disciples?
- How would that fit Acts 9:5? How are the two connected?
- RTYB'23 – 2 Chron. 36:9-21; Ezek. 1-3; and pray for Reuben & Sophie.

## **Thursday, September 7                      Isaiah 9:1-7**

- Compare this passage to Matthew 4:12-16 and Luke 1:79.
- Are these passages the background of Ephesians 5:8-14?
- RTYB'23 – Ezekiel 4-6; and pray for Pastor Ike & Nancy today.

## **Friday, September 8                      1 John 1**

- Look at verse 5. What does "God is light" mean?
- What does "darkness" symbolize in the Bible?
- RTYB'23 – Ezekiel 7-9; and pray for the Nathan Graham family today.

## **Saturday, September 9                      Psalms 27**

- How was the Lord David's "light" according to verse 1?
- Think of the characteristics of light. What are they?
- RTYB'23 – Ezekiel 10-12; and pray for Bill & Dixie Greenfield today.

## **Sunday, September 10                      Ephesians 5:6-10**

- How does the sequence of verses 8-10 demonstrate the opposite of what religions teach about reaching God?
- RTYB'23 – Psalm 112-114; and pray for Brenda Hershman today.

# An Unworthy Walk

Ephesians 5:3-5

## 1. Ungodly \_\_\_\_\_ (5:3)

A. \_\_\_\_\_

B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Unwholesome \_\_\_\_\_ (5:4)

A. \_\_\_\_\_

B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. \_\_\_\_\_ Consequences (5:5)

A. \_\_\_\_\_ Inheritance from God

B. \_\_\_\_\_ Punishment (Rev. 21:8 Eph. 5:6)