

## **CORR MINISTRIES**

## The light of the World

## John 8:12

Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying, "I am the Light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life."

<sup>2</sup> Now early in the morning He came again into the temple, and all the people came to Him; and He sat down and taught them. <sup>3</sup> Then the scribes and Pharisees brought to Him a woman caught in adultery. And when they had set her in the midst, <sup>4</sup> they said to Him, "Teacher, this woman was caught in adultery, in the very act. <sup>5</sup> Now Moses, in the law, commanded us that such should be stoned. But what do You say?" <sup>6</sup> This they said, testing Him, that they might have *something* of which to accuse Him. But Jesus stooped down and wrote on the ground with *His* finger, as though He did not hear.

<sup>7</sup>So when they continued asking Him, He raised Himself up and said to them, "He who is without sin among you, let him throw a stone at her first." 8 And again He stooped down and wrote on the ground. 9 Then those heard it, being convicted by their conscience, went out one by one, beginning with the oldest even to the last. And Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing in the midst. <sup>10</sup> When Jesus had raised Himself up and saw no one but the woman, He said to her, "Woman, where are those accusers of yours? Has no one condemned you?"

<sup>11</sup> She said, "No one, Lord."

And Jesus said to her, "Neither do I condemn you; go and sin no more."

<sup>12</sup>Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying, "I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life."

John 8:2-12 NKJV – Nelson Study Bible

| 1.        | Look at John 8:12. What two choices do we have?  |  |  |  |  |
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| Don't mis | ss this: "Darkness" = The world system we were born into. "Light" = A Person we were rescued by. |  |  |  |  |
| 2.        | In Jn 8:3 What kind of a life was the adulteress   |  |  |  |  |
|           | woman living; In Darkness?In Light?  |  |  |  |  |
| 3.        | YN Is this a great shock that a person born  |  |  |  |  |
|           | in darkness would live in darkness?  |  |  |  |  |
| 4.        | In Jn 8:6, did the Jewish leaders care about the   |  |  |  |  |
|           | woman, or just want totest Jesus?  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.        | In Jn 8:11, did anyone condemn this woman and send   |  |  |  |  |
|           | her to hell?YN   |  |  |  |  |
| This wor  | nan was a despised, hated, and rejected woman.   |  |  |  |  |
| 6.        | YN Would anyone in their right mind choose   |  |  |  |  |
|           | this life were it not for their darkness?  |  |  |  |  |
| Keep in I | mind that "darkness" = spiritual BLINDNESS.  |  |  |  |  |
| 7.        | (Jn 8:11) What did Jesus offer her?  |  |  |  |  |
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| 8.        | What does He offer us?   |  |  |  |  |
| 9.        | (Jn 8:11) What did Jesus tell her to do?   |  |  |  |  |
| 10.       | (Jn 8:12) What would she need to accomplish what He commanded?                                   |  |  |  |  |
| 11.       | (Jn 8:11) The words "neither do I condemn you" bring   |  |  |  |  |
|           | me to tears. She was obviously guilty and lost. How do   |  |  |  |  |
|           | you feel about this?   |  |  |  |  |
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