

## John 1:9-13

# The True Light

### 1) The True Light - v. 9

•	Life –	Gen	1:3;	Ex	10:22-23
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- Direction Ex 13:21, Neh 9:19, Ps 119:105,130
- Salvation Isa 42:6, 49:6
- God's Presence Isa 60, Rev 22, Jms 1:17, 1 Jn 1:5, 1 Tim 6:16
- a) ...coming into the world
- b) ...shines light on every man

#### 2) Those who Reject – v. 10-11

- a) The World
- b) His Own

#### 3) Those who Receive - v. 12-13

- a) Their Response
- b) Their Status

#### **Praxis**

- 1. Jesus not only said He Himself was the Light of men, but called His disciples to become "sons of light" (Jn 12:35-36). What implications does this metaphor hold for us? (see also Mt 5:14-16, Eph 5:6-14, 1 Jn 1:5-7)
- 2. How does John's portrait of Jesus so far direct you in gospel sharing? in personal worship?