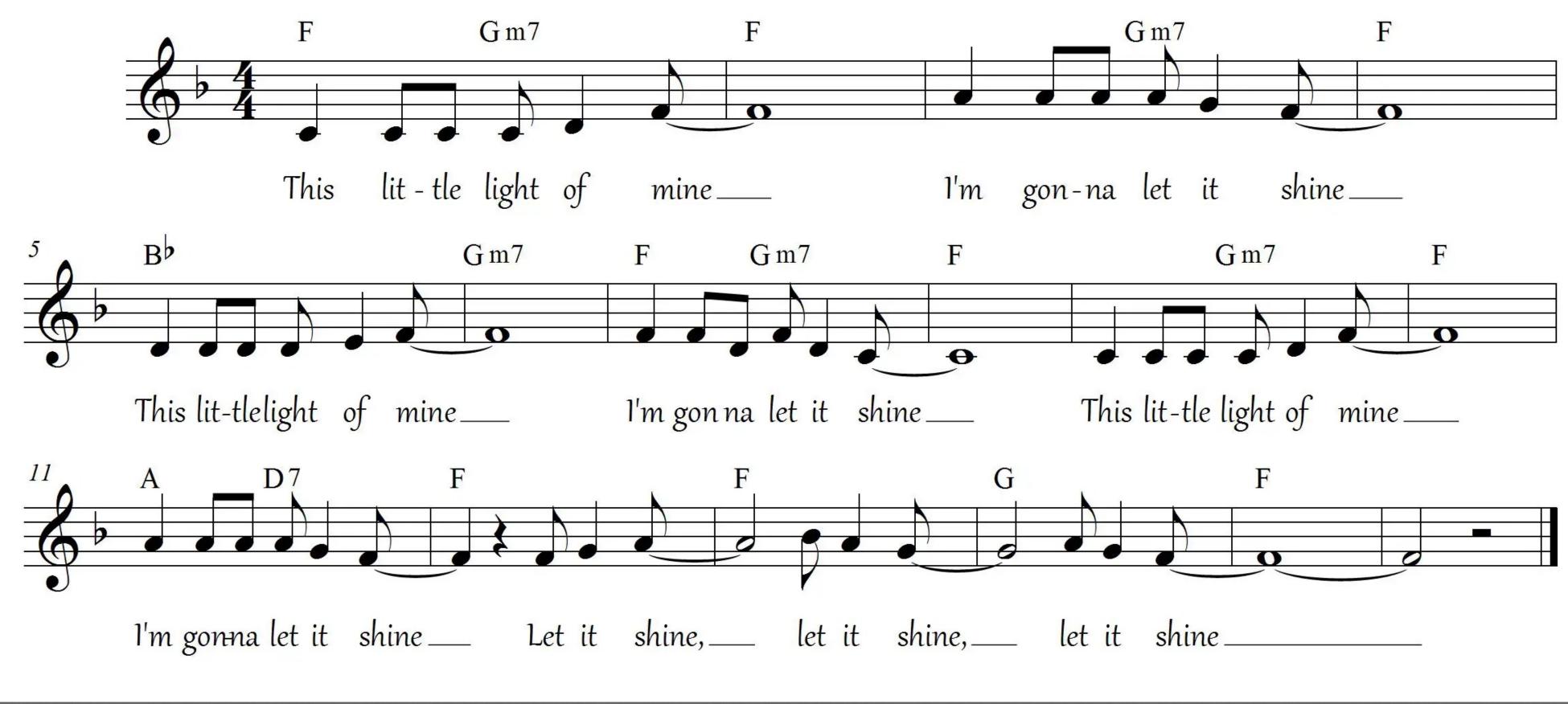
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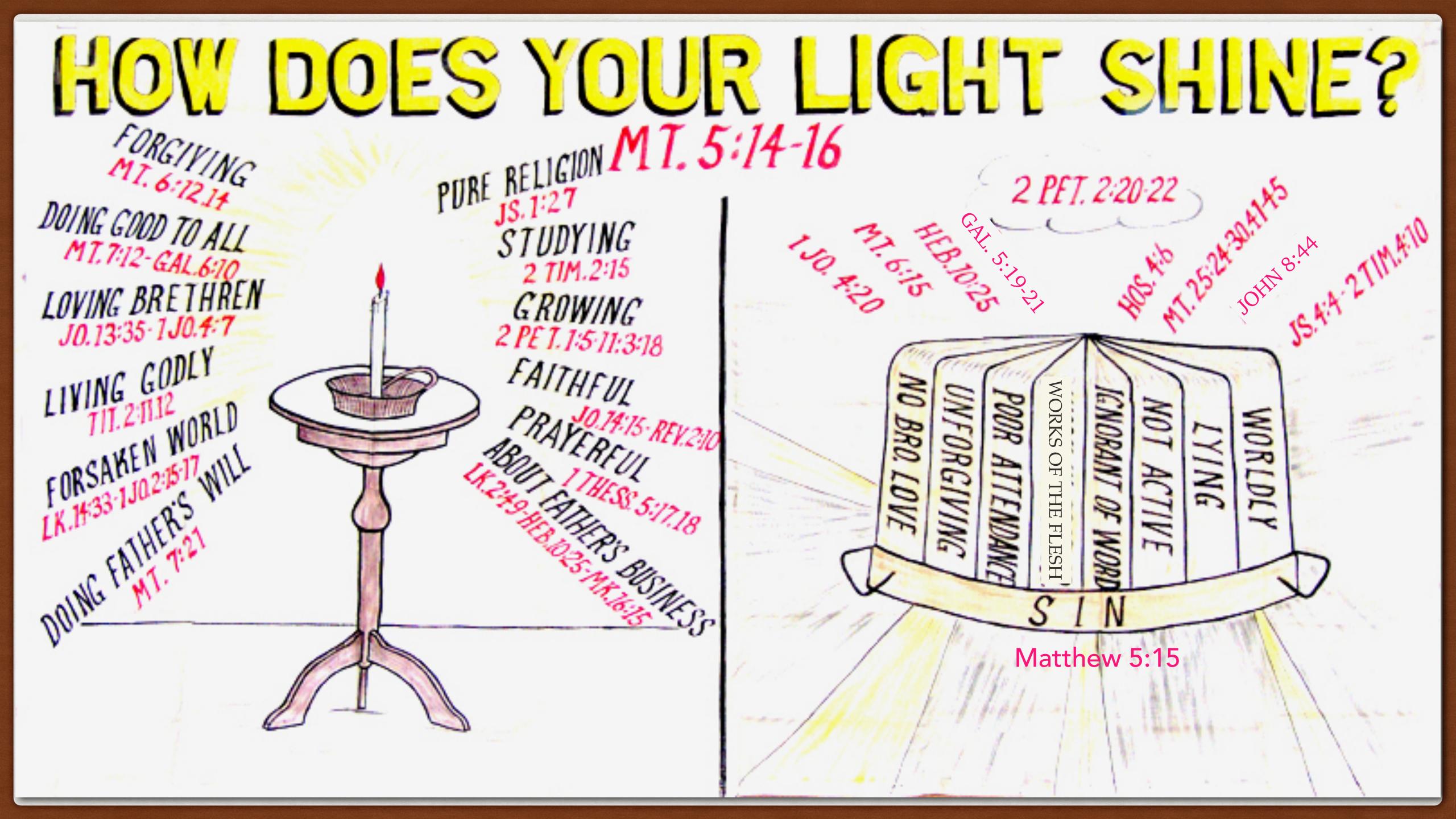
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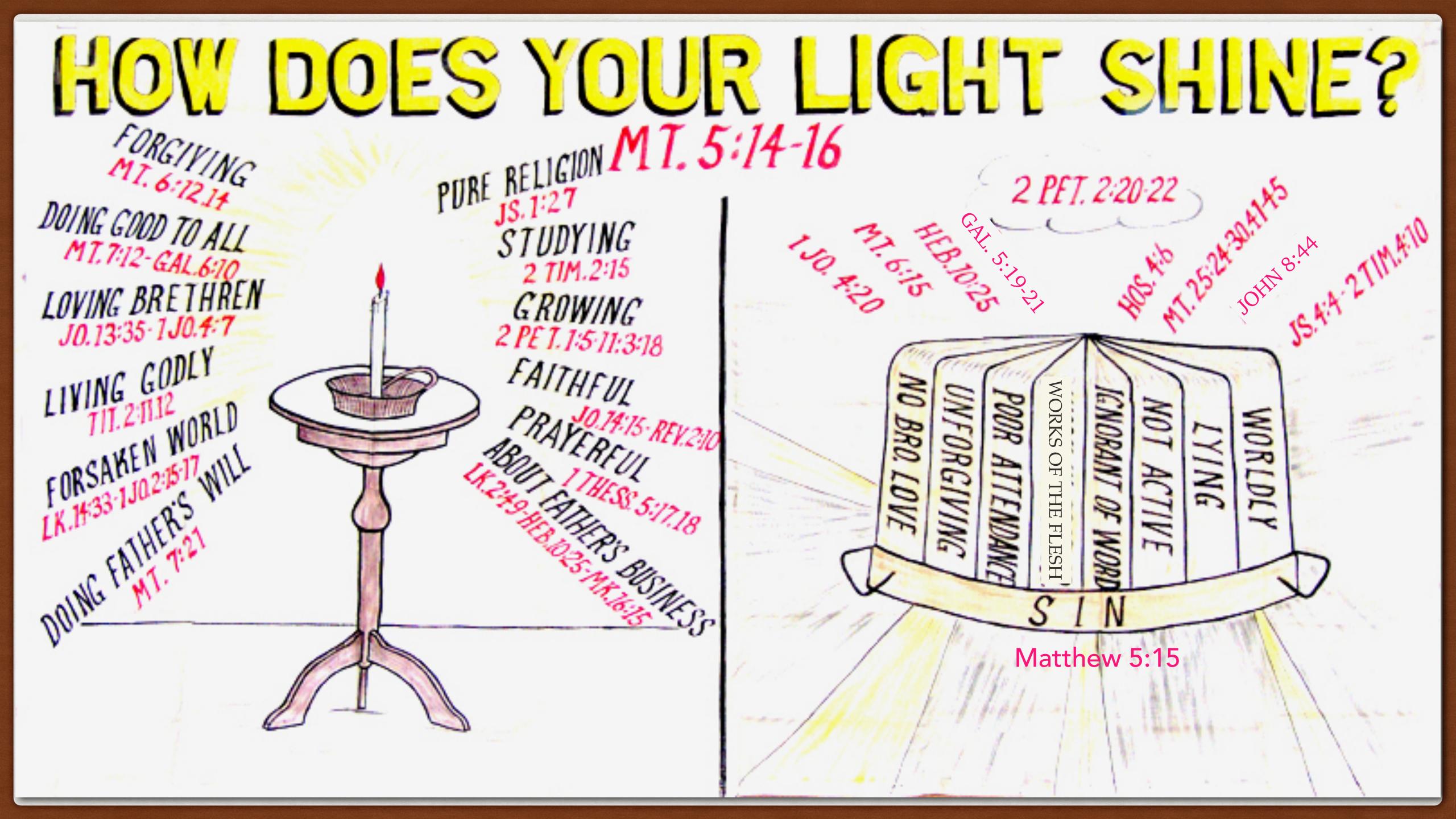




HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE

Matthew 5:14-16 "You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 "Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all [who are] in the house. 16 "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven."





HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE FORGIVING

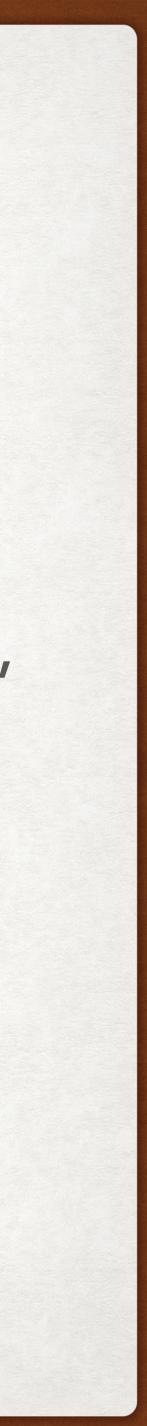
Matthew 6:12-14 "And forgive us our debts, As we forgive our debtors. 13 And do not lead us into temptation, But deliver us from the evil one. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen. 14 "For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE DOING GOOD TO ALL

Matthew 7:12 "Therefore, whatever you want men to do to you, do also to them, for this is the Law and the Prophets."

Galatians 6:10 "Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE LOVING OUR BRETHREN

John 13:35 "By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

1 John 4:7 "Beloved, let us love one another, for love is of God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE LIVING GODLY

Titus 2:11-12 "For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, 12 teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age,"



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE FORSAKEN WORLD

Luke 14:33 "So likewise, whoever of you does not forsake all that he has cannot be My disciple."

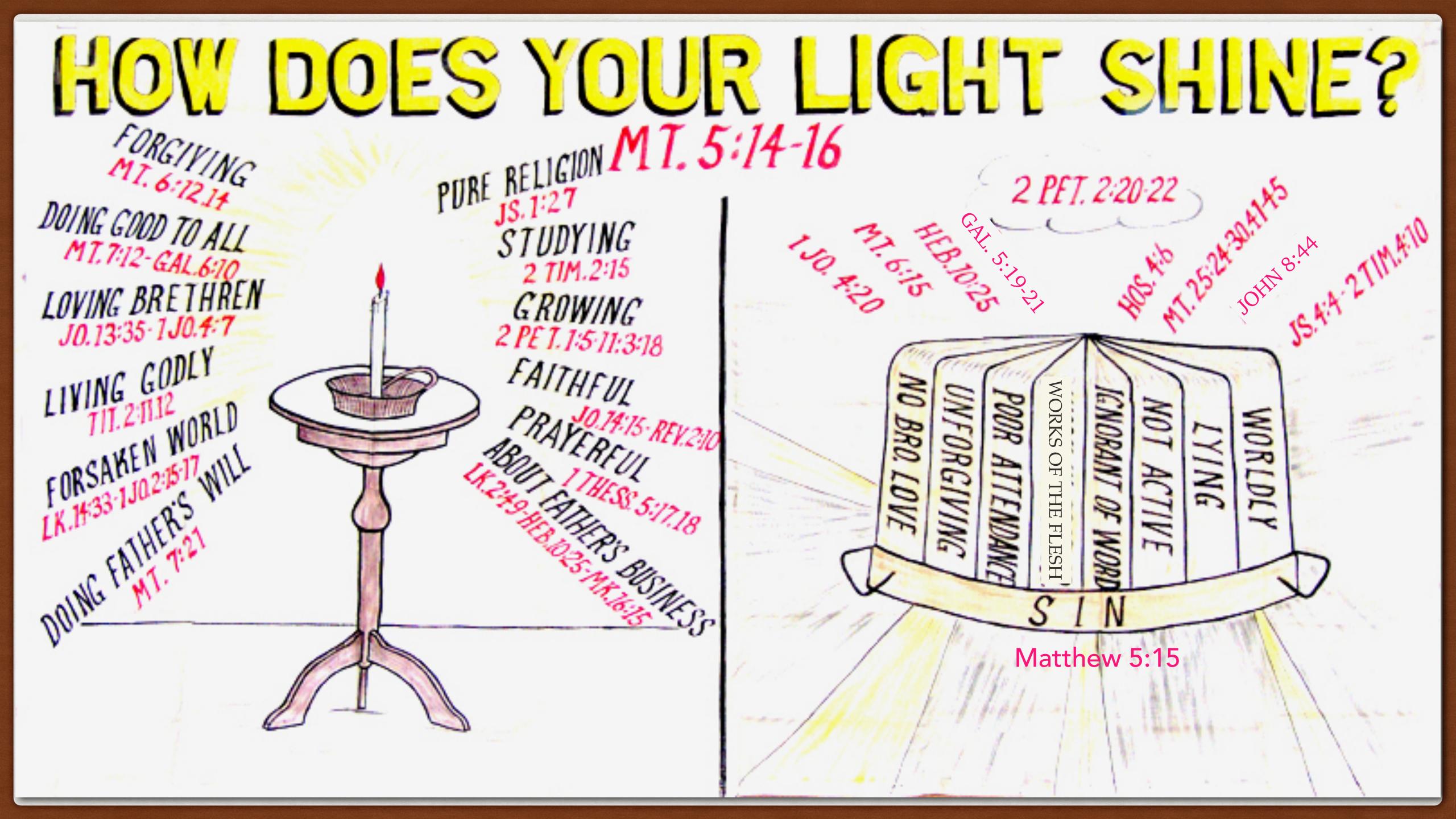
1 John 2:15-17 "Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. 16 For all that [is] in the world--the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life--is not of the Father but is of the world. 17 And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE DOING FATHER'S WILL

Matthew 7:21 "Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven."





HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE PURE RELIGION

James 1:27 "Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble, [and] to keep oneself unspotted from the world."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE STUDYING

2 Timothy 2:15 "Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE GROWING

2 Peter 1:5 "But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge,"

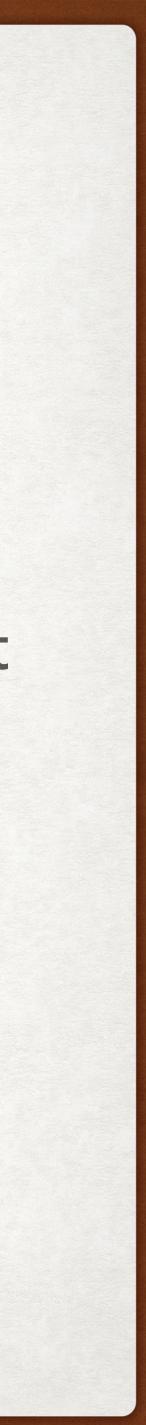
2 Peter 3:18 "but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him [be] the glory both now and forever. Amen."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE FAITHFUL

John 14:15 "If you love Me, keep My commandments."

Revelation 2:10 "Do not fear any of those things which you are about to suffer. Indeed, the devil is about to throw [some] of you into prison, that you may be tested, and you will have tribulation ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE PRAYERFUL

1 Thessalonians 5:17-18 "pray without ceasing, 18 in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."



HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE ABOUT FATHER'S BUSINESS

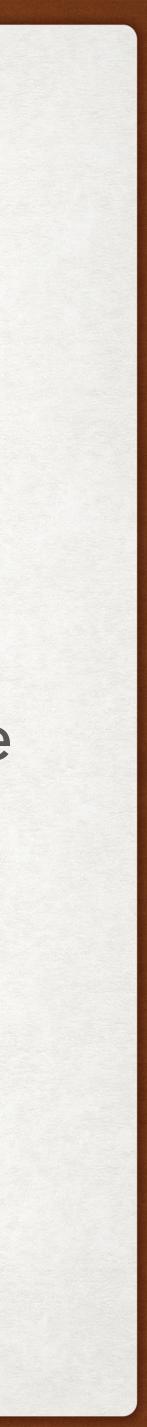
Luke 2:49 "And He said to them, "Why did you seek Me? Did you not know that I must be about My Father's business?"

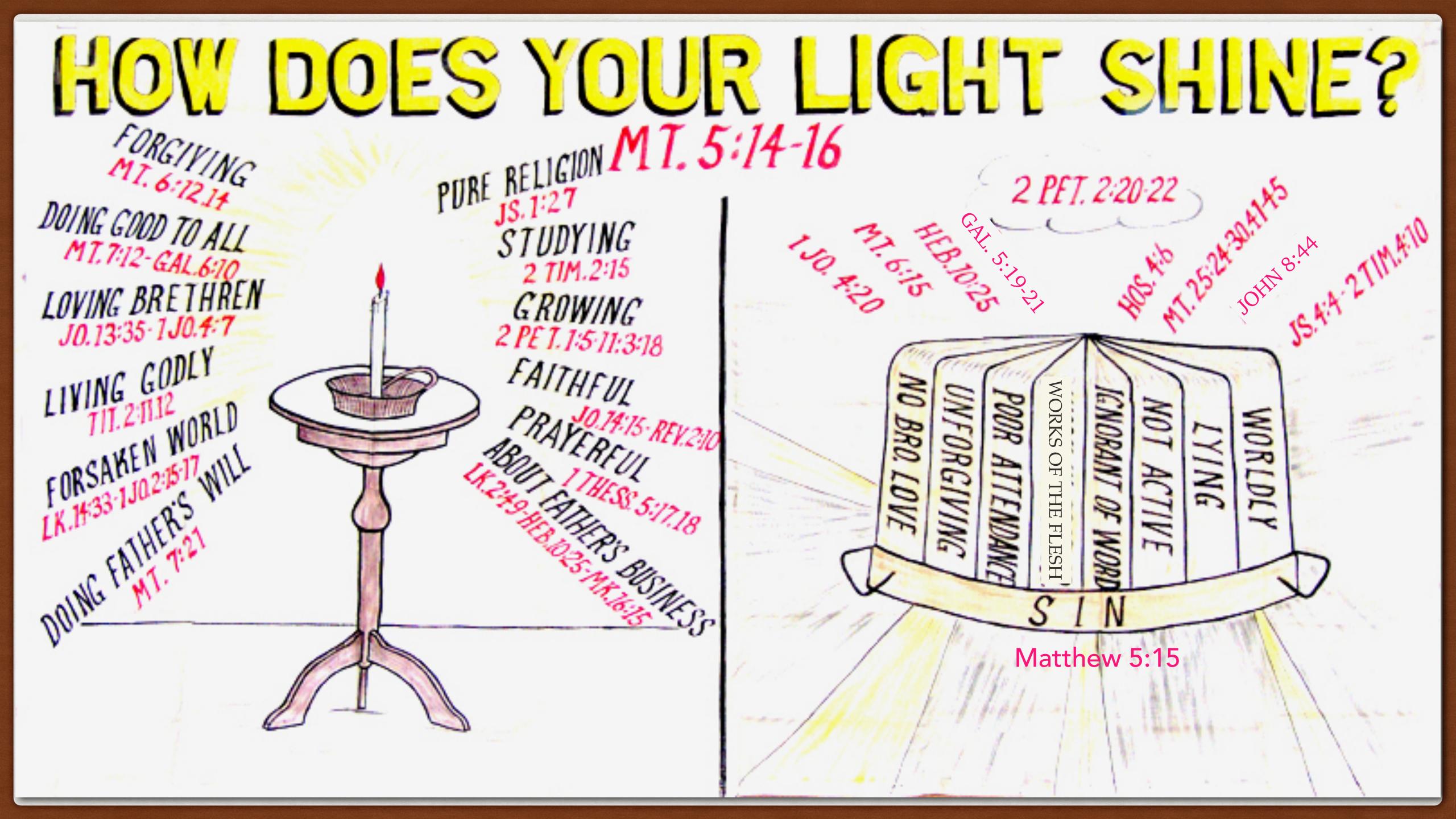


HOW DOES YOUR LIGHT SHINE ABOUT FATHER'S BUSINESS

Hebrews 10:25 "not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as [is] the manner of some, but exhorting [one another], and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.

Mark 16:15 "And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."





DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET

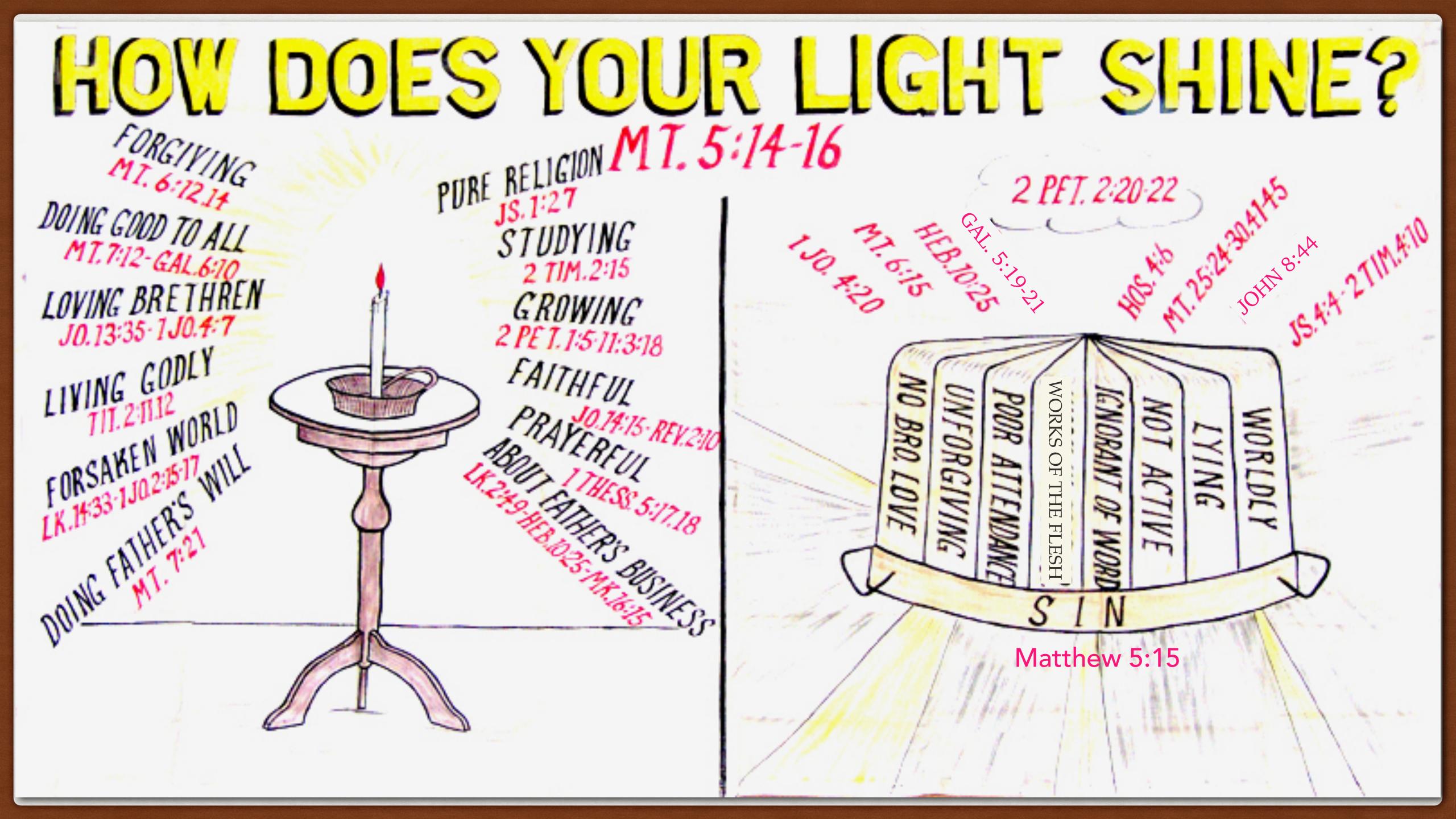
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DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET TURNING BACK

2 Peter 2:20-22 "For if, after they have escaped the pollutions of the world through the knowledge of the Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, they are again entangled in them and overcome, the latter end is worse for them than the beginning. 21 For it would have been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than having known [it], to turn from the holy commandment delivered to them. 22 But it has happened to them according to the true proverb: "A dog returns to his own vomit," and, "a sow, having washed, to her wallowing in the mire."





DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET NO BROTHERLY LOVE

1 John 4:20 "If someone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen?"



DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET UNFORGIVING

Matthew 6:15 "But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses."



DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET POOR ATTENDANCE

Hebrews 10:25 "not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as [is] the manner of some, but exhorting [one another], and so much the more as you see the Day approaching."

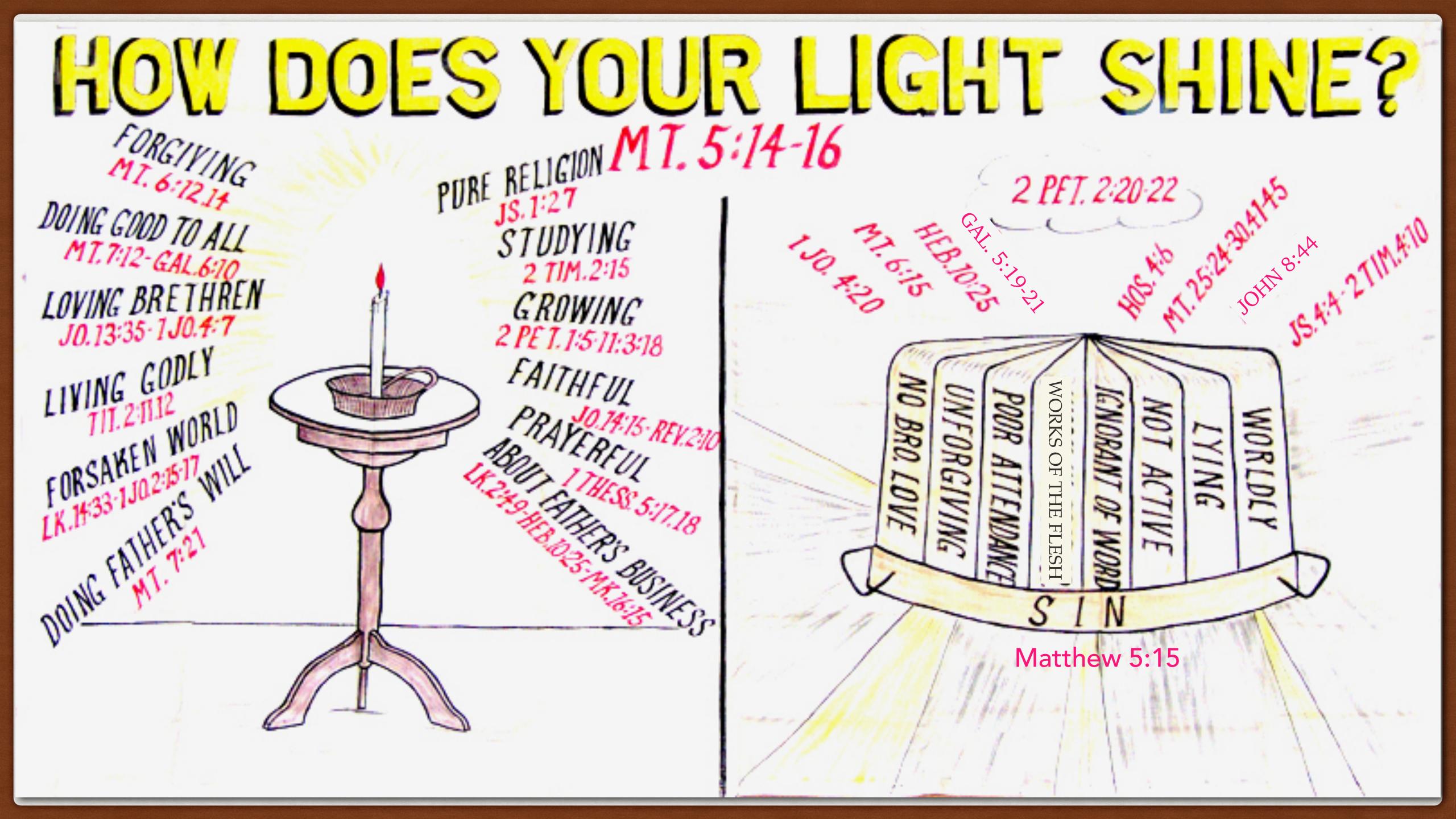


DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET WORK OF THE FLESH

contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God."

- Galatians 5:19-21 "Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are:
- adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, 20 idolatry, sorcery, hatred,
- dissensions, heresies, 21 envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the
- like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told [you] in time past,





DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET IGNORANT OF THE WORD

Hosea 4:6 "My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge. Because you have rejected knowledge, I also will reject you from being priest for Me; Because you have forgotten the law of your God, I also will forget your children."



DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET NOT ACTIVE

Matthew 25:24-30 "Then he who had received the one talent came and said, 'Lord, I knew you to be a hard man, reaping where you have not sown, and gathering where you have not scattered seed.25 'And I was afraid, and went and hid your talent in the ground. Look, [there] you have [what is] yours.' 26 "But his lord answered and said to him, 'You wicked and lazy servant, you knew that I reap where I have not sown, and gather where I have not scattered seed. 27 'So you ought to have deposited my money with the bankers, and at my coming I would have received back my own with interest. 28 'Therefore take the talent from him, and give [it] to him who has ten talents. 29 'For to everyone who has, more will be given, and he will have abundance; but from him who does not have, even what he has will be taken away. 30 'And cast the unprofitable servant into the outer darkness. There will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'"



DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET LYING

John 8:44 ""You are of *your* father the devil, and the desires of your father you want to do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own *resources*, for he is a liar and the father of it."



DO NOT PUT YOUR LIGHT UNDER A BASKET WORLDLY

James 4:4 "Adulterers and adulteresses! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Whoever therefore wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God."

2 Timothy 4:10 "for Demas has forsaken me, having loved this present world, and has departed for Thessalonica--Crescens for Galatia, Titus for Dalmatia."



