**Portraits of Jesus**

**“Light”**

**John 1:1–13 (NLT)**

1. **Jesus is the light that reveals sin.**

* V 4 Jesus is the Light shining in contrast to the darkness of this sinful world.
* Jesus is the one who gives to every man the light of reason and conscience.
* We may resist the Light, but we will be unable to frustrate its power.

1. **Jesus is the light that gives life.**

* V 4 In Creation, Jesus gave life to everything.
* People are not naturally children of God, but can become so by receiving the Light which gives new birth.
* Life is not from Him, or through Him, or by Him, but life is in Him.

1. **Jesus is the light that gives direction.**

* Psalm 119:105 (NLT): Your word is a lamp to guide my feet   
  and a light for my path.
* The Light of Jesus will reveal the right path.
* The Light of Jesus gives meaning and fulfillment to life.