

**Connected To God Part 41  
Isaiah 60**

**The Title Of The Message: “The Light Of The Church”**

**The Key Word: Light**

**The Thought: The Light of the church is Jesus, He shines His light on us and we are to respond.**

**The Breakdown:**

**Verses 1-3 Rise And Shine...**

**Verses 4-9 Gathered To The Light...**

**Verses 10-18 The Joy Of God’s Light...**

**Verses 1-3 Rise And Shine...**

**Isaiah 60:1**

**Arise, shine...**

**John 1:5 (NKJV) And the light shined in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.**

**John 3:19 (NKJV) And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.**

**Psalms 27:1 (NKJV) The Lord is my light and my salvation; Whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; Of whom shall I be afraid?**

**John 8:12 (NKJV) ...“I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life.”**

**John 12:46 (NKJV) I have come as a light into the world, that whoever believes in Me should not abide in darkness.**

**John 9:5 (NKJV) As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.”**

**Matthew 5:14–16 (NKJV)**

**Isaiah 60:2**

**For behold...**

**Amos 5:18 (NKJV) Woe to you who desire the day of the Lord! For what good is the day of the Lord to you? It will be darkness, and not light.**

**Isaiah 60:3**

**The Gentiles shall come...**

**Verses 4-9 Gathered To The Light...**

**Isaiah 60:4-5**

**Lift up your eyes all around...**

**Hebrews 10:25 (NKJV) 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.**

**Isaiah 60:6-7**

**The multitude of camels...**

**Isaiah 60:8-9**

**Who [are] these [who] fly...**

**Verses 10-22 The Joy Of God's Light...**

**Isaiah 60:10**

**The sons of foreigners...**

**Isaiah 60:11-12**

**Therefore your gates shall be open...**

**Isaiah 60:13-15**

**The glory of Lebanon shall come...**

**Isaiah 60:16-17**

**Instead of bronze...**

**Isaiah 60:18-22**

**Violence shall no longer be...**

**Application:**

**1. Jesus comes to the church and says arise and shine, and we are to get up and shine the light He has given us.**

**2. If we have the light then we are to gather together in worship of the Lord, showing the glory of God through our lives.**

**3. The Light of the Lord brings mercy and grace into the life of the believer.**