



THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

Sermon Notes

“The Lamp of the Gospel and the Light of His Presence”

Luke 11:33-36

November 4, 2012

Luke 11:33-36 "No one after lighting a lamp puts it in a cellar or under a basket, but on a stand, so that those who enter may see the light. Your eye is the lamp of your body. When your eye is healthy, your whole body is full of light, but when it is bad, your body is full of darkness. Therefore be careful lest the light in you be darkness. If then your whole body is full of light, having no part dark, it will be wholly bright, as when a lamp with its rays gives you light."

I. Introduction

II. Exposition -- an extended metaphor

A. A Lamp

1. Spiritual lamp

2. The Gospel

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B. The Light -- the presence of God

III. Application

Our wisdom, insofar as it ought to be deemed true and solid wisdom, consists almost entirely of two parts: the knowledge of God and the knowledge of ourselves.

John Calvin
(1509-1564)