

LIGHT AND SIGHT

Jesus is the Light.

Sight requires light. Without it, all is darkness. John 8–9 reveal that this is true not only for the body but also for the soul. Into this dual reality, Jesus said, "I am the light of the world" (John 8:12). He invites the man born blind, the religious leaders, and all of creation to behold Him as the I AM, as God. That is why this image shows an eye with a cross as its pupil—a symbol of Jesus. Just as light enters the body through the pupil, so Jesus' light illumines the soul.

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."