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Jesus told them, “Yet a little while is the Light with you. Walk in the light while you have it, lest darkness should come upon you. For he who walks in darkness does not know where he is going.” With these words He urged them to follow Him, who is Light, so that they would know where they were going. Then Jesus went away and hid Himself from them.

Even though Jesus had done so many miracles among them, still they did not believe in Him. In the Book of Isaiah, the prophet foretold that it would be this way. They did not really want to know, so they could not know. Oh, yes, they pretended that they wanted to know, and if Jesus’ way would have fitted into their plans, they would have wanted to know. But they loved themselves too much to give up their own ways.

Even among the chief rulers of the Jews there were some who believed that Jesus is the Son of God. But they would not confess that they believed, for they were afraid that the Pharisees would put them out of the synagogue. These secret believers loved the favor of the Pharisees more than the favor of God.