

The Final Rebuke

John 8:48-59

THEY DISHONORED JESUS

- The assault - *“The Jews answered and said to Him, ‘Do we not say rightly that you are a Samaritan and have a demon?’*
- The response - *“Jesus answered, ‘I do not have a demon; but I honor My Father, and you dishonor Me. But I do not seek My glory; there is One who seeks and judges. Truly, truly, I say to you, if anyone keeps My word he will never see death.’”*

THEY DOUBTED JESUS

- The assault - *“The Jews said to Him, ‘Now we know that You have a demon. Abraham died and the prophets also; and You say, ‘If anyone keeps My word, he will never taste of death.’ Surely you are not greater than our father Abraham, who died? The prophets died too; whom do you make yourself out to be?’”*

THEY DOUBTED JESUS (cont.)

- **The response –**

Those who know God seek His glory (vs 54)

Those who know God follow Him (vs 55)

Those who know God rejoice in Jesus (vs 56)

Those who know God believe in Jesus (vs 57)

THEY SOUGHT TO DESTROY JESUS

- The assault - *“Therefore they picked up stones to throw at Him”*
- The response - *“but Jesus hid Himself and went out of the temple.”*

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