

**John 8:21-30**  
**Jesus Warns of Coming Judgment**

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[21] Once more Jesus said to them, *“I am going away, and you will look for me, and you will die in your sin. Where I go, you cannot come.”*

[22] This made the Jews ask, *“Will he kill himself? Is that why he says, ‘Where I go you cannot come’?”*

[23] But he continued, *“You are from below; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world.”*

[24] *I told you that you would die in your sins; if you do not believe that I am the one I claim to be, you will indeed die in your sins.”*

[25] *“Who are you?”* they asked.

*“Just what I have been claiming all along,”* Jesus replied.

[26] *“I have much to say in judgment of you. But he who sent me is reliable, and what I have heard from him I tell the world.”*

[27] They did not understand that he was telling them about his Father.

[28] So Jesus said, *“When you have lifted up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am the one I claim to be and that I do nothing on my own but speak what the Father has taught me.”*

[29] *The one who sent me is with me; and he has not left me alone, for I always do what pleases him.”*

[30] Even as he spoke, many put their faith in him.