

**“Light and darkness”**  
**Ephesians 5:8-14**

1. From the beginning, it has been God’s plan to overcome the darkness with His light.
2. Jesus of Nazareth appeared in history and claimed to be the light.
3. When we believe in Him, we become light in Him.
4. The darkness cannot resist the light.

**“While in the absence of light, darkness seems to wield unlimited power, it is no match for light whenever it comes to a conflict... However devouring and devastating its power may seem...darkness must yield wherever light shines.”**

**[Markus Barth, “Ephesians”]**