Can We Keep Going? 2 Peter 1:16-21 May 29, 2022

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For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased," we ourselves heard this very voice borne from heaven, for we were with him on the holy mountain. And we have the prophetic word more fully confirmed, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts, knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

We have to follow Jesus until we see Jesus.

Question: Can we really keep going in this dark place?

Answer: Yes, remember what you know (vv. 12-15)

Question: Can we really keep trusting in what we know?

Answer: Yes, remember why you know (vv. 16-21)

We learned from people who saw Jesus (v. 16)

We learned from people who heard God (vv. 17-18)

The Scriptures were fulfilled in Jesus (v. 19)

The Scriptures were given by God (vv. 20-21)

We have everything we need to follow Jesus until we see Jesus.