

# The Gospel According to Mark

The Servant's Attends His People: Galilee and Beyond (1:14-8:38) (Part 45)

    Jesus' Ministry Transitioning (6:1-8:38) (Part 16)

        Jesus' True Identity (8:11-38)

            Part 1: Jesus' True Identity Resisted (8:11-13)

- The Democratization of Influence, Impact and Power
- A New Renaissance of Apologetics
- The Consequences for the Church

C. Jesus' Ministry Transitioning (6:1-8:26)

9.     Jesus' True Identity (8:11-38)

- The Spiritual Density of Mankind

- Man's Spiritual Blindness
- Man's Spiritual Darkness
- Man, Spiritual Dead
- Man's Spiritual Hard Heart

a.     Jesus' True Identity Resisted (8:11-13)

1)     The Disguise of Religious Resistance (8:11)

    a)     The Pretenders (8:11a)

        ● argue to engage or to dispute

    b)     Their Request (8:11b)

        ● sign optical or acoustical impression

    c)     Their Intention (8:11c)

        ● test to trap, examine, or tempt

2)     The Diagnosis of Religious Resistance

    a)     Jesus' Impatience with Hypocrisy (8:12a)

    b)     Jesus' Exposure their Falsehood (8:12b)

    c)     Jesus' Reluctance to Play Along (8:12c)

3)     The Defense against Religious Resistance (8:13)