

"I'm Going to Have it Out with Her"

A lady confronted the preacher about another lady in the church: "She has recently been snubbing me. I'm going to have it out with her. She just walks right by me and acts like I'm not there. I intend to find out why." The preacher said, "I'm glad you talked with me first. The lady means you no harm. She just learned recently that she is going blind. She does not want sympathy or pity, but she is determined to keep attending the services. She cannot see now well enough to tell who people are. She has counted the number of steps from the back of the building to her customary pew. She tries to get in and out with as little distraction as possible.

The first lady then said, "Oh, wouldn't it have been terrible if I had added to her great burden with my petty complaint. I must find her and see if I can help her in some way."