



Rebecca asked, "What is it now, day or night?"

"I think night has fallen," David replied. He had a wristwatch and kept track of day and night and also of the days of the week and the month. After a while

Rebecca asked again, "What is the

Now David pronounced the benediction over the Hanukkah candle, and Rebecca said, "Amen."

They had both lost their families, and they had good reason to be angry with God for sending them so many afflictions, but the light of the candle brought peace into



partisans and those who were running away from the Nazis. From time to time David and Rebecca got a piece of bread, a few potatoes, a radish, or whatever the peasants could spare. In one

crew waited for them, and all the refugees with their meager belongings were packed into it. This all happened silently and in great secrecy, because the Nazis occupied Yugoslavia.

