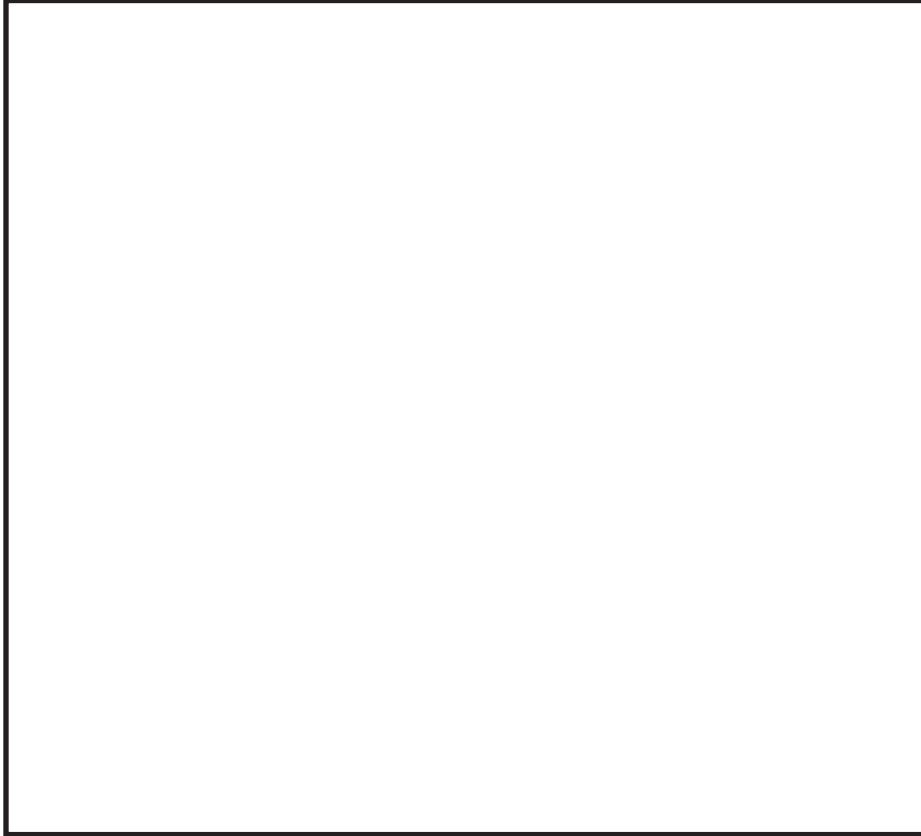


John Baptizes Jesus

Matthew 3



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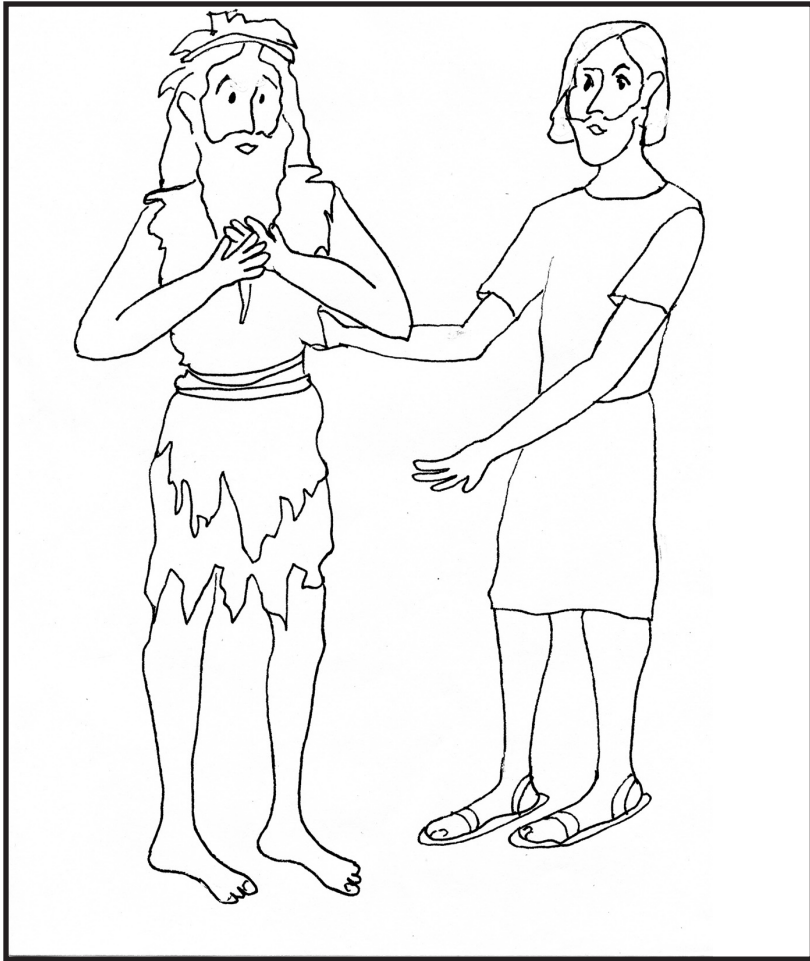
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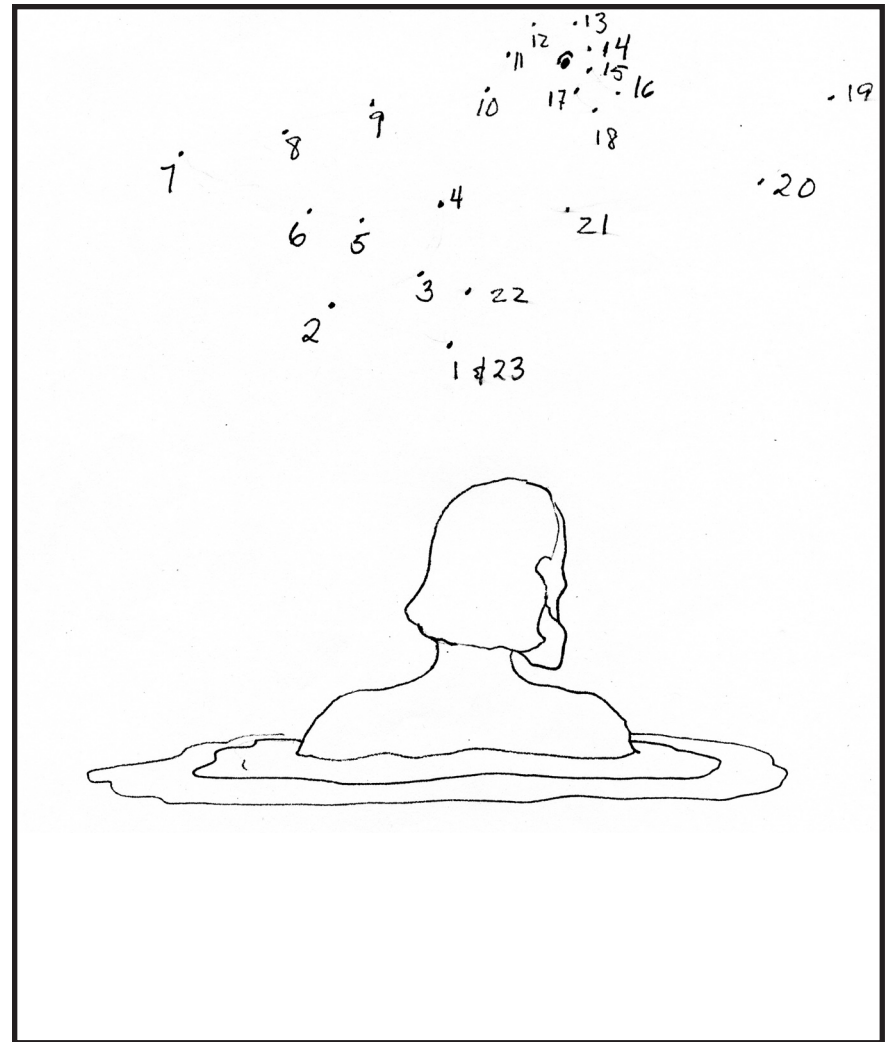
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John the Baptist came to make things ready for Jesus. He helped men and women start fresh. He said that being free from doing bad things or sin is like washing in water.



When Jesus came to John to be baptized John said no at first. He said, "You have not done anything bad." Jesus said, "It is a good thing to do for now."



So John baptized Jesus. When he came out of the water, they saw the spirit of God, like a dove, landing on him. A voice said, "This is my loved son."