

John's Gospel: The Witness

"He was not the light, but came to bear witness about the light." John 1:8 (ESV)

John was the "_____ man" to help people _____ in Jesus.

About The Witness Of John The Baptist

- A. 1:6-8 - John came to bear witness about the _____, so all might _____ through him.
- B. The need for a witness:
1. John 5:31-36a - Jesus' _____ about Himself would not have been _____.
 2. Deuteronomy 19:15 - ___ or three _____ were needed.
- C. The power of John's witness:
1. Mark 1:4-6 - _____ of Judea and _____ went out to him.
 2. Malachi 4:5,6 - They knew that _____ was to come before the _____'s appearance.
 3. Luke 3:15 - Was John the Baptist the _____?
 4. John 10:40-42 - John did no _____, but _____ he said about Jesus was _____, leading many to _____.
 5. Luke 1:15 - John was _____ with the Holy _____.

The Testimony John Gave About Jesus

- A. John was like the _____ whose testimony is crucial to a case. What would he testify?
- B. John the Baptist's testimony about Jesus:
1. 1:20 - John was the _____ of one _____ in the wilderness, which meant _____ was about to appear.
 2. 1:15,26-27 - Jesus ranked _____ John, and was _____ him - suggesting Jesus' _____ nature.
 3. 1:29 - Jesus is the _____ of _____, the One who would take _____ the _____ of the world.
 4. 1:32-34 - John saw the _____ descend on Jesus at His _____. He is, therefore, the _____ of _____.
- C. 1:31 - John's baptism was to _____ Jesus to Israel:
1. Acts 19:4 - It was a baptism of _____.
 2. At His _____ Jesus was identified as God's _____.

John 4:39-42 - The woman of _____ was another _____ whose testimony led many to _____. *Can we play a similar role to others?*

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