

JOHN THE BAPTIST

1. John's mother, _____, was old and, until he was born, had not been able to have any children (Luke 1).
2. John's father, a priest named _____, was also old, and when an angel told him he was going to have a son, he didn't believe it (Luke 1).
3. The angel told John's father that John would be filled with the _____ (Luke 1).
4. John was not to drink _____ or any other type of fermented beverage (Luke 1).
5. The angel said that John's mission was to prepare the people for the coming of the _____ (Luke 1).
6. As a baby in his mother's womb, John leaped for joy when he heard the voice of _____, who was carrying Jesus in her womb (Luke 1).
7. Because John's father hadn't believed the angel, he couldn't speak when John was born, so he wrote his son's name on a _____ (Luke 1).
8. When John grew up, he began to preach in the _____ (Matthew 3).
9. John's clothes were made of _____ (Matthew 3).
10. The food John ate was _____ and honey (Matthew 3).
11. John told the people to _____, or turn away from evil, because the kingdom of heaven was near (Matthew 3).
12. When people confessed their sins, John baptized them in the _____ (Matthew 3).
13. The people wondered if John might be the _____, or the Messiah, but John said he was not (Luke 3; John 1).
14. John told the people that although he baptized them with water, someone more powerful would baptize them with _____ (Luke 3).
15. When _____ came to the river, John told the people, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1).
16. Jesus wanted John to _____ him, but John didn't feel worthy to do it (Matthew 3).
17. After John baptized Jesus, the Holy Spirit descended on Jesus in the form of a _____ (Matthew 3; John 1).
18. _____ put John in prison because he was angry that John had rebuked him for the evil things he had done (Luke 3).
19. John was killed because King Herod's wife, _____, told her daughter to ask for John's head on a platter (Mark 6).
20. Jesus praised John, calling him a _____ and saying there was no one greater than he (Luke 7).

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Elizabeth	fire	Herodias	Holy Spirit	Jesus
Jordan River	King Herod	locusts	Lord	Mary
prophet	repent	tablet	wine	Zechariah

JOHN THE BAPTIST *Answer Key*

1. John's mother, Elizabeth, was old and, until he was born, had not been able to have any children (Luke 1).
2. John's father, a priest named Zechariah, was also old, and when an angel told him he was going to have a son, he didn't believe it (Luke 1).
3. The angel told John's father that John would be filled with the Holy Spirit (Luke 1).
4. John was not to drink wine or any other type of fermented beverage (Luke 1).
5. The angel said that John's mission was to prepare the people for the coming of the Lord (Luke 1).
6. As a baby in his mother's womb, John leaped for joy when he heard the voice of Mary, who was carrying Jesus in her womb (Luke 1).
7. Because John's father hadn't believed the angel, he couldn't speak when John was born, so he wrote his son's name on a tablet (Luke 1).
8. When John grew up, he began to preach in the desert (Matthew 3).
9. John's clothes were made of camel hair (Matthew 3).
10. The food John ate was locusts and honey (Matthew 3).
11. John told the people to repent, or turn away from evil, because the kingdom of heaven was near (Matthew 3).
12. When people confessed their sins, John baptized them in the Jordan River (Matthew 3).
13. The people wondered if John might be the Christ, or the Messiah, but John said he was not (Luke 3; John 1).
14. John told the people that although he baptized them with water, someone more powerful would baptize them with fire (Luke 3).
15. When Jesus came to the river, John told the people, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1).
16. Jesus wanted John to baptize him, but John didn't feel worthy to do it (Matthew 3).
17. After John baptized Jesus, the Holy Spirit descended on Jesus in the form of a dove (Matthew 3; John 1).
18. King Herod put John in prison because he was angry that John had rebuked him for the evil things he had done (Luke 3).
19. John was killed because King Herod's wife, Herodias, told her daughter to ask for John's head on a platter (Mark 6).
20. Jesus praised John, calling him a prophet and saying there was no one greater than he (Luke 7).

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