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**Title**

**A superior baptism**

# Mark 1:4-8

**In response to his preaching, people came to John  
baptized for the remission of sin**

**John's aim was to compel listeners to change their minds + behavior in preparation of the coming Messiah**

**Luke 1:15-17**

# Matthew 3:1-12

**Remember Mark 1:6? John's clothing and appearance are no accident — it's a callback a prophet of old**



# 2 Kings 1:8

# Zechariah 13:4

**John's behavior helped him stand out to listeners, but some rejected him all the same**

# Matthew 11:16-19

**Baptism has a broader definition than you might think — people were baptized into Moses for example**

# 1 Corinthians 10:1-4

Jesus Christ provided a greater baptism both then and now — he baptizes us and all believers with the Holy Spirit

# Acts 19:1-6



# John 7:37-39

**We are baptized directly into the body of  
Christ, which is something John could never  
do**

# 1 Corinthians 12:13-14

# Ephesians 1:11-14

# Galatians 3:26-28

# Romans 12:4-5

**Enjoy the benefits of being permanently  
identified with Christ — and the Spirit we have  
because of Him**

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