

Mark 1:4-11

DFH Worship Translation

⁴ There came John, baptizing in the wilderness and proclaiming a baptism of repentance for release of sins.

⁵ And the whole Judea[n] region and all the inhabitants of Jerusalem were going out and being baptized by him in the Jordan River, acknowledging their sins.

⁶ There was John, dressed [in] camel hairs and a leather belt around his waist and eating grasshoppers and wild honey.

⁷ And he proclaimed, “One who is stronger than me is coming behind me, of whom I am not fit to bend down and loosen the strap of his sandals.

⁸ I baptized you with water, but he will baptize you in [the] holy spirit.”

⁹ And it happened in those days [that] Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized in the Jordan by John.

¹⁰ And straight away, as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens were being split apart and the spirit was descending as a dove into him.

¹¹ And there came a voice out of the heavens, “You are my son, the beloved; in you I have taken delight.”