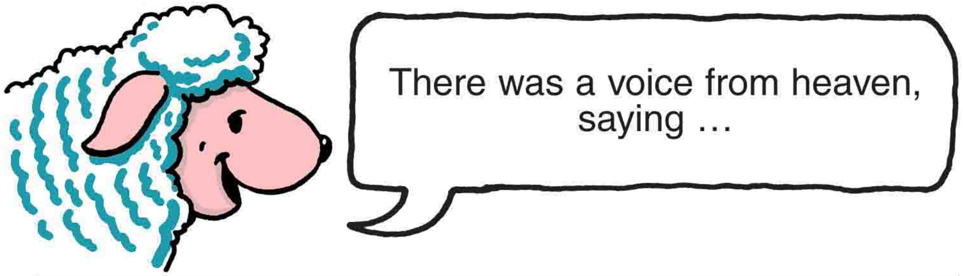
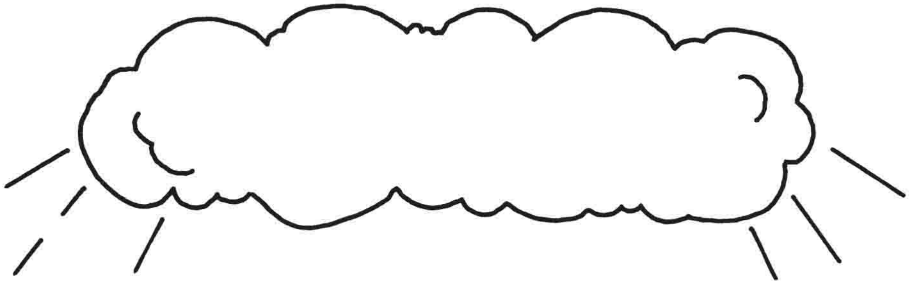

There was a voice from heaven, saying …

Write the letter that comes before the one given under the line.



“___ ___ ___   ___ ___ ___
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___ ___   ___ ___ ___,
N Z   T P O

___ ___ ___ ___   ___   ___ ___ ___ ___;
X I P N   J   M P W F

___ ___ ___ ___   ___ ___ ___   ___   ___ ___
X J U I   Z P V   J   B N

___ ___ ___ ___
X F M M

___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___.”
Q M F B T F E

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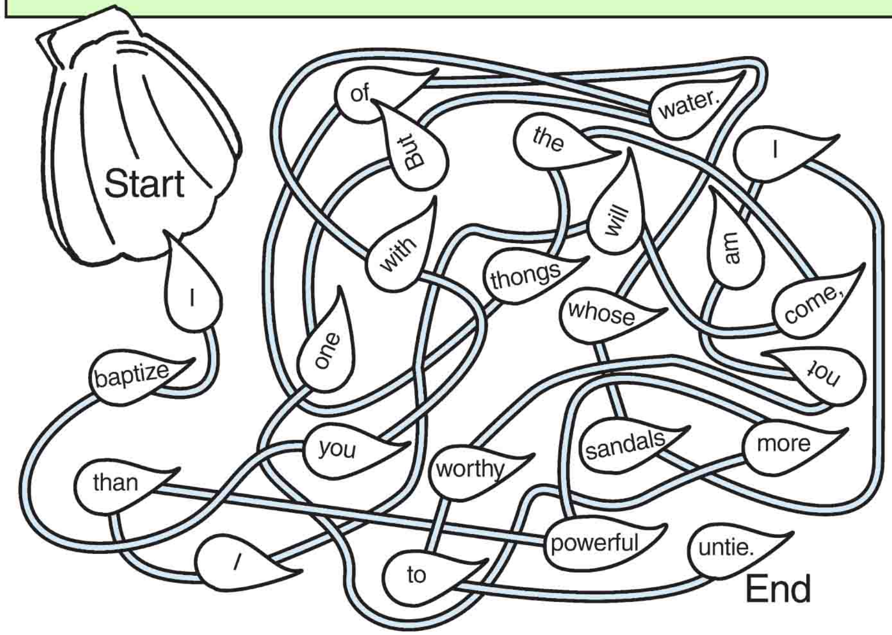
The Baptism of Jesus

The people were waiting and wondered in their hearts if John the Baptist might be the Christ.

Follow the drops of water to read what John said.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thongs
whose
water.
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more
sandals
worthy
powerful
untie.
End

“___ ___ ___ ___ ___. ___
___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
___, ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___.”

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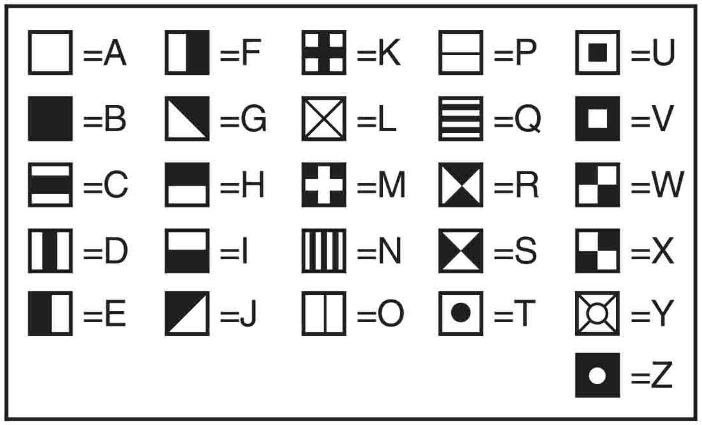
What else did John the Baptist say?

Use the code below to find out what John said about the Christ.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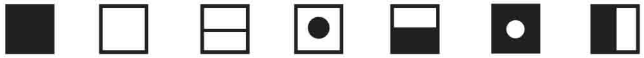
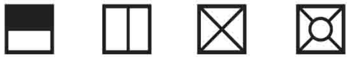
“He will

_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

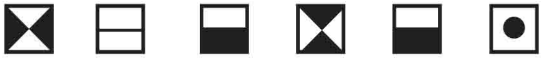


you with the

_____ _____ _____ _____

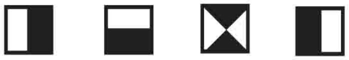


_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____



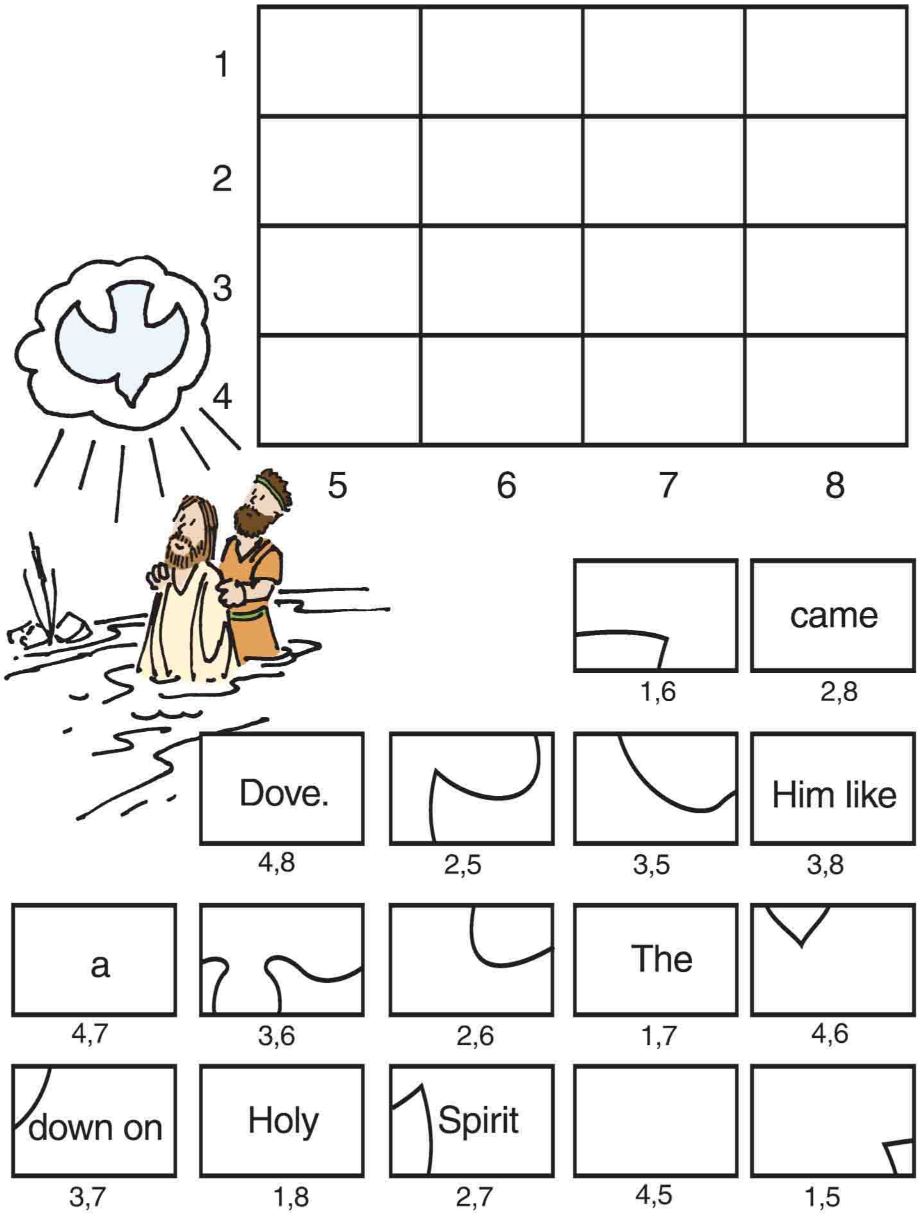
and with

_____ _____ _____ _____.”



Jesus was baptized by John when all the people were being baptized. Something happened to Jesus. What?

Copy the squares onto the grid.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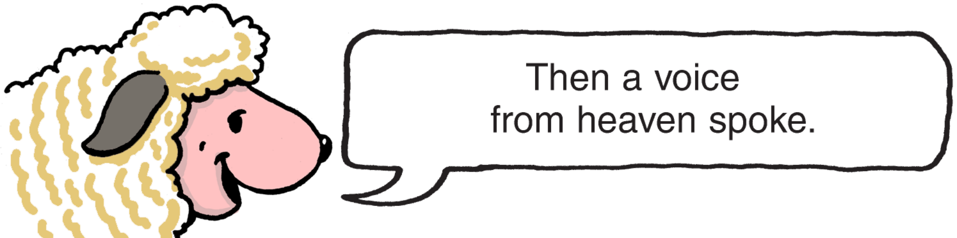
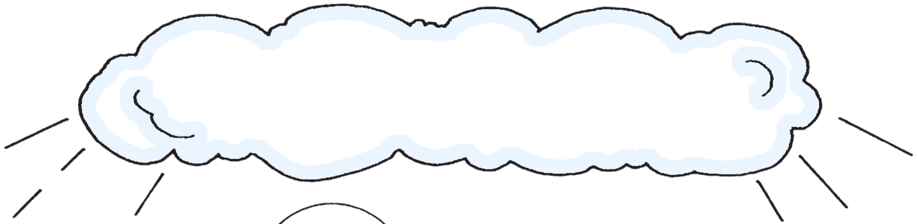


Solve the math problems. Then use the answers
to transfer the words to the correct lines below.



I 6+9=

is 9-6=

love 3-2=

I 3+4=

Son 7+7=

with 12+6=

am 15-3=

My 12-7=

This 7+3=

pleased 14+7=

whom 15-9=

Him 5+4=

well 6+2=

“__________ ______ ______
10 3 5

__________, __________ ___ __________;
14 6 7 1

__________ ________ ___ ______ __________
18 9 15 12 8

________________.”
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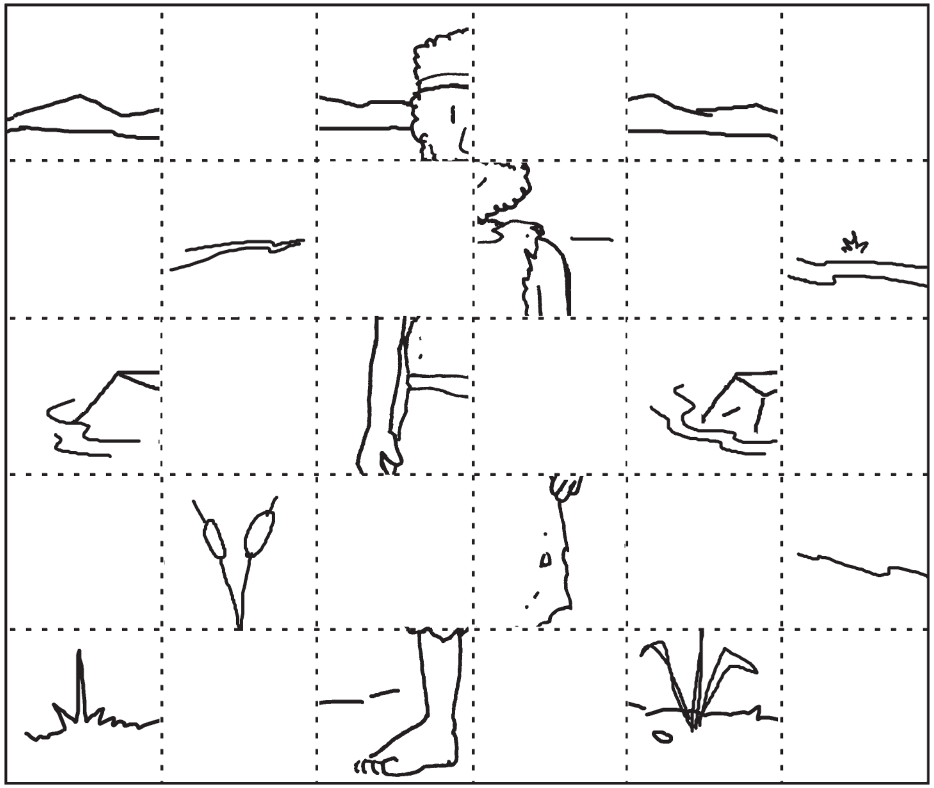
Jesus Is Baptized

Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan
to be baptized by John.

Complete the missing squares to see John the Baptist.



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But John tried to stop Him.

Use this code to find out.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
Z	Y	X	W	V	U	T	S	R	Q	P	O	N	M	L	K	J	I	H	G	F	E	D	C	B	A

John asked, “_ ____ __ __
R MVVW GL YV

________ __ ___,
YZKGRAVW YB BLF

___ __ ___ ____
ZMW WL BLF XLNV

__ __?”
GL NV

Jesus answered, “___ __ __
OVG RG YV

__ ___; __ __
HL MLD; RG RH

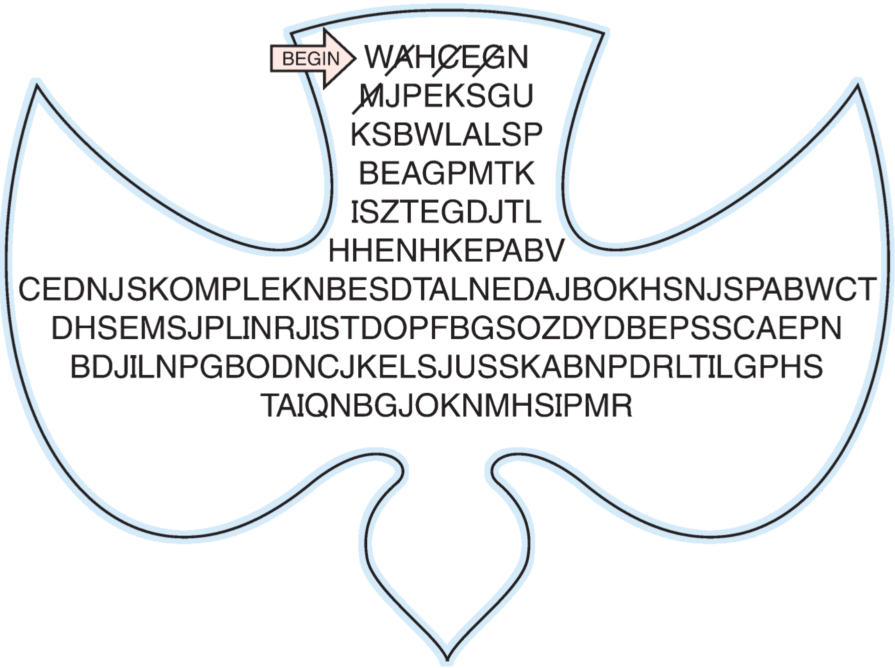
______ ___ __ __
KILKVI ULI FH GL

__ ____ __ _______
WL GSRH GL UFOURO O

___ _____________.”
ZOO IRTSGVLFHMVHH

Then John agreed to baptize Jesus.

To find out what happened next, cross out every other letter, starting with the second letter. Write the remaining letters on the line below.



BEGIN

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TAIQNBGJOKNMHSIPMR

When _____ ___

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______ ___ ____ ___

___ ______ __ ___

__________ __ _____

___ ________ __ ___.