

Find ten things that are different in the two pictures.

## Jesus Baptized

based on Mark 1:4–11

The prophet Isaiah told the people,

*God will send a messenger to get everything ready.*

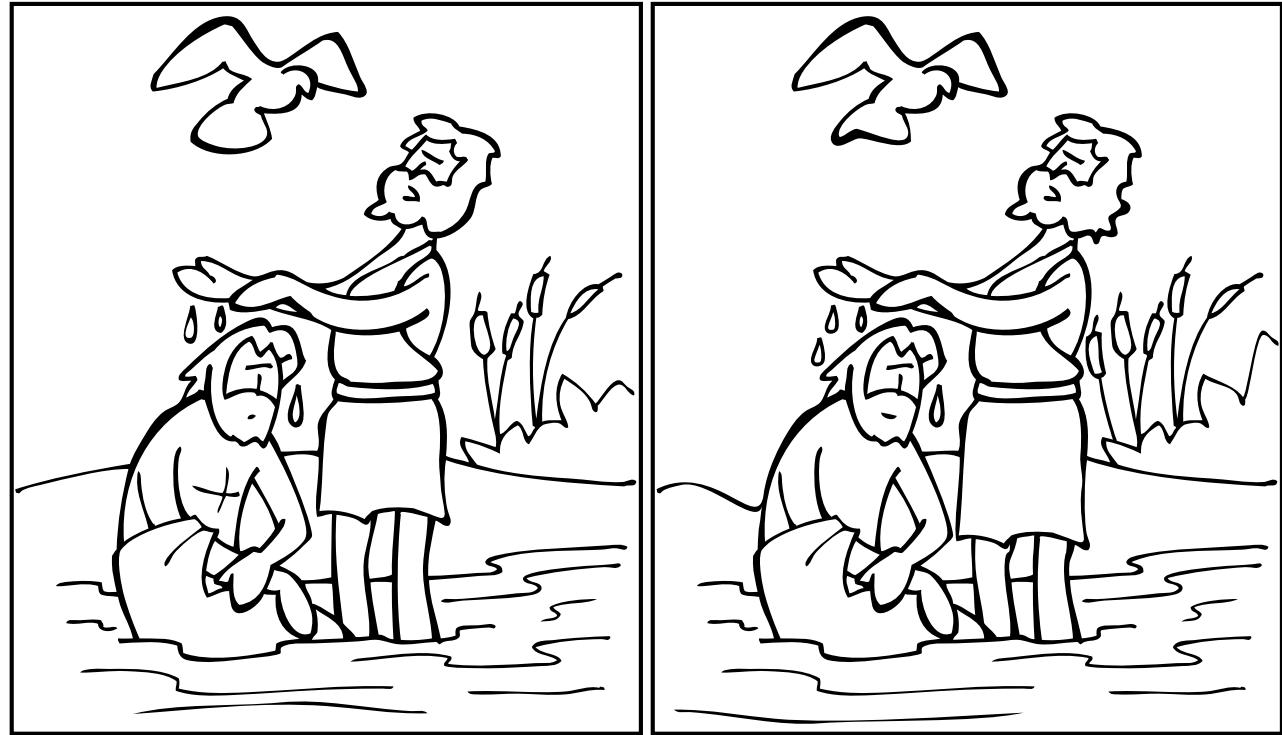
*This messenger will call out,  
“Prepare the way for God!”*

Many years later, John the Baptizer began preaching in the desert and baptizing people in the Jordan River.

This John wore skins for clothes, and he ate locust and honey. This John said, “Get ready for someone who will be greater than me! I baptize you with water, but this one will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.”

Many people came to the river where John preached. When people said they would change how they lived and live in God’s way, John dipped them into the river so that they were covered with water. This was how John baptized them.

One day Jesus showed up, and John baptized him, too, dipping him down under the water. When Jesus came up, the skies opened, and the Holy Spirit, like a dove, came to Jesus. A voice said, “This is my Son. I love him very much, and I am pleased with him.”



Beginning with “t,” cross off every other letter. The letters that remain are what Isaiah said the messenger would call out.

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e o t i h l e o w v a e y  
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