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John the baptist was the testifying (or Spirit filled for runner) of Jesus the Christ or Messiah.

## Jesus SAID:

Matthew 3:3 For this is he that was spoken of by the prophet Esaias, saying, The voice of one crying in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. John **SAID:** 

John 1:26-34 John answered them, saying, I baptize with water: but there standeth one among you, whom ye know not;

- 27 He it is, who coming after me is preferred before me, whose shoe's latchet I am not worthy to unloose.
- 28 These things were done in Bethabara beyond Jordan, where John was baptizing.
- 29 ¶ The next day John seeth Jesus coming unto him, and saith, Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world.
- 30 This is he of whom I said, After me cometh a man which is preferred before me: for he was before me.
- 31 And I knew him not: but that he should be made manifest to Israel, therefore am I come baptizing with water.
- 32 And John bare record, saying, I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it abode upon him.
- 33 And I knew him not: but he that sent me to baptize with water, the same said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending, and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost.
- 34 And I saw, and bare record that this is the Son of God.

WHY DO I SAY: that john was filled with the Holy Spirit?

Luke 1:41 And it came to pass, that, when Elisabeth heard the salutation of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elisabeth was filled with the Holy Ghost:

**Matthew 11: 12-19** And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence, and the violent take it by force.

- 13 For all the prophets and the law prophesied until John.
- 14 And if ye will receive it, this is Elias, which was for to come.
- 15 He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.
- 16 ¶ But whereunto shall I liken this generation? It is like unto children sitting in the markets, and calling unto their fellows,
- 17 And saying, We have piped unto you, and ye have not danced; we have mourned unto you, and ye have not lamented.
- 18 For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, He hath a devil.
- 19 The Son of man came eating and drinking, and they say, Behold a man gluttonous, and a winebibber, a friend of publicans and sinners. But wisdom is justified of her children.

Only one man, John the Baptist, testified that Jesus was the Son of God (the Messiah) and came to take away the sins of mankind.

TODAY, there are many Spirit filled deciples that are testifying that Jesus is again coming in the clouds to take his church out of this world (Rapture) before the Seven year, great tribulation.

1Thessalonians 4:17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together

with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

HE WILL NOT set foot on this earth until his return seven years later.

As the majority did not believe John, SO the majority will not believe the Spirit filled deciples today. WHY YOU SAY? Because Satan has filled our religious and secular societies with the doctrine of CHANGE!

Our laws change like a revolving door, your worship and praise services are nothing more than Rock-n-Roll consorts or entertainment. Nothing man made will stay the same for very long, ads, clothing, governments, morals and so on.

Is it any wonder there is so much mental problems today? There is nothing stable in our world today EXCEPT God and HIS WORD.

Maliki 3:6 For I am the LORD, I change not; therefore ye sons of Jacob are not consumed.

**2Corinthians 1:20** For all the promises of God in him are yea, and in him Amen, unto the glory of God by us.

YOU SEE: Over the last 65 years, both secular and religious sectors have embraced change so much that there is nothing for the average John Q. Public to hang onto. It is no wonder there hearts or emotions are failing them, you need stability to stay sane.

THANK GOD! HE IS STABLE. PUT YOUR COMPLETE TRUST IN HIM.

Hebrews 13:8 Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever.

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