THE GOSPEL OF JOHN Pt. 3 - John 1:29-37

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JESUS THE LAMB OF GOD Genesis 22:7-13

Genesis 22:7 (NASB)

[7] Isaac spoke to Abraham his father and said, "My father!" And he said, "Here I am, my son." And he said, "Behold, the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb for the burnt offering?"

Genesis 22:13 (NASB)

[13] Then Abraham raised his eyes and looked, and behold, behind *him* a ram caught in the thicket by his horns; and Abraham went and took the ram and offered him up for a burnt offering in the place of his son.

THE BAPTISM OF JESUS
Matthew 3:13-17
Mark 1:9-12
Luke 3:21-22

Mark 1:12-13 (NIV)

[12] At once the Spirit sent him out into the desert,

[13] and he was in the desert forty days, being tempted by Satan. He was with the wild animals, and angels attended him.

John 1:29-39 (NASB)

The next day he *saw Jesus coming to him and *said, "Behold, the Lamb of God whotakes away the sin of the world!

[30]"This is He on behalf of whom I said, 'After me comes a Man who has a higher rank than I, for He existed before me.'

[31]"I did not recognize Him, but so that He might be manifested to Israel, I came baptizing in water."

^[32]John testified saying, "I <u>have seen</u> the Spirit descending as a dove out of heaven, and He remained upon Him.

[33]"I did not recognize Him, but He who sent me to baptize in water said to me, 'He upon whom you see the Spirit descending and remaining upon Him, this is the One who baptizes in the Holy Spirit.'

[34]"I myself <u>have seen</u>, and <u>have testified</u> that this is the Son of God."

JESUS' FIRST DISCIPLES

- [35] Again the next day John was standing with two of his disciples,
- [36] and he looked at Jesus as He walked, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!"
- [37] The two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus.
- [38] And Jesus turned and saw them following, and said to them, "What do you seek?" They said to Him, "Rabbi (which translated means Teacher), where are You staying?"
- ^[39]He said to them, "Come, and you will see." So they came and saw where He was staying; and they stayed with Him that day, for it was about the tenth hour.