

There Is None Greater!

Luke 7:18-30



“For I say to you,
among those born of
women there is not a
greater prophet than
John the Baptist;”

Luke 7:28 NKJV

John Could Not Claim



- ▶ To Be of the Royal Tribe
Luke 1:5; 13-15
- ▶ To Be a Worker of Miracles
John 10:41
- ▶ To Have Started the Church

How Did Jesus Evaluate John?

- ▶ Wealth?
- ▶ Luxurious Home?
- ▶ Fashionable Clothing?
- ▶ Sumptuous Food?
- ▶ His Flawless Oratory?



Why John was Great!

- ▶ **He Was Sent by God**
Mark 1:2-3
- ▶ **To Prepare the Way**
for Christ.
- ▶ **He Preached a**
Baptism of
Repentance for the
Remission of Sins
Mark 1:4; Luke 3:3
- ▶ **He Warned the**
Impenitent
Matthew 3:10



Why John was Great!

- ▶ He Preached Hell-Fire
Luke 3:9, 17
- ▶ He Was Not Jealous of Christ - John 3:26-30
- ▶ He Bore Witness to Jesus - John 3:31-36
- ▶ He Displayed Great Humility – John 1:19-27



There Was No Greater Prophet For:

- ▶ He Handled the One “Made Flesh”
- ▶ He Baptized the Son of God!
- ▶ He Was Herald for the King of Kings!



What Must I Do?

◎ **The Erring Christian**

- 1. Confess - 1 John 1:8,9**
- 2. Repent and Pray - Acts 8:22**
- 3. Continue Steadfast - 1 Corinthians 15:58**

What Must I Do?

◎ The Non-Christian

1. **Hear - Romans 10:14**
 2. **Believe - John 3:16**
 3. **Repent - Acts 2:38**
 4. **Confess - Matthew 10:32**
 5. **Baptism - Mark 16:16**
 6. **Remain Faithful - 2 Timothy 4:6-8**
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- A man in a white shirt is kneeling in a body of water, performing a baptism on another man. The man being baptized is lying on his back, and the man in the white shirt is pouring water over his head. The background is a bright, sunny day with water ripples.



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