



John 1:29-34

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***BEHOLD THE LAMB!***

**Introduction:**

Gen. 3:21 -  
Gen. 4:4 -  
Gen. 8:20 -  
Gen. 22:8 -  
Ex. 12 -  
Isa. 53 -  
Rev. 5:12 -

**I. THE ARRIVAL OF JESUS** (vs. 29a)

A. "the next day"

Day #1 (1:19-28) -  
Day #2 (1:29-34) -  
Day #3 (1:35-42) -  
Day #4 (1:43-51) -  
Day #7 (2:1-11) -

B. "he saw Jesus coming to him" (c.f. Mat. 3:13-17; Mk. 1:9-11; Lk. 3:21-22)

**II. THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF JOHN** (vs. 29b-31)

A. "the Lamb of God"

"Behold!"

"who takes away the sin of the world"

B. "a Man of higher rank"

"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"

C. "I did not recognize Him" (vs. 31 and 33)

"so that He might be manifested to Israel"

"I came baptizing in water"

### III. THE AFFIRMATION OF JOHN (vs. 32-34)

#### A. "I saw the Spirit descend upon Him"

"John testified saying, I have seen..." (c.f. vs. 34)

"I have seen the Spirit descending as a dove out of heaven"

- fulfillment of messianic prophecy (Isa. 11:2; 42:1; 61:1)

- What did John see? (Mt. 3:16; Mk. 1:10; Lk. 3:22)

"He remained upon Him"

#### B. "this is the Son of God"

- He is the Word (vs. 1-3, 14)
- He is the Light (vs. 4-13)
- He is the Son of God (vs. 15-18, 30-34, 49)
- He is the Messiah/Christ (vs. 19-28, 35-42)
- He is the Lamb of God (vs. 29, 35-36)
- He is the *King of Israel* (vs. 43-49)
- He is the Son of Man (vs. 50-51)

### Conclusion:

I Peter 1:18-19

### Food for Thought:

- 1) What is the significance of John's statement, "Behold the Lamb of God..."?
- 2) What proofs does this passage give that Jesus is the Son of God?
- 3) What is the meaning of "like a dove" in reference to the Spirit?
- 4) What is Holy Spirit baptism?