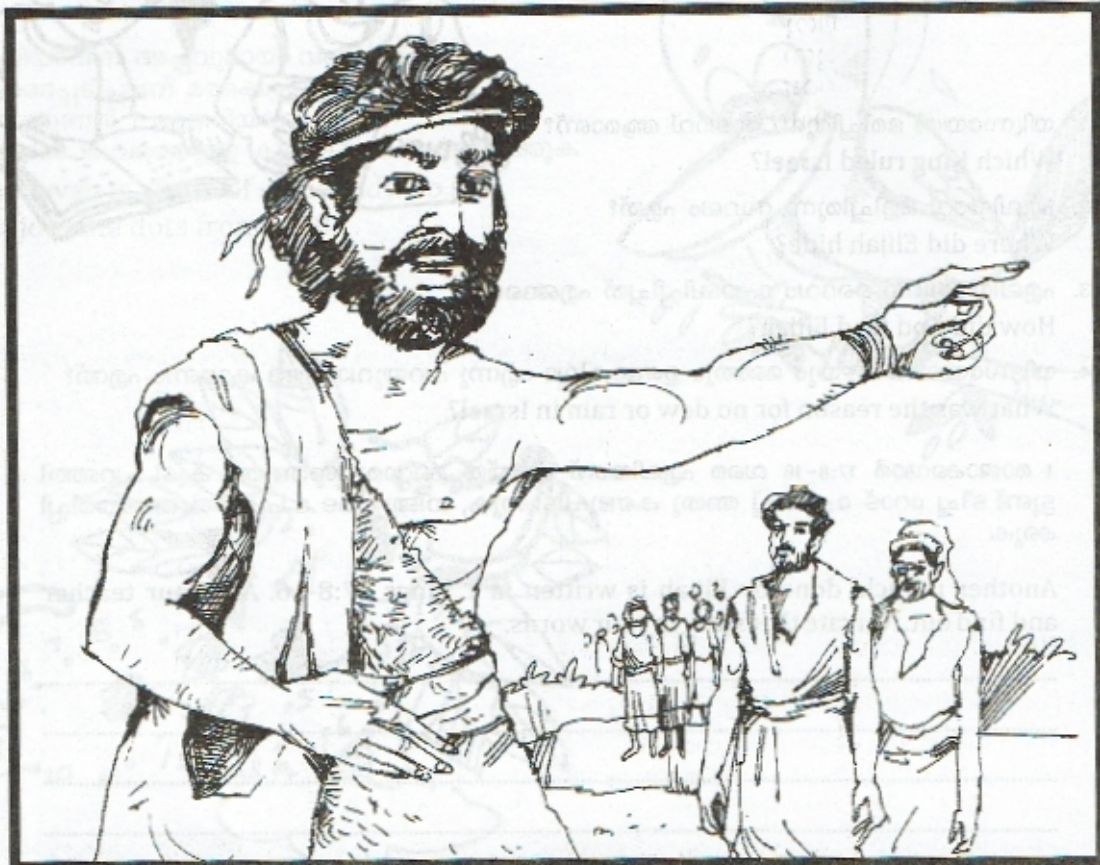




സ്നാപക യോഹന്നാൻ John The Baptist

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തേൻകണം
Honey Comb



പൈതൽ വളർന്നു ആത്മാവിൽ ബലപ്പെട്ടു ;
അവൻ യിസ്രായേലിന് തന്നെത്താൻ കാണിക്കും നാൾ വരെ മരുഭൂമിയിൽ ആയിരുന്നു.
ലൂക്കോസ് 1:80

And the child grew and waxed strong in spirit and was
in the desert till the day of his showing into Israel. Luke 1:80

Reading Portion: Mathew 3:1-17, Luke 1:5 – 66, 3: 1-22

Before sending His Son Jesus to this world, to prepare His path and proclaim His coming, God send John the Baptist as per his plan. Zacharias a priest and His wife Elizabeth, a righteous family before God, lived in Judea. They had no children, they were old and they were praying for a child. One day when Zacharias was praying in the temple, the Angel Gabriel appeared before him and said. "Fear not. Thy prayer is

heard. Your wife Elizabeth will bear a son. He should be called John". Zacharias could not believe this and therefore the Angel said, "You shall be dumb till you name the child John." Zacharias came home dumb, and might have told his wife about the child birth, by writing. She was also happy and months passed and she bore him a son. People came and said different names as per tradition but Zacharias asked for a writing table and wrote 'John'. The moment his mouth was opened and he could speak.

John grew up into a healthy young man and he went to the wilderness. He had on him a garment of Camel's hair and a leather girdle. He ate food available in the desert but he always was in the presence of the Lord. He started preaching, "Repent of your sins and be baptized. The one who comes after me is greater" and paved the way for Jesus. John baptized, those who accepted the gospel in the Jordan River. So this is why we call him 'John the Baptist' and he was send by God to do this first. Jesus also had heard about John and he came to John, by the river Jordan. To fulfill all righteousness Jesus was baptized by John. John said about Jesus "Behold the Lamb of God who bears the sin of the world. Thus, John the Baptist paved the way for Jesus as his forerunner.

Message: John was send as a forerunner of Jesus, the Saviour of mankind. Like that, we all should show Jesus to others.

പ്രവർത്തനം
Activity

ചേർക്കാനോ? Match them ?

യോഹന്നാൻ John	ദൂതൻ Angel
സെഖര്യാവ് Zachariah	സെഖര്യാവ് Zachariah
എലിസബേത്ത് Elizabeth	സ്നാനപകൻ Baptist
ഒട്ടകം Camel	ഉടുപ്പ് Garment
ദൂതൻ Angel	ഗംഗിയേൽ Gabriel



യോഹന്നാൻ സ്നാപകന്റെ പ്രത്യേകതകൾ കണ്ടുപിടിക്കുക/?

Find out what was special about John ?

(മത്തായി 3:4) (Mathew 3:4)



- 1. സെഖര്യാവിന്റെ ഭാര്യയുടെ പേരെന്ത്?
What was the name of Zachariah's wife?
- 2. യോഹന്നാൻ എന്ന വാക്കിന്റെ അർത്ഥം എന്ത്?
What is the meaning of John ?
- 3. സ്നാപകൻഎന്നു യോഹന്നാനെ വിളിക്കുന്നതെന്തുകൊണ്ട്?
Why is John called Baptist ?
- 4. സെഖര്യാവ് ഉമനായി തീർന്നതെന്തുകൊണ്ട്?
Why did Zachariah become dumb ?

