

We Had Come Only To See John

(based on Matthew 3:17)

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moderately upbeat with awe

Guitar



We had come on-ly to see John when we saw Je-sus ding there

in the Jor-dan as we heard John pray. This he-rald in the de-ert cry-ing

out for our re-pen-tance plead-ing in the Jor-dan on that day. "Be

hold the Lamb of God!" The prophet cried out to us all. "To loose His sandal strap I am not

wor-thy. Be-side him in the wa-ter there He stood, the Son of God. We had come

on-ly to see John and we heard Ya weh. "This is my be-lo ved Son with

whom I am well pleased," we heard the hea-vens speak so ve-ry clear-ly.

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D A G

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D A Em

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D A G D A

tize me for the sake of these," He said. The wa - ter ran down off His face and

Em D A G

beard on-to His clothes. A dove de - scen - ded down and we heard Ya - weh.

A Bm G

. Can you un - der - stand or com - pre - hend it took our breath a - way to

D A G A Bm

see Him there be - side us in the wa - ters, He looked much like the rest of us but

G D A G

dif 'rent in some way, He stood there in the ri ver right be - side us.

D A Em Em7

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