

# The Testimony of John the Baptist

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2. Like John the Baptist, we now know the truth of the Living Word through His written Word

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