# A MAN SENT FROM GOD AS A WITNESS TO THE LIGHT

## JOHN 1:6-9

1. **JOHN'S MISSION AS A WITNESS TO THE LIGHT WAS UNIQUELY PREPARATORY (John 1:6-7)**
	1. Predicted In the Old Testament
		1. Isaiah 40:3-4
		2. Malachi 3:1
		3. Malachi 4:5-6
	2. Confirmed In the New Testament
		1. Matthew 3:3
		2. Matthew 11:9-14
2. **JOHN'S MISSION AS A WITNESS TO THE LIGHT WAS UNIQUELY PIVOTAL IN REDEMPTIVE HISTORY**
	1. He Is Named (Luke 1:13)
	2. Identified As The Promised Preparer (Luke 1:17)
	3. To The End That Men Might Believe (Luke 1:79)
3. **JOHN'S MISSION AS A WITNESS TO THE LIGHT WAS SO EFFECTIVE THAT A CLARIFICATION IS NEEDED (John 1:8-9)**
	1. John Was Such An Effective "Voice" That People Mused In Their Hearts As To Whether Or Not He Was The Messiah (1:8)
	2. John Bore Witness To The "True" As Opposed To A Partial Light