

Then Jesus Came From Galilee

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Text: Matthew 3:13-17

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Then Jesus came from Galilee
To be baptized by John,
But John tried to deter him for
He knew this was God's son.

"I need to be baptized by you,"
Said John to the 'I am,'
"For ne'er am I e'en fit to hold
The sandals of God's lamb."

Jesus replied, "It's right for me
To be baptized by you,
Now to fulfill all righteousness
That God sent me to do."

Then out of heav'n God's Spirit came
Descending like a dove;
And soon, a voice was heard to say,
"This is my son I love."

So too, by grace, each day we live
As God's beloved sons,
For God is also pleased with us,
His chosen, holy ones.

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