



What else did John say?

Find the missing numbers to complete the sudoku puzzle. Each row, column and box should include numbers 1-9 with no duplicates. Use the numbers and code to fill in the blanks.

▷ = e ▲ = o ● = h ■ = t ✕ = a + = i ◆ = r ✱ = l ▼ = w



"I baptize you with water for repentance. But after me will come

2 n 6 8 3 2 1 s

m 2 7 6 p 2 8 6 7 fu 9 4 3 5 n 1 8 3 2 6 s

s nd 5 5 9 1 5 m n 2 4 f 1 4 4 2 c 5 7 7 y

3 6 8 1 9 9 b p 5 4 1 6 z y u 2 8 1 4 3 4 3 6

3 2 9 y Sp 1 7 1 4 5 nd 8 1 4 3 f 1 7 6 ."

9	3	■	◆		1	6	2	8
6	8	1	9	2		✕	4	7
		5	8	6	4	9	1	3
8	9	7	1	3	6			
5	6	▲	4	9		7	3	1
4	1	3	2	7	5	8	9	6
●		▼	6	1	9	2	7	5
2	5	6				1	8	9
+		9✱	5	8	2	3	,	

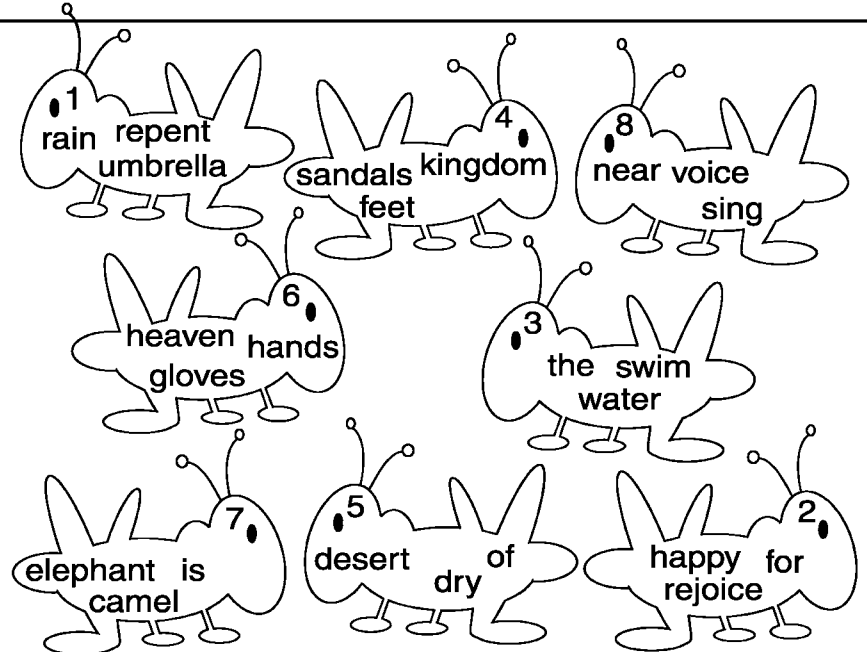
Ages 7+

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Preparing the Way for Jesus

Here are some words that John the Baptist preached.

Choose the word that doesn't fit in each set. Write it on the line.



" _____ , _____ , _____ , _____
1 2 3 4
_____ , _____ , _____ , _____
5 6 7 8
_____ ."

To repent means to change your heart and mind to a better way.

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What did John say next?

Find John the Baptist's message in the maze.
You may only move in straight lines:    
No diagonal moves.

"Prepare the way for the Lord,
make straight paths for Him."

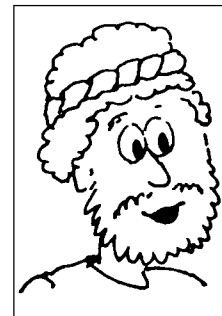
Begin 

A	G	A	R	E	D	B	I	G	H	M
R	E	P	M	T	N	R	A	H	C	J
P	K	B	E	H	R	T	J	T	P	Z
W	L	A	W	S	N	S	Z	R	A	K
L	F	Y	W	V	K	E	S	H	T	N
R	O	M	R	M	A	W	F	B	D	C
T	H	Z	R	D	V	H	O	R	L	K
K	E	L	O	T	C	H	D	H	I	M

 End



Use this code to find facts about John the Baptist.
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26



John the Baptist

OCCUPATION:

16 18 5 1 3 8 9 14 7
9 14 20 8 5

4 5 19 5 18 20 15 6 10 21 4 5 1
and 2 1 16 20 9 26 9 14 7 9 14
20 8 5 10 15 18 4 1 14 18 9 22 5 18

PERSONAL INFO:

23 5 1 18 19 3 1 13 5 12 19
8 1 9 18 3 12 15 20 8 9 14 7
1 14 4 1 12 5 1 20 8 5 18
2 5 12 20 5 1 20 19
12 15 3 21 19 20 19 1 14 4
23 9 12 4 8 15 14 5 25