

# John the Baptizer

♩ = 110

17 Jun 2005

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Sheet music for the first section of "John the Baptizer". The key signature is F major (one sharp). The tempo is indicated as ♩ = 110, and the date of composition is given as 17 Jun 2005. The section begins with a single note followed by a measure of two notes. A repeat sign with a circled 'E' is placed above the staff. The lyrics describe John being baptized by Jesus in the Jordan River. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, with a bass line providing harmonic support.

1) John bap - tized by the Jor - dan's banks. Down by the  
2) Now Je - sus came to be bap - tized. Down by the  
3) A voice spoke like a thun - der roll. Down by the  
4) Said, "This is my be - lov - ed Son!" Down by the

Sheet music for the second section of "John the Baptizer". The key signature changes to C major (no sharps or flats). The section starts with a single note followed by a measure of two notes. The lyrics continue the baptism narrative, mentioning the Jordan River and the Spirit descending. The melody includes eighth and sixteenth-note patterns, with a bass line providing harmonic support. The section ends with a repeat sign and a circled 'B7' indicating a change in chord progression.

ri - ver side, down by the ri - ver side,  
ri - ver side, down by the ri - ver side,  
ri - ver side, down by the ri - ver side,  
ri - ver side, down by the ri - ver side,

Sheet music for the third section of "John the Baptizer". The key signature changes to G major (two sharps). The section begins with a single note followed by a measure of two notes. The lyrics describe the baptism of Jesus and the voice of God. The melody includes eighth and sixteenth-note patterns, with a bass line providing harmonic support. The section ends with a repeat sign and a circled 'E' indicating a change in chord progression.

down by the ri - ver side. John bap - tized by the  
down by the ri - ver side. Now Je - sus came to  
down by the ri - ver side. A voice spoke like a  
down by the ri - ver side. Said, "This is my be -

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Jor - dan's banks.  
be bap - tized.  
thun - der roll.  
lov - ed Son."

Down by the ri - ver side where  
Down by the ri - ver side where  
Down by the ri - ver side where  
Down by the ri - ver side where

21

B7

E

— God has promised we shall a - rise.

25

**Intro**

E7

A

— He that be - lieves and is bap - tized shall

28

E

B7

live e - ven though he dies. Give praise to the

31

E

1. 2. 3. || 4.

Lord most high. high.