

Why baptizeſt thou then, if thou be not that Chriſt, nor Elias, neither that prophet?

26 John answered them ſaying, I baptize with water: but there ſtandeth one among you, whom ye know not;

27 He it is who coming after me, is preferred before me, whoſe ſhoes latchet I am not worthy to unloofe.

28 Theſe things were done in Bethabara beyond Jordan, where John was baptizing.

29 The next day John ſeeth Jeſus coming unto him, and ſaith, Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away the ſin of the world.

30 This is he of whom I ſaid, After me cometh a man which is preferred before me; for he was before me.

31 And I knew him not: but that he ſhould be made manifeſt to Iſrael, therefore am I come baptizing with water.

32 And John bare record, ſaying, I ſaw the