Prepare the Way

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[Verse]

Kicked out of the Temple by Hasmonean Priests Fleeing with their library, Zadok priests headed east Settling in Qumran and the caves round about They set up their priesthood, to God they're devout

[Verse 2]

John's voice in the wilderness prepares the way of the Lord saying repent and be baptized to save your soul Jesus came to John, this can't be ignored John baptized Jesus at the Bethabara ford. I'm not worthy, you're the one who is blessed But Jesus insisted to fulfill righteousness

[Verse 3]

Coming up from the waters, the Spirit did land On the shoulders of Jesus with declaration to man This is my son in whom I'm well pleased Through his obedience, mankind is redeemed

[Chorus]

John, you cry out, prepare the way for the Lord. Repent, be baptized, obey His Word Prepare the way, let faith be your guide Make straight your paths, you must decide

[Verse 4]

In Spirit of God where truth abides Mercy and grace truly reside Baptizing hearts in waters so near God's message ringing loud and clear

[Bridge]

John must decrease, preferring Jesus instead Herod killed John while Jesus raised dead He challenged evil leaders ruling by fraud He restored the true priesthood, through him we won't fall

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