"እውነት፡እውነት፡እልሃለሁ፡ሰው፡ከውኃና፡ከመንፈስ፡ካልተወለደ፡በቀር፡ወደ፡እግዚ አብሔር፡መንግሥት፡ሊገባ፡አይችልም።"

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"Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God."

Jn. 3:5

<u>የጌታችን፡የ ኢየሱስ፡ክርስቶስ፡ጥምቀት</u> THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

- የጌታችን፡ወደ፡ዮሐንስ፡መጥምቅ፡መሄድ ... ማቴ.፫፡፲፫
- JESUS COMES TO JOHN... Mt 3:13
- ዮሐንስ፡ጌታችን፡በርሱ፡እንዳይጠመቅ፡ለመከልክል፡ፌለን ማቴ.፫፡፲፡፲፬ "እኔ፡በአንተ፡ልጠመቅ፡ያስፈልንኛል፡አንተም፡ወደኔ፡ትመጣለህን?"
- JOHN SEEKS TO PREVENT JESUS... John tried to prevent Jesus from being baptized - <u>Mt 3:14</u> "I need to be baptized by You, and are You coming to Me?"
- ጌታችንም፡ዮሐንስ፡እንዲያጠምቀው፡አሳመነው "አሁንስ፡ፍቀድልኝ፡እንግዲህ፡ጽድቅን፡ሁሉ፡መፈጸም፡ይገባናል።" ማቴ.፫፡፲፭
- JESUS PERSUADES JOHN... Jesus convinces John to permit His baptism <u>Mt 3:15</u> "It is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness."

<u>ጌታችን፡በስንት፡ዘመኑ፡ተጠመቀ</u>?

- ጌታችን፡በ፴ዘመኑ፡በዕደ፡ዮሐንስ፡ተጠ ምቋልይኸውም፡-
- አዳም፡አባታችን፡በ፴ ዘመኑ፡ልጅነቱን፡በማስወሰዱ፡የ አዳምን፡ልጅነት፡ለመመለስ
- እንደ፡ብሉይ፡ሥርዓት፡የሃይማኖት፤ ተግባራትን፡ማከናወን፡የሚፈቀደው፡ ከ፴

ዘመን፡ሲሞላው፡ስለነበር፡ይህን፡የእስ ራኤልን፡ሕግ፤ሥርዓት፡ለማክበር፡

At what age was Jesus baptized?

- Our Lord Jesus Christ was baptized at age of 30.
- This is done to bring back our father, Adam, who being created at the age of 30, lost his adoption to his former glory.
- According to the Old Testament tradition, religious ministers were allowed to appear before the public at the age of 30.

<u>ጌታችን፡ለምን፡በዮርዳኖስ፡ወንዝ፡ተጠ</u> <u>መቀ?</u>

- ትንቢት፡ ስለተነገረለት፡ ዮርዳኖስ፡ወንዝ፡በ ዕደ፡ዮሐንስ፡ተጠመቀ
- "አቤቱ፡ውኆች፡አዩህ፤ውኆች ም፡አይተውህ፡ፈሩ፡ጥልቆች፡ ተነዋወጡ፡ውኆችም፡ጮኹ። " (መዝ.፸፮(፸፯)፡፲፮
- ባሕር፡አየች፡ሸሸችም፣ዮርዳኖ ስም፡ወደ፡ኋላው፡ተመለሰ፣ተ ራሮች፡እንደ፡ኮርማዎች፡ኮረብ ቶችም፡እንደ፡ጠቦቶ፡ዘለሉ።

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WHY WAS JESUS BAPTIZED IN THE RIVER JORDAN ?

- There were prophets who foretold about the baptism of the Lord in the River Jordan by John the Baptist.
- "The waters saw you, God, the waters saw you and writhed; the very depths were

convulsed" (Psalm 77:16)

 "The sea looked and fled, the Jordan turned back; the mountains leaped like rams,

the hills like lambs." (Psalm 114:3)

<u>የጥምቀት፡እውነታዊ፡ነጸብራቅ</u>

- የዮሐንስ፡ጥምቀት… የንስሐ (ጣቴ.፫፡፮)
- የመስቀል፡ጥምቀት… የፍርድ (ሱቃስ.፲፪፡፶)
- የመንፈስ፡ጥምቀት... የ አንድነት (፩ኛቆሮ.፲፪፡፲፫)
- የምዕመናን፡ጥምቀት... ከዓለም፡ተለይቶ፡የሚወጡበት፡መ ለያ (ሮሜ.፯፡፩-፯)

Baptismal Truths

- The Baptism of John ----Repentance (Mt. 3:6)
- The Baptism of the Cross ---Judgement (Luke 12:50)
- The Baptism of Spirit ----Unity (1 Cor.12:13)
- The Baptism of Believers ----Identification (Rom. 6:1-7)

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