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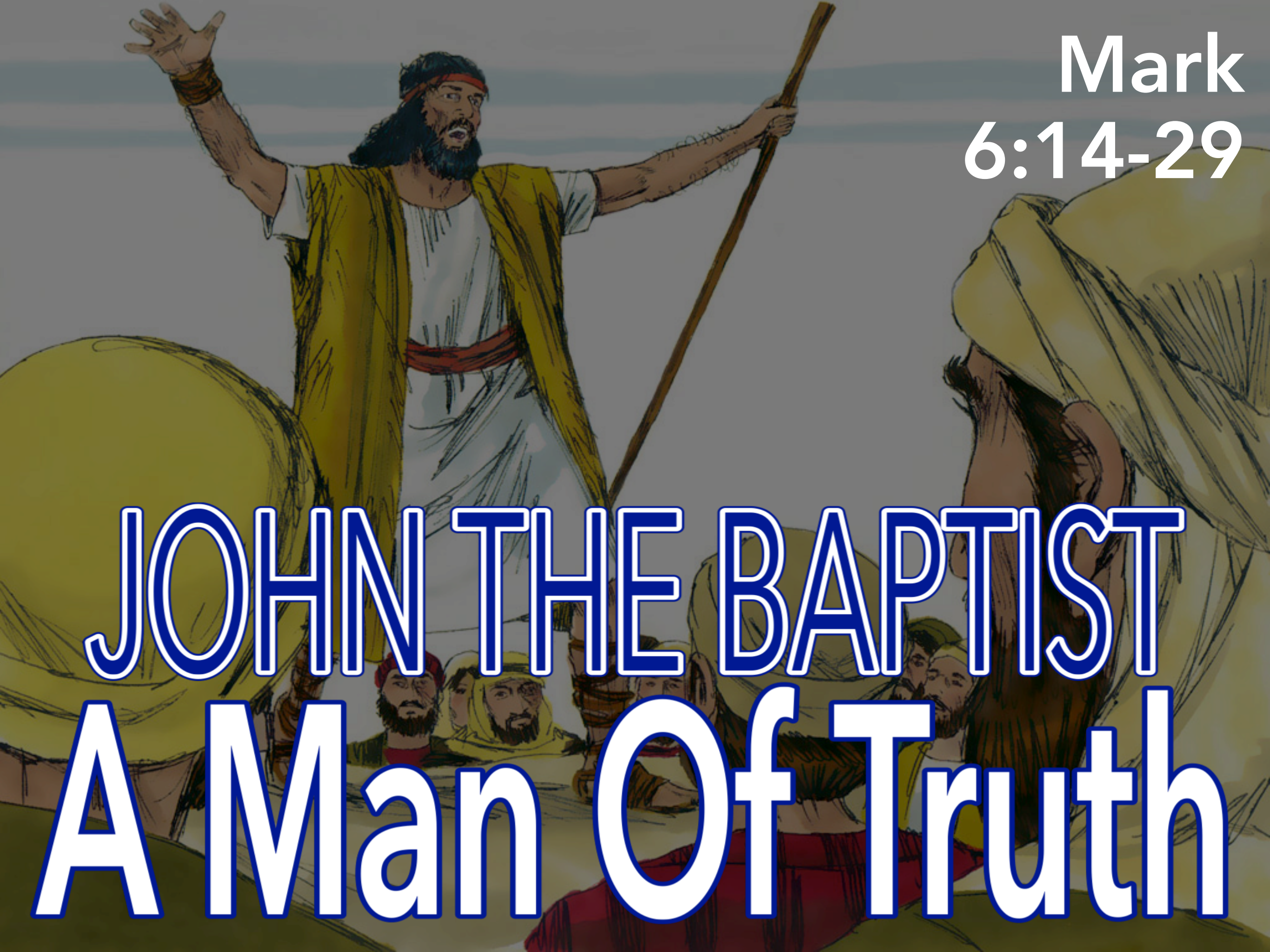


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A Man Of Truth

An illustration of John the Baptist, a man with a long dark beard and hair, wearing a white tunic and a yellow robe, with a red sash. He is holding a wooden staff in his left hand and gesturing with his right hand. He is standing on a hill, addressing a crowd of people. In the foreground, the back of a person's head wearing a yellow head covering is visible. Other people are seen in the background, some looking up at him. The background is a simple landscape with a grey sky and a yellow hill.

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John's commitment to speaking the truth eventually leads to his death.

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- John spoke out against the adulterous marriage of Herod to Herodias, his brother's wife.
- Herod respected John as a righteous and holy man, but Herodias demanded he be put in prison for his words against them.
- Herodias takes advantage of a poorly judged situation, and this results in John being beheaded.

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What can we learn from this sad account of John's death?

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- Some people cannot handle hearing the truth.
- We must base our decisions and actions upon truth and not emotions alone.
- We must be willing to stand for the truth regardless of the response.

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