

**TRUE GREATNESS—The Life of the Baptizer**  
**Lesson Three: “A Life of Courage”**

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**John’s courage - Matthew 3:5-9...**

*John wasn’t afraid to tell \_\_\_\_\_ people what they needed to hear.*

*John even had the courage to challenge the spiritual life of the \_\_\_\_\_.*

**What are the implications for us?**

1. **Speak up for what scripture says is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.**
2. **To \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus in our community.**
3. **Our capacity to help others face \_\_\_\_\_ is directly related to how we face \_\_\_\_\_ in our \_\_\_\_\_.**

1 John 1:8-9: *“If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.”*

**REPENTANCE:**

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## ***Our Prayer Requests***

*"If you believe, you will receive whatever you ask  
for in prayer."  
Matthew 21:22*

***We believe in the power of prayer...***What follows are the specific requests made by members of the Dalton Gardens church family by cards and by phone to the office for prayer. Thank you for the privilege of praying for one another. Please pray for these requests and give God the glory.

**Glenn & Judie Sanborn**: Please pray that Dana, our daughter, will have an easier time with this next round of Chemo on Tuesday. We will be with her all week.

Keep **Jack and Dee Pierce** in your prayers. Jack is in transitional care at KMC.

**Miranda & Connor Morris**: Pray for Lowell & Nicole Williams, our close friends, as they face hard times.

**Loretta Robinson**: Please pray for my brother in-law, Jeff. He is struggling and considering suicide.

**Ian & Jamie Bradshaw**: Pray for Sandra & Holly Welch as they travel to visit family.

**Kala Olsen**: Pray for my grandma to make a full recovery from heart surgery.

**Edna Miner**: Please pray for my sister, Audrey, in Georgia, who is having eye surgery Wednesday.

**Clara Ward**: Please pray for Sarah. She is leaning toward the more worldly life.

## **Prayer requests continued...**

**Betty Williams**: My friend in Tacoma, Pat Farnsworth, just learned she has lymphoma and needs our prayers. Her husband Rex has been one of the elders there for many years.

**Mark & Amanda Mood**: Please pray for Russ' congestive heart failure and a speedy recovery for Mark's mom, Glenda who needs 24 hour care and just got released from the hospital.

**Roxanne Plummer**: My family needs prayers so we can keep our house so that we can stay together.

Remember to keep ***AJ Stemmene*** and his family in your prayers in the passing of his wife, ***Bonnie***, the daughter of Al and Barbara Monette.

**Tim & Alyssa Frahm**: Thanks so much for all the prayers. They have been answered and we have been blessed!

***Thank You...***We want to thank all our Christian brothers and sisters for the wonderful meal provided (after Howard Rude Sr. funeral) and for all the prayers, cards and flowers. We truly appreciate each and everyone one of you. Thank you!!  
Thank you!! ***-The Rude families***

## **Other requests...**

***Marilyn Hughes*** damaged ankle...***Chayana Frahm*** stomach reflux...***Carole Fredrikson*** back problems...***Wilma Flanagan, Jim Almond, Fred Bonney, Phoebe Hruska*** health issues...***Jack Pierce, Diane Rude, Randy Wakefield, Audey Cutler, Marty Webb, Dana Barbarick, George Schwebach, Don Ealy, Leonard Almond, Bob Edwards, Juanita Owen, Vicki Tazy, Scott Morris, Janet Chambers*** cancer...***Rob Neill*** and ***Bill Turbin*** heart problems...***Bonnors Ferry Church of Christ...Doran Linder, Chad Turnbull, Chris Henrikson, Tim Peterson*** serving in Iraq.