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Key Verses (AJKV)

#### **Matthew 3:1-3**

In those days came John the Baptist, preaching in the wilderness of Judaea, <sup>2</sup> And saying, Repent you: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand. <sup>3</sup> For this is he that was spoken of by the prophet Esaias, saying, The voice of one crying in the wilderness, Prepare you the way of the Lord, make his paths straight

#### **Isaiah 40:35**

<sup>3</sup> The voice of him that cries in the wilderness, Prepare you the way of the LORD, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. <sup>4</sup> Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill shall be made low: and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places plain: <sup>5</sup> And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together: for the mouth of the LORD has spoken it.

## John 1:29

<sup>29</sup> The next day John sees Jesus coming to him, and said, Behold the Lamb of God, which takes away the sin of the world.

## Luke 7:18-23

<sup>18</sup> And the disciples of John showed him of all these things. <sup>19</sup> And John calling to him two of his disciples sent them to Jesus, saying, Are you he that should come? or look we for another? <sup>20</sup> When the men were come to him, they said, John Baptist has sent us to you, saying, Are you he that should come? or look we for another? <sup>21</sup> And in that same hour he cured many of their infirmities and plagues, and of

evil spirits; and to many that were blind he gave sight. <sup>22</sup> Then Jesus answering said to them, Go your way, and tell John what things you have seen and heard; how that the blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached. <sup>23</sup> And blessed is he, whoever shall not be offended in me.

## Matthew 4:12-17

12 Now when Jesus had heard that John was cast into prison, he departed into Galilee; 13 And leaving Nazareth, he came and dwelled in Capernaum, which is on the sea coast, in the borders of Zabulon and Nephthalim: 14 That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Esaias the prophet, saying, 15 The land of Zabulon, and the land of Nephthalim, by the way of the sea, beyond Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles; 16 The people which sat in darkness saw great light; and to them which sat in the region and shadow of death light is sprung up. 17 From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

### Matthew 4:24-25

<sup>24</sup> And his fame went throughout all Syria: and they brought to him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatic, and those that had the palsy; and he healed them. <sup>25</sup> And there followed him great multitudes of people from Galilee, and from Decapolis, and from Jerusalem, and from Judaea, and from beyond Jordan.

## Matthew 4:18-22

<sup>18</sup> And Jesus, walking by the sea of Galilee, saw two brothers, Simon called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea: for they were fishers. <sup>19</sup> And he said to them, Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men. <sup>20</sup> And they straightway left their nets, and followed him. <sup>21</sup> And going on from there, he saw other two

brothers, James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, in a ship with Zebedee their father, mending their nets; and he called them. <sup>22</sup> And they immediately left the ship and their father, and followed him.

## Luke 5:1-6

<sup>1</sup> And it came to pass, that, as the people pressed on him to hear the word of God, he stood by the lake of Gennesaret, <sup>2</sup> And saw two ships standing by the lake: but the fishermen were gone out of them, and were washing their nets. <sup>3</sup> And he entered into one of the ships, which was Simon's, and prayed him that he would thrust out a little from the land. And he sat down, and taught the people out of the ship. <sup>4</sup> Now when he had left speaking, he said to Simon, Launch out into the deep, and let down your nets for a draught. <sup>5</sup> And Simon answering said to him, Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing: nevertheless at your word I will let down the net. <sup>6</sup> And when they had this done, they enclosed a great multitude of fishes: and their net broke.