He Is God's Beloved. Is He Yours? Pastor Chuck Jenson May 19, 2018

Key Scriptures

Matthew 3:13–17 (NKJV)

John Baptizes Jesus

¹³ Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. ¹⁴ And John *tried to* prevent Him, saying, "I need to be baptized by You, and are You coming to me?"

¹⁵ But Jesus answered and said to him, "Permit *it to be so* now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he allowed Him.

¹⁶ When He had been baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting upon Him. ¹⁷ And suddenly a voice *came* from heaven, saying, "<u>This is</u> <u>My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.</u>"

<u>Key Hymns</u>: Amazing Grace What a Friend We Have in Jesus Hallelu, Praise Ye the Lord The B-I-B-L-E Humble Thyself, Our God Is an Awesome God Into My Heart

Key Verses: Hebrews 1:5-9 Matthew 3:15 John 10:17 Colossians 2:9, 10 Matthew 3:17 Matthew 3:17 I John 3:1-3 Matthew 17:5 Matthew 5:45 Steps to Christ, Chapter 13 John 12:28 I Peter 2:9 The Desire of Ages, p. 756 Ephesians 5:1, 2 Steps to Christ, p. 117 Psalm 145: 4, 10-12 Colossians 1:19 Ephesians 1:5 Ephesians 3:14-21 I Corinthians 1:21