

**John 1:19~** Now this is the witness<sup>1</sup> of John, when the Jews sent forth priests and Levites from Jerusalem to him to ask him; Who are you?

**Footnote: Witness** Greek, *mar·ty·ri'a*; Latin, *te·sti·mo'ni·um*

**1·** John now reviews that witness, that John the Baptist gave to the priests and Levites, who came out to him from Jerusalem to ask him who he was.

**[Question]** What witness did John the Baptist give to scribes and Pharisees who came out of Jerusalem to talk to him?

**2·** Now as the people were in expectation, and all were reasoning in their hearts about **John**; May he perhaps be the Christ? (**Luke 3:15**)

**[Question]** What were many then within Israel in expectation of, and why?

**[Question]** What were some then thinking, about John the Baptist?