

LUKE 7 - 9:51

OVERALL CONTEXT

Chapter 7:	Healing the Centurion's Slave Raising the widow's son John's question The woman who loved Jesus
Chapter 8:	Women who follow Jesus Parables (seed) Jesus' "family" Jesus calms the Sea Gerasene Demoniac Jairus' daughter and woman
Chapter 9:	Sending the twelve Herod & John Feeding 5000 Peter's Confession Jesus foretells His death Jesus' transfiguration Father and son Jesus' second foretelling Who's greatest? "He set His face to Jerusalem" (9:51) Would-be followers
Chapter 10:	Sending the seventy Woe! Return of seventy Revelation to "infants" Parable of Good Samaritan Mary and Martha
Chapter 11:	Prayer Parable of friend at night A house divided Various sayings Sign of Jonah Jesus denounces religious leaders

Passage Outline:

Jesus and John

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| Vs. 18-20 | - | The Question |
| | - | John's dilemma |
| Vs. 21-23 | - | Jesus' first response |
| | - | Tell John |
| | - | Happy the one ... |
| Vs. 24-30 | - | Jesus' second response |
| | - | What did you expect? |
| | - | Indeed, a prophet |
| | - | But ... |
| | - | and the plan of God |
| Vs. 31-35 | - | This generation is like ... |
| | - | John came and you ... |
| | - | The Son of Man came ... |
| | - | Wisdom |

Key words/ thoughts: offend (σκανδαλίζω); see (θεωρέω); messenger (ἄγγελος); Pharisees (φάρισαι); demon (δαίμονιον); wisdom (σοφία)

Questions: What was John's role as a prophet?

Do you think John the Baptist was offended by Jesus? If so, what was Jesus' offense?

Have you ever been offended by Jesus? Why?