

FAIR-FIELDER

Catch what was said in the sermon?



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Joy isn't simply being **happy**, pleased, or **content**.

Irish playwright **George Bernard Shaw** (3) wrestles to understand it.

John is the **Elijah** figure who prepares the way of the Lord.

Yet this sounded rather odd and perhaps a bit **illegitimate**.

Yet, John's counsel could be found in many of the biblical **prophets**.

John wants them to conduct their **business** differently.

No one joins the Roman army because of the **great pay** (2).

These terms meant **nothing** and did **nothing**, but they were required.

John is attempting to describe a **society** that has repented.

One problem: **cedars** don't bear any fruit.

With **God's coming** (2), we will sing for joy.