

Comparison of John's Gospel to Isaiah 50:5

Is 50:4-5 “The Lord God has given me the tongue of those who are taught, that I may know how to sustain with a word him that is weary. Morning by morning he wakens, he wakens my ear to hear as those who are taught. The Lord God has opened my ear.”

This passage can also be applied to Christ, who speaks the word that His Father taught Him.

- John 7:16 “So Jesus answered them, “My teaching is not mine, but his who sent me.”
- John 8:28 “I do nothing on my own authority but speak thus as the Father taught me.”
- John 12:49-50 “For I have not spoken on my own authority; the Father who sent me has himself given me commandment what to say and what to speak. And I know that his commandment is eternal life. What I say, therefore, I say as the Father has bidden me.”
- John 14:24 “The word which you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me.”
- John 17:8 “I have given them the words which you gave me.”
- John 17:14 “I have given them thy word.”