



The

Abundant

Life  
Series

- Lesson 4: Baptism -

\_\_\_\_\_ - to dip in liquid; to immerse or submerge; to bury

- **John 3:5**, *Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.*
- **Mark 16:16a**, *He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved;*
- **Matthew 28:19**, *Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:*
- **Acts 2:38b**, *be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.*
- **Acts 22:16**, *And now why tarriest thou? arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord.*
- **1 Peter 3:21a**, *The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us.*

Water Baptism is for the \_\_\_\_\_ away of sins

- **1 Corinthians 6:11**, *And such were some of you: but ye are washed, but ye are sanctified, but ye are justified in the name of the Lord Jesus, and by the Spirit of our God.*

Water Baptism is a \_\_\_\_\_ of our conscience

- **1 Peter 3:2**, *The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God,) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ:*
- **Hebrews 9:14**, *How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without spot to God, purge your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?*

Water Baptism is a \_\_\_\_\_

- **Romans 6:3-4**, *Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death? 4, Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.*
- **Colossians 2:12**, *Buried with him in baptism, wherein also ye are risen with him through the faith of the operation of God, who hath raised him from the dead.*

Water Baptism is a part of being \_\_\_\_\_

- **John 3:5**, *Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.*
- **Titus 3:5**, *Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost.*

\_\_\_\_\_ means the production of a new life

Water Baptism is taking upon ourselves the \_\_\_\_\_

- **Galatians 3:27**, *For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ*
- **Romans 13:14**, *But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ.*

Water Baptism is a spiritual \_\_\_\_\_

- **Colossians 2:11-12a**, *In whom also ye are circumcised with the circumcision made without hands, in putting off the body of the sins of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ: **12**, Buried with him in baptism.*

In the life of Christ and the Early Apostolic Church, people were only baptized by \_\_\_\_\_ in water.

\_\_\_\_\_ baptism - is invalid because it denies the role of faith in water baptism

- **Mark 16:16** that "*he that believeth and is baptized shall be saved.*"

\_\_\_\_\_ rejects the very meaning of the word of baptism.

- **Acts 8:36-39a**, *And as they went on their way, they came unto a certain water: and the eunuch said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? **37**, And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. **38**, And he commanded the chariot to stand still: and they went down both into the water, both Philip and the eunuch; and he baptized him. **39**, And when they were come up out of the water.*

Another good example is \_\_\_\_\_ who baptized in the Jordan because *"there was much water there"* John 3:23

Many people ask "does the \_\_\_\_\_ called over you in water baptism really matter?"

- **Matthew 28:19-20**, *Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: 20, Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.*

Before He ascended into heaven, Jesus commanded His disciples to go throughout the world and \_\_\_\_\_ everyone

- **Acts 2:38**, *Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.*

Peter said to be baptized "in the name of Jesus Christ." Did he

\_\_\_\_\_ the command of Jesus in Matthew 28:19?

- **Acts 2:41**, *Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.*
- **Acts 8:15-16**, *Who, when they were come down, prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost: 16, (For as yet he was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.)*
- **Acts 10:47-48a**, *Can any man forbid water, that these should not be baptized, which have received the Holy Ghost as well as we? 48, And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of the Lord.*  
**NIV, 48**, *So he ordered that they be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ.*

- **Acts 19:5**, *When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.*
- **Acts 22:16**, *And now why tarriest thou? arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord.*
- **Acts 4:12**, *Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.*
- **Colossians 3:17a**, *And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus.*

It is very obvious that the disciples only baptized people in the name of \_\_\_\_\_, so did they disobey Jesus commandment in Matthew 28:19? No, they simply \_\_\_\_\_ what He was saying.

In His command, Jesus said to baptize in the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

Matthew 1:21 says that the name of the \_\_\_\_\_ to be born to Mary would be "*Jesus.*"

John 5:43, Jesus said that He came "*in my Father's name*" so the name of the \_\_\_\_\_ is Jesus.

John 14:26, Jesus said that the Holy Ghost would come "*in my name.*" So the name of the \_\_\_\_\_ is Jesus as well.