

What Scriptural Baptism Accomplishes

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- ❖ According to Jesus, an act which precedes salvation – **Mk. 16:16**
- ❖ According to Peter:
 - ✓ Unto the remission of sins – **Acts 2:38**
 - ✓ A command that must be obeyed – **Acts 10:47-48**

What Scriptural Baptism Accomplishes Unscriptural Baptisms

- ❖ Infant baptism – **Acts 8:36-37**
- ❖ Sprinkling or pouring water on someone – **Acts 8:38-39**
- ❖ Because one has already been saved – **Mark 16:16**
- ❖ As an outward sign of an inward grace – **Acts 2:38**
- ❖ To become a member of a denomination - **Acts 2:38,41,47**

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6 NT Analogies to Describe What Is Accomplished When a Person is Scripturally Baptized

What Scriptural Baptism Accomplishes A Spiritual Cleansing

Necessary To Cleanse Saul (Paul) of his sins – **Acts 22:16**

And now why are you waiting? Arise and be baptized, and wash away your sins...

- ◆ Saul believed Jesus was Lord on the road to Damascus – **Acts 9:6**
- ◆ Jesus told Saul “Arise and go into the city, and you will be told what you must do” - **Acts 9:6**
- ◆ He displayed repentance by his 3 days of fasting and prayer in Damascus - **Acts 9:8-9**

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Prior to baptism
One needs to be washed (**Acts 22:16**).
One is impure & unclean in their sins before God.

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After baptism
One is washed - (**1 Cor. 6:11**).
One is pure & clean of sin (**Isa. 1:18; 1 Pet 1:22**).

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One Enters Christ

Access To Every Spiritual Blessing

who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ
souls were added to them. 47 And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.

- Enters the body of Christ – **1 Cor. 12:13; Acts 2:38,41,47**
- Puts on Christ – (As many as, no more and no less) - **Gal. 3:27**
- All spiritual blessings includes the blessing of salvation IN Christ – **Eph 1:3**

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Baptized Into

Prior to baptism	After baptism
Outside Christ Lost Without Hope <ol style="list-style-type: none"> NO spiritual blessings NOT children of God NOT accepted NO redemption NO forgiveness NO heavenly inheritance 	Inside Christ Saved / Hope <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ALL spiritual blessings Adopted child of God Accepted Redeemed Forgiven A Heavenly Inheritance

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Made Alive With Christ

In Baptism We Are Buried & Raised With Christ

And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made alive together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses.

- The circumcision of Christ is without hands – the Divine act of the removal of our sins – **Col. 2:11**
- Buried and raised with Jesus through faith in the working of God – **Col. 2:12**
- Made alive together with Christ – having our sins forgiven – **Col. 2:13**

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BAPTISM

Prior to baptism	After baptism
One needs to have his sins cut away by God - Rom 3:23 One is dead in sin and outside of a covenant relationship with God. - Heb 8:12	One's sins are cut away by God – Acts 2:38 Made alive by God with Christ through the New Covenant - Eph 2:1-6

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A New Creature In Christ

Death To Sin, Union With Christ, Raised To Walk In New Life – Rom 6:3-8

For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection.
that we should no longer be slaves of sin. 8 Now if we died with Christ...

- Christ died a physical death on the cross – in baptism – a believer dies – **Rom 6:3,6,8**
- Jesus was buried in the tomb – we are buried with Jesus when we are baptized – **Rom 6:4**
- United with Jesus when we are baptized – **Rom 6:5**

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One is alive to sin, dead to God - Rom. 6:2 Living in the old man, the body of sin - Rom. 6:6 Separated from God	One is dead to sin, alive to God - Rom. 6:2, 11 Raised to walk in newness of life – to live with Christ - Rom. 6:4,8

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One Is Born Again

One Cannot Enter The Kingdom of God Unless He Is Born Again – John 3:3-5



- When a child is born into the world, he becomes part of the family and has certain rights as a member of that family. i.e. inheritance.
- Baptism marks the time at which one is born into the family of God and receives the benefits of being a child of God.

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John 3:5	Titus 3:5	Ephes. 5:26	Heb 10:22	1 Pet. 2:22,23
born of water	washing of regeneration	washing of water	Bodies washed	Purified your souls by obeying the truth
and the Spirit	and renewing of the Holy Spirit	by the word,	Hearts sprinkled	Born again . . . Of the word of God

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One is outside the family of God - Eph. 2:12
One is outside the kingdom of God - John 3:5

BAPTISM

After baptism
One is a part of the family of God - Eph. 2:13, 19
One is in the kingdom of God - Jn 3:5; Col. 1:13

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Delivered From Destruction

Corresponding To Noah's Salvation – Baptism Now Saves You – 1 Pet. 3:21

the Divine longsuffering waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water. There is also an antitype which now saves us—baptism (not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God), through the resurrection of Jesus Christ

- Noah was physically delivered from God's judgment upon a wicked world through the flood in the ark – Gen 6-7; Heb. 11:7
- We are spiritually delivered from God's judgment upon a sinful world through the resurrection of Christ in baptism – Mk 16:16; 2 Thess 1:6-9

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One is in a dark world of sin & wickedness (Col. 1:13)
Lost and without hope – (Eph 2:11-12)

BAPTISM

After baptism
One is "translated" into the kingdom of light (Col. 1:13-14).
Brought near by the blood of Jesus (Eph 2:13)
Saved from destruction – (1 Pet 3:21)

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- Have you been Spiritual Cleansed? Acts 22:16
- Are You A Child of God By Faith In Christ? – Gal. 3:26,27
- Have You Been Made Alive With Christ? – Col. 2:11-13
- Are You A New Creature In Christ? – Rom 6:3-9
- Have You Been Born Again? – Jn 3:5
- Have You Been Delivered From Destruction? – 1 Pet 3:21