

“The Bible and Baptism”

Acts 8:26-40

I. Introduction – 2 Tim. 3:16; 2 Pet. 1:21; 1 Cor. 11:23-26; Matt. 28:19

A. The Bible is the only authority for _____ & _____

B. The 2 ordinances or ceremonies commanded by God are:

1. _____

2. _____

II. What does the Bible say about baptism?

Mark 1:4-5; Acts 2:36-41; 8:12-13; 10:44-48; 16:29-33; 18:7-8; 19:1-5;
Eph. 2:8-9; Rom. 10:9-10; John 3:36; Matt. 28:19; Mark 16:16; Rom. 6:3-4

A. How is baptism done?

1. To baptize (*baptidzo* in Greek) means to _____

2. Baptism is by _____

B. Who is baptized?

* _____ are baptized

C. Why baptize?

* Jesus _____

D. What does baptism mean?

1. It is a picture of the death, burial and resurrection of _____

2. It is a testimony to others of one's _____

3. It is a _____ of being identified with _____

III. Conclusion – Mark 16:16

A. Salvation (being saved from an eternity in hell) is through God's

_____ & a person's _____

B. Baptism is an act of _____ to God.