

#382 *Salvation Is Not By Water Baptism*

I didn't mean to confuse you or change your doctrine, it is just that the traditions of man have brought in **MANY** misconceptions to the infallible word of God. One of the main ones, you are saved by water baptism (emersion, dunked or dipped under). This adds up to works, and the bible says; Eph 2:8* For **by grace** are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:

Ac 2:21* And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be **saved**. (*the thief on the cross, said Lord remember me and Jesus said, this day you'll be with me in paradise*).

Ro 10:9* That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be **saved**. (*Paul to the Romans*)

Ac 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**. (*Peter on the day of Pentecost*)

Ac 15:11* But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be **saved**, even as they. (*Peter said to the Apostles*)

Ac 16:30* And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be **saved**?

Ac 16:31* And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be **saved**, and thy house. (*Paul to the Jailer*)

Mr 1:8* I indeed have baptized you with water: but he shall baptize you with the **Holy Ghost**. (*John the baptist said this about Jesus*.)

Ro 6:3* Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into **his death**?

Ro 6:4* 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**.

Ro 6:5* For if we have been planted together in the likeness of **his death**, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection:

(*Pauls writings*)

This is the scripture used by those that say you have to be baptized to be saved.

1Pe 3:21* 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:

I have tried to share this with you because you said I was wrong on one of my answers, and water baptism does not save you, only the grace of god when you believe and are subsequently baptized into Christ by the Holy Ghost.

Mr 16:16* He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.

This means, Upon believing, tHE HOLY SPIRIT Baptizes you into Jesus, THIS IS being born again (look at the thief on the cross).

IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH WATER.

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