

WHY BAPTISM?

Colossians 2:11-12

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- ✓ Have We Become So _____ About Ceremony That It's Led To The _____ Of Deep Meaning And Purpose?
- ✓ Ceremony Raises Our Level Of Awareness To The _____ Of An Accomplishment Or Event.
- ✓ The Baptismal Ceremony Causes Us To Focus On Connecting The _____ To The _____ Part Of Our Lives. Jesus Redeems The _____ At The Moment Of Salvation And The _____ At The Moment Of His Return.
- ✓ Baptism Is A _____ That Publicly Proclaims Our Faith In The Promise Of Eternal Life Through Jesus Christ.
- ✓ The Act Of Circumcision Served As A " _____ " That Proclaimed That Abraham Believed That God Would Keep His _____ To Make Him An _____ To All That God Wanted Him To Have.
- ✓ Just Like The "Sign Of Circumcision" Was To Abraham, The "Sign Of Baptism" _____ Our Faith In God's Promise To Give Us Eternal Life.
- ✓ When A Person Changes Their Mind About Life And Surrenders To Jesus, Everything Changes. You Transfer Your _____ From Yourself To The Lord.
- ✓ The Physical Act Of Baptism Displays The "Sign" Of A _____ That You Now Believe To Be True Above All Else.
- ✓ Baptism Is Your Public _____ Of Who You Are In Jesus Christ. It Is Your Sign That You Are _____ Into God's Promise Of Eternal Life.
- ✓ Is Being _____ As A Follower Of Jesus "Important Enough" For Me To Be Baptized?

Take Away: The Baptismal Service Is Not A "Baptism Of Repentance" But Of " _____ ". The Act Of Baptism Identifies Us With Jesus.