

**WHY BAPTISM?**

**Colossians 2:7-14**

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- ✓ Ceremony Connects Us To The \_\_\_\_\_ Of An Accomplishment Or Event.
- ✓ The Baptismal Ceremony Causes Us To Focus On Connecting The \_\_\_\_\_ To The \_\_\_\_\_ Part Of Our Lives Which God Intends To Redeem Both Of These Upon Jesus' Return.
- ✓ Baptism Is A Ceremony Or \_\_\_\_\_ That \_\_\_\_\_ Our Faith In The Promise Of Eternal Life By Christ Jesus.
- ✓ The \_\_\_\_\_ That God Made With Abraham Was About The Righteousness That He Obtained By His Faith In God And The Act Of Circumcision Was \_\_\_\_\_ That Abraham Believed That God Would Keep His Promise To Make Him An Heir To All That God Wanted Him To Have.
- ✓ The "Sign" Of Baptism, Just Like The Sign Of Circumcision, Acknowledges Our \_\_\_\_\_ In God's Promise To Give Us Eternal Life.
- ✓ When A Person Changes Their Mind About Life And Surrenders To Christ, Everything Changes. You Transfer Your \_\_\_\_\_ From Yourself To Christ.
- ✓ 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.
- ✓ Is Being Identified As A Follower Of Christ \_\_\_\_\_ For Me To Be Baptized?

**Take-Away:** But If Anyone Loves God, He Is \_\_\_\_\_ By Him.  
1 Corinthians 8:3 (NASB)

**NOTES:**