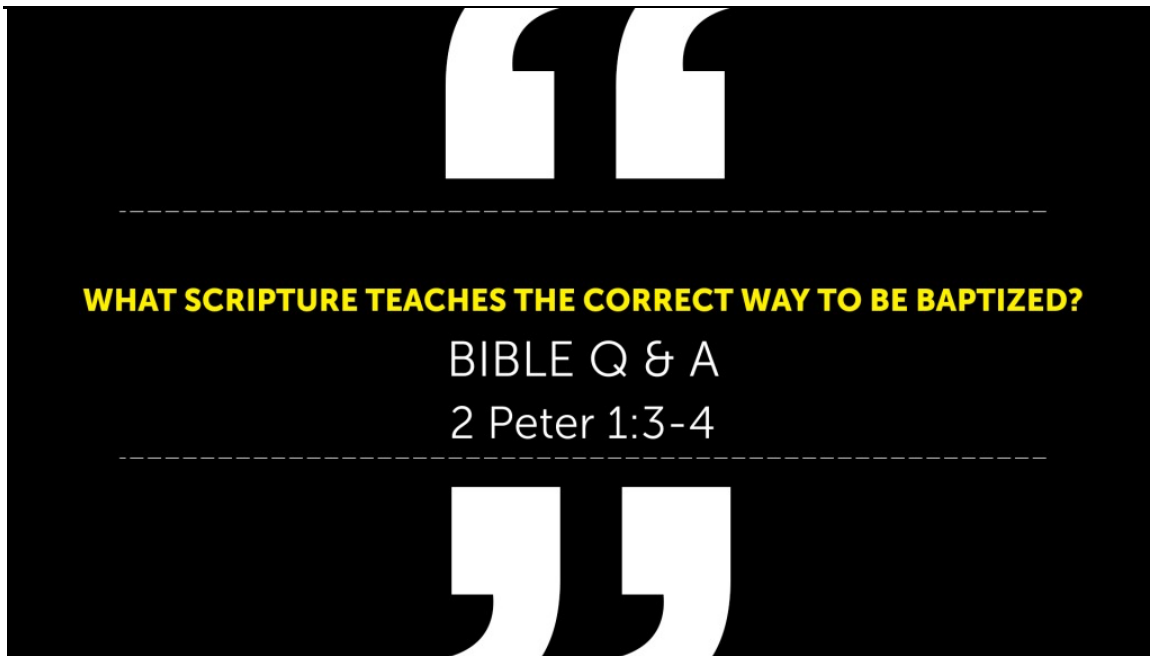


Why Study Bible Doctrine and
What Scripture Teaches the correct way to be Baptized?

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Central Idea: Learn to make the Bible your guide for life, and it will direct your steps.



2 Peter 1:3-4 (ESV)

³ His divine power has granted to us ___ things that pertain to ___ and ___, through the ___ of him who called us to his own glory and excellence, ⁴ by which he has granted to us his precious and very great ___, so that through them you may become ___ of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire.

- Worldly responses to life are _____ because of _____ desire.

Psalm 119:105 ESV

¹⁰⁵ Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

- When do you consult, or are confronted by scripture?
 - a) Never

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- b) Only on Sundays
- c) Only when you are in trouble
- d) Other _____

Matthew 28:19-20 (ESV)

¹⁹ Go therefore and make _____ of all nations, _____ them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ _____ them to observe all that I have _____ you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

Romans 16:17-18 (ESV)

¹⁷ I appeal to you, brothers, to watch out for those who cause _____ and create obstacles contrary to the _____ that you have been _____; avoid them. ¹⁸ For such persons do not serve our Lord Christ, but their own appetites, and by smooth talk and flattery they deceive the hearts of the naive.

Test the spirits.

How are we to "test" if we do not know?

1 John 4:1 (ESV)

¹ Beloved, do not _____ every spirit, but _____ the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many _____ prophets have gone out into the world.

2 Timothy 4:3 (ESV)

³ For the time is coming when people will not endure sound _____, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions,

People often want to hear what pleases them, instead of the truth.

2 Timothy 2:16-18 (ESV)

¹⁶ But avoid irreverent babble, for it will lead people into more and more _____, ¹⁷ and their talk will spread like gangrene. Among them are Hymenaeus and Philetus, ¹⁸ who have swerved from the _____, saying that the resurrection has already happened. They are upsetting the faith of some.

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False teachers spread false information about existing facts in order to produce confusion.

Acts 20:28–30 ESV

²⁸ Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood. ²⁹ I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; ³⁰ and from among your own selves will arise men speaking twisted things, to draw away the disciples after them.

Even church leaders will be guilty of this sin, by ignorance or malice.

John 12:48 (ESV)

⁴⁸ The one who rejects me and does not _____ my words has a judge; the word that I have spoken will _____ him on the last day.

1 Timothy 6:3–5 (ESV)

³ If anyone _____ a different doctrine and does not agree with the sound words of our Lord Jesus Christ and the _____ that accords with _____, ⁴ he is puffed up with conceit and understands _____. He has an unhealthy craving for controversy and for quarrels about words, which produce envy, dissension, slander, evil suspicions, ⁵ and constant friction among people who are depraved in mind and deprived of the truth, imagining that godliness is a means of _____.

Galatians 2:4 (ESV)

⁴ Yet because of _____ brothers secretly brought in—who slipped in to spy out our freedom that we have in Christ Jesus, so that they might bring us into _____

Colossians 2:8 (ESV)

⁸ See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to _____ tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ.

- human tradition = _____ tradition

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2 Timothy 3:6-7 (ESV)

⁶ For among them are those who creep into households and capture weak women, burdened with sins and led astray by various passions, ⁷ always _____ and never able to arrive at a _____ of the truth.

2 Timothy 3:14-15 (ESV)

¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have _____ and have firmly _____, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵ and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for _____ through faith in Christ Jesus.

2 Timothy 3:16-17 (ESV)

¹⁶ All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ that the man of God may be complete, _____ for every good work.

1 Timothy 1:5 ESV

⁵ The aim of our charge is love that issues from a pure heart and a good conscience and a sincere faith.

- Knowing the words of Christ and sowing them correctly into our hearts will produce a Christ-like _____, a Christian _____, a _____ that will honor God and provide true _____ to others.

What Scripture Teaches the Correct way to be Baptized?

Short answer: _____

Mark 16:16 (ESV)

¹⁶ Whoever believes and is _____ will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned.

When one is Baptized, he is either

_____ or _____

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Biblical Examples of Conversions

		HEAR THE GOSPEL	BELIEVE FAITH	REPENT OF SINS	CONFESS CHRIST	BAPTISM
1	DAY OF PENTECOST ACTS 2:36-42	HEARD 2:37		REPENT 2:37-38		BAPTIZED 2:38-41
2	SAMARITANS ACTS 8:5-13	HEARD 8:6	BELIEVED 8:12			BAPTIZED 8:12
3	SIMON ACTS 8:13	HEARD 8:6	BELIEVED 8:13			BAPTIZED 8:13
4	ETHIOPIAN EUNUCH ACTS 8:36-41	HEARD 8:35			CONFESSED 8:37	BAPTIZED 8:38
5	SAUL - (PAUL) ACTS 9:1-9; 22:6-16; 26:12-19	HEARD 22:16				BAPTIZED 9:18
6	CORNELIUS ACTS 10:25-48	HEARD 10:33	BELIEVED 10:43			BAPTIZED 10:48
7	LYDIA ACTS 16:13-15	HEARD 16:13-14	BELIEVED 16:14			BAPTIZED 16:15
8	PHILIPPIAN JAILOR ACTS 16:34	HEARD 16:32	BELIEVED 16:31			BAPTIZED 16:33
9	THE CORINTHIANS ACTS 18:8	HEARD 18:8	BELIEVED 18:8			BAPTIZED 18:8
10	12 MEN AT EPHESUS ACTS 19:1-7	HEARD 19:5				BAPTIZED 19:5
	PREACHING Romans 10:14 Galatians 1:6-9	HEAR Mark 4:23 Acts 10:22	FAITH Hebrews 11:6 Hebrews 5:8-9	REPENTANCE Luke 13:3, 5 Acts 2:8	CONFESSION Romans 10:10 Matthew 10:32-33	BAPTISM 1 Peter 3:21 Barnes' Bible Charts