(sermon notes)



1)	It is	in the Bible.
	"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, <u>baptizing</u> them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matt. 28:19-20)	
	"Peter replied, 'Repent and be <u>baptized</u> , each of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit." (Acts 2:38)	
2)	It was	in the Bible.
	"So those who accepted his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand people were added to them." (Acts 2:41)	
	Acts 8:12-13; 8:36,38; Acts 10:47; Acts 16;14-15; Acts 18:8	
3)	It is following	·
	"When Jesus was <u>baptized</u> , he went up immediately from the water" (Matthew 3:16-17)	
4)	It is the way we	Christ.
	"Therefore, everyone who will acknowledge me before others, I will also acknowledge him before my Father in heaven." (Matt. 10:32)	
5)	It portrays a	·
	"Therefore we were buried with him by <u>baptism</u> into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too may walk in newness of life." (Rom. 6:4)	

Frequently Asked Questions about Baptism

Q1: Are we saved through paptism?		
"For you are saved by grace through faith" (Eph. 2:8)		
"Baptism, which corresponds to this, now saves you (<u>not as the removal of dirt from the body</u> , but the pledge [appeal] of a good conscience toward God) through the resurrection of Jesus Christ" (1 Peter 3:21)		
"And He [Jesus] said to him [the thief on the cross], 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with Me in paradise." (Luke 23:43)		
Baptism is to salvation what the		
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Q2: Why do we practice total immersion?		
The Greek baptizo means "to" or "to"		
"While they were reclining and eating, Jesus said, 'Truly I tell you, one of you will betray me one who is eating with me.''It is one of the Twelve - the one who is <u>dipping</u> (baptize) bread in the bowl with me.'" (Mark 14:18,20)		
"He wore a robe <u>dipped</u> (baptizo) in blood" (Rev. 19:13)		
> That's how it was done in the and the		
Mark 1:10 Acts 8:38		
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Q3: Why don't we baptize infants?