

Baptist Essentials – Why Are We Baptists?

B.A.P.T.I.S.T.S.

The second “S” stands for Separation – Separation of the _____ from the _____ and separation of _____ and _____.

Separation of the Individual from the World

Holiness is total _____ from sin.

Separation of Church and State

Definition: Separation of Church and State has three main implications:

- 1) There should be no essential _____ between religion and the government.
- 2) The government should not _____ with anything of the church concerning her beliefs, practices, and operations nor should the church _____ with the government in any of its policies.
- 3) Neither establishment should _____ the other.

Biblical Basis for Separation of Church and State

- 1) Jesus _____ for Separation of Church and State
- 2) Jesus Gave _____ to the State
- 3) Jesus’ Kingdom is _____

The Purpose of the State

- 1) _____ Evil Behavior
- 2) _____ Those Who Do Good

The Purpose of the Church

- 1) _____ Disciples
- 2) _____ Disciples
- 3) _____ Disciples