

8. The Burial

Read Acts 19:1-3

What was the problem with the baptism of these men at Ephesus?

These men didn't _____ the true meaning of Baptism.

They didn't understand that the Holy _____ takes part in this.

What is baptism? What does it mean? _____

Read John 1:32-33

How is it that the men in Ephesus said they never heard of the Holy Spirit, when John specifically spoke about the baptism of the Holy Spirit? _____

Read Romans 6:3-7

Note: The same Paul who talked to those men in Acts, lets us know that Baptism has to do with being Crucified with Christ

Today, many people are baptized, but they didn't understand what they did.

They were buried alive.

What does it mean to be crucified with Christ?

When we die, we stop _____, and we let God _____ in and through us.

We allow the Holy Spirit to come inside, to be in control, make the decisions, fight the temptations,

and _____ in and through us. This is what baptism means.

If you have been baptized already. Answer the following question. Be honest. When you were baptized, did you actually "die"? _____

Read Acts 19:4-6

Why were these men re-baptized? _____

Read Acts 8:36-38

Once we understand the commitment we are making, why should we not delay our baptism? _____

What message did you get from this lesson personally? _____

How can you apply this message to your life? _____

Check all the apply to you:

- ☐ You made a mature decision to get baptized by full immersion.
- ☐ You got baptized before, but you didn't truly understand the commitment that God wanted you to make.
- ☐ You were a baby when you got baptized, so it doesn't count as a true baptism.
- ☐ You had a sprinkling or a pouring, so it doesn't count as a real baptism.

If you have never been baptized, are you willing to commit your life to God through baptism? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Applicable

If you have already been baptized, but you realized that your previous baptism didn't have the true commitment, are you willing to now get baptized again?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Applicable

If you have already been baptized, and your baptism was truly a spiritual death of yourself, are you willing to continue to die daily? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Applicable

If you decided you want to get baptized call or text me and we can meet to prepare for that wonderful day:

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