



# Water Baptism

*A Symbol to the World*

# Water Baptism Symbolizes Identification with Christ

Romans 6:3 - Or don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?

Romans 6:4 - We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

# Water Baptism Symbolizes Identification with Christians

1 Corinthians 12:13 - For we were all baptized by one Spirit into one body--whether Jews or Greeks, slave or free--and we were all given the one Spirit to drink.

Galatians 3:27 - for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

Galatians 3:28 - There is neither Jew nor Greek, slave nor free, male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

Galatians 3:29 - If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

# Water Baptism Symbolizes Repentance

Acts 2:38 - Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one 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 19:4 - Paul said, "John's baptism was a baptism of repentance. He told the people to believe in the one coming after him, that is, in Jesus."

# Water Baptism Symbolizes Cleansing

Acts 22:16 - And now what are you waiting for? Get up, be baptized and wash your sins away, calling on his name.‘

Galatians 2:20 - I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

# Water Baptism Symbolizes Obedience

Acts 2:38 - Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19 - Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

Mark 1:9 - At that time Jesus came from Nazareth in Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan.