

# **Baptism Handout**

Step One: Salvation // Making a commitment to follow Jesus

## Acts 8:12

But when they believed Philip as he preached the good news of the kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women.

### Acts 8:13

Simon himself believed and was baptized. And he followed Philip everywhere, astonished by the great signs and miracles he saw.

### Acts 18:8

Crispus, the synagogue ruler, and his entire household believed in the Lord; and many of the Corinthians who heard him believed and were baptized.

### Acts 19:4-5

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." On hearing this, they were baptized into the name of the Lord Jesus.

Making a commitment to follow Jesus is number one. It's the most important thing we will EVER do. We get baptized not just after, but BECAUSE we have chosen to follow him.

There are a lot of scriptures that clearly explain what it takes to Follow Christ. It's called the ABC's of becoming a Christian. It takes a lot of the things the Bible talks about becoming a Christian and puts them into an easy to understand and remember format.

Admit that you are a sinner // Romans 3:23

Believe that Jesus is God's son // John 3:16; John 14:6

Confess that Jesus is Lord // Romans 10:9-10

Step Two: Baptism

Matthew 3:13-17

Matthew 28:19-20

**Romans 6:3-5**