



Basic Bible Course  
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The FIVE "Ws" and "H"  
about BAPTISM



Lesson Twenty-Two

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Questions on Lesson

1. List the six elements of FACT which can be known of any matter:  
 1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_ 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
 4) \_\_\_\_\_ 5) \_\_\_\_\_ 6) \_\_\_\_\_
2. At what age in one's life does God's Word teach one may be baptized? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. What did Philip tell the Ethiopian eunuch he must do before he might be baptized? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. What else, before baptism, did Peter require of those converted on Pentecost? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Before being baptized, does the New Testament require BELIEF? \_\_\_\_\_ REPENTANCE? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Can a baby BELIEVE in Christ? \_\_\_\_\_ Can a baby REPENT of sins? \_\_\_\_\_ If not, then can a  
 baby **SCRIPTURALLY** BE BAPTIZED? \_\_\_\_\_
6. How do we Know that babies are SAFE (i.e., do therefore not NEED to BE SAVED)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. How many baptisms have there been during the CHRISTIAN DISPENSATION? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Identify them: \_\_\_\_\_
8. How many baptisms are there now? \_\_\_\_\_ Which? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Who **administers** the baptism now in force—GOD or MAN? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Define the ACTION of baptism, as taught in Romans 6:4 and Colossians 2:12: \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. Does any sort of BURIAL take place in the action of SPRINKLING? \_\_\_\_\_ Of POURING? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If not, then are SPRINKLING or POURING forms of what the New Testament teaches for BAPTISM?  
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12. Is there a “LIKENESS” of Jesus’ DEATH and RESURRECTION in either SPRINKLING or POURING?  
 \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please point out IN WHAT WAY: \_\_\_\_\_
13. If there is NO “LIKENESS” of Jesus’ DEATH and RESURRECTION in either SPRINKLING or POURING,  
 are they BAPTIZED as taught in the New Testament? \_\_\_\_\_ If your answer is “yes,” then please explain  
 how this is possible: \_\_\_\_\_
14. Since Romans 6:4 and Colossians 2:12 teach us we are BURIED by and in BAPTISM, which action fits the  
 description? SPRINKLING? POURING? Or IMMERSION? \_\_\_\_\_
15. If neither SPRINKLING nor POURING fits the **New Testament description of baptism**, is it scripturally  
 correct to CALL them BAPTISM? \_\_\_\_\_
16. If neither SPRINKLING nor POURING are baptism IN FACT, does one’s CALLING them “baptism” make  
 them **actually** BAPTISM? \_\_\_\_\_
17. If one never has been baptized according to the teaching of the New Testament, and he LEARNS what the New  
 Testament TEACHES—and BELIEVES it, HOW LONG SHOULD HE WAIT to be BAPTIZED?  
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18. At what point in one’s life SHOULD he be baptized, provided he is following the NEW TESTAMENT teach-  
 ing and example? \_\_\_\_\_
19. WHERE (in what element) should one be baptized, according to the New Testament? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Should the element be APPLIED TO ONE’S PERSON? or should one GO  
 DOWN INTO the element? \_\_\_\_\_
20. According to the New Testament, WHY should one BE BAPTIZED? \_\_\_\_\_  
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DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION? \_\_\_\_\_  
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