

Water Baptism

Baptism in Jesus Name

or

Father, Son and Holy Spirit

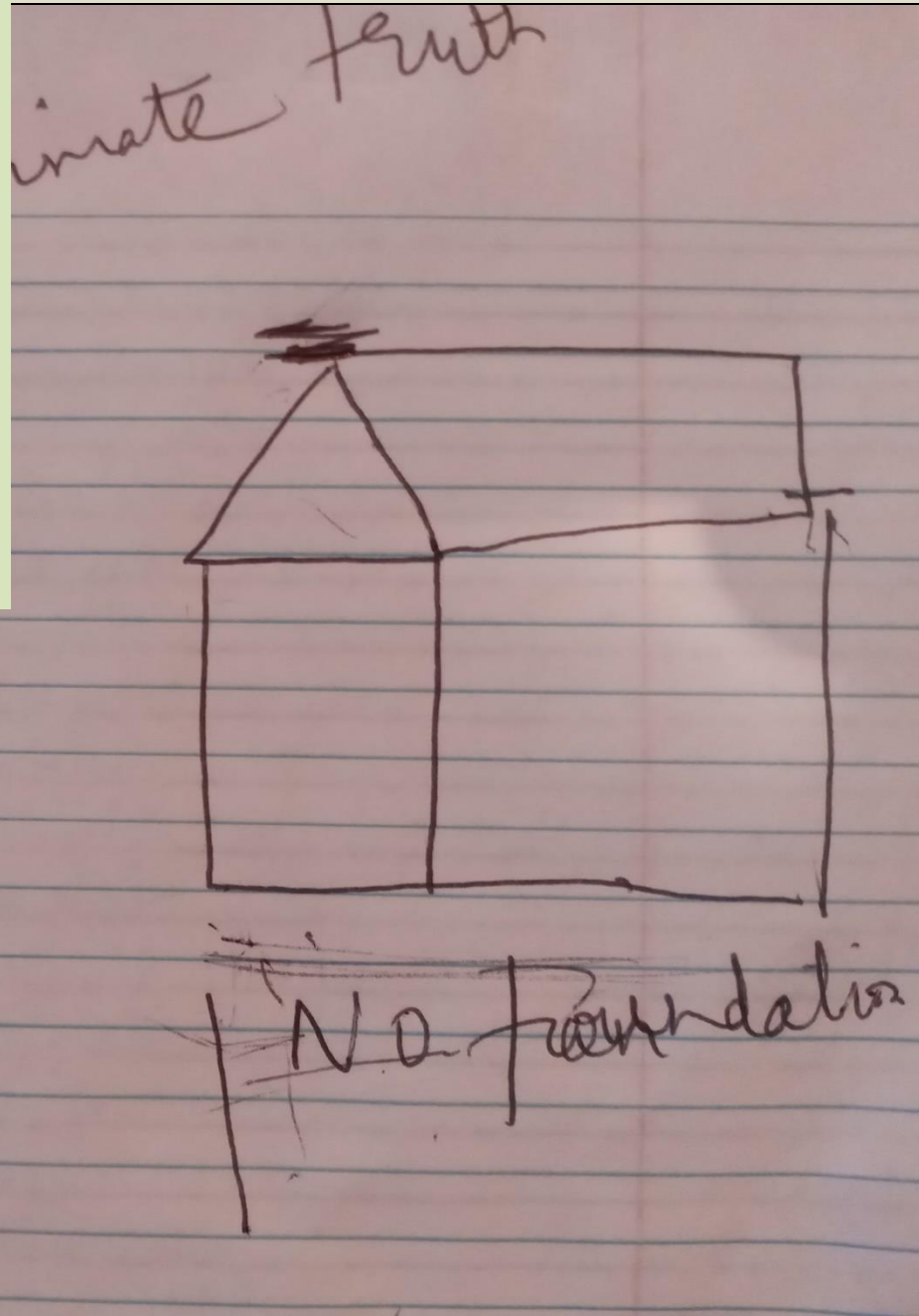
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Pastor Abraham

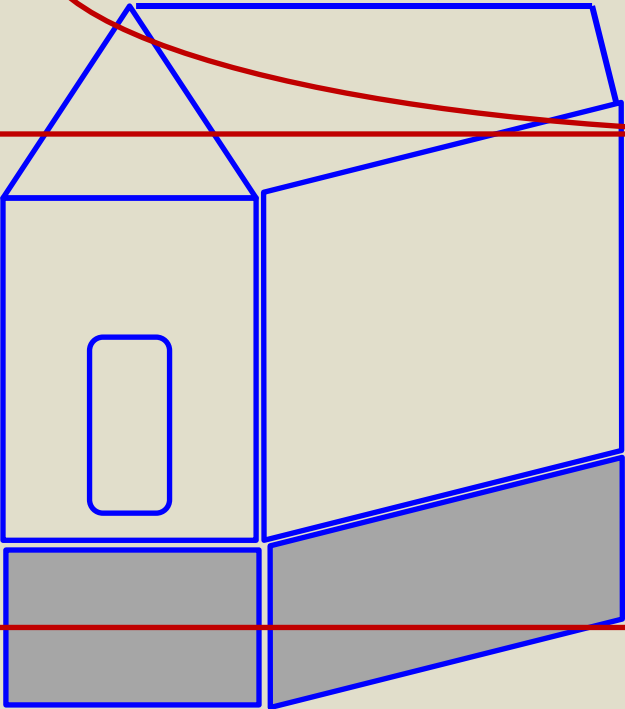
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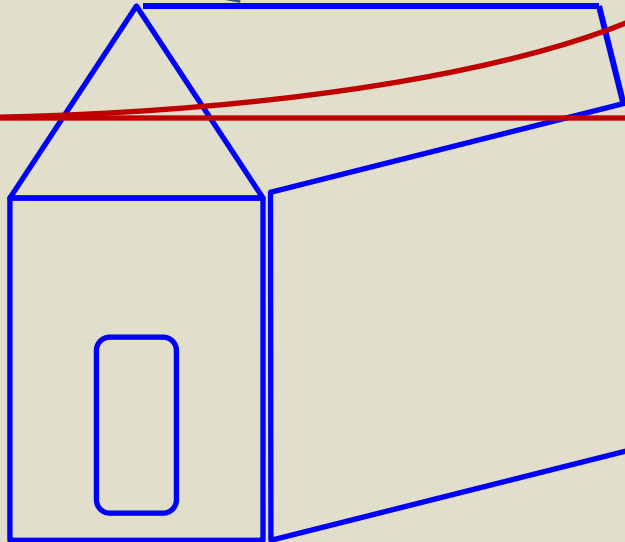
in this last hour



Ultimate Truth



Has a Foundation



No Foundation

I was in Woodstock area and Alex, a homeless man approached me and asked me if I could Baptize him in water according to what it says in the Bible.

This is what he said: He went to every Minister in Woodstock and no one would Baptize him in water according to Acts 2.38

With Bible in hand Alex opened it and pointed to Acts 2.38

The Baptism Alex wanted and understood

Acts 2.38

Then Peter said unto them,
Repent, and be baptized every
one of you in the name of
Jesus Christ for the remission
of sins and ye shall receive
the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Sins Forgiven and you get the
Holy Spirit

Matthew 28.19

Go ye therefore, and teach all
nations, baptizing them in the
name of the Father, and of the
Son, and of the Holy Ghost

What do get here?

Debriefing Matthew 28.19

The Entirety or the Totality of the Conversion Experience is contained in Matthew 28.19

Mathew uses a literary device of speakers and writers. Basically he takes an entire Truth and reduces it down it into a single Truth.

It's called a contraction.

Example of Reducing a Fraction

Fraction 32/64

$$32 / 32 = 1$$

$$64 / 32 = 2$$

Reduces down to 1/2

Elements of Contraction Concept in English

There are elements of literary devices of reducing used in Language also, so I provide two examples

Contracted Words

 two words made into one

Examples of the Contracted Words

I am = I'm

We are = We're

Do not = don't

You have = you've

You all = ya'll

Now another example on Contracted Concepts

Lets look a few Scriptures on Salvation in the Bible and you will see this same thing

Contracted Writing contained in the Salvation message summarizing a single Truth

- Mark - Believe and be baptized
- John - Believe on the Father
- Peter - Saved by baptism
- Paul - Confession and believing
- Paul - Renewing of the Holy Spirit
- Paul - Just believe on the LORD Jesus Christ
- Paul - Only if you do good works
- James - By faith and works

Comparing the Passages of Baptism with Scripture

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Disaggregated Single Truth

Matthew 28.19

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name of the Father, and of the
Son, and of the Holy Ghost

Totality of Truth

Ephesians 4:3-6 Summarizes the Entire Conversion Experience
The Totality of it all in God

There is one body, and one Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling; **One Lord, one faith, one Baptism, One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all**

Totality of Truth again

Entirety of Truth - John 10.30

I and My Father are one

The Entirety of the **Whole Conversion Experience** is merged together in Matthew 28 in a contracted form

Repent before the **Father**

Baptized in the Name of **Son**

Receive the **Holy Spirit**

Each of these Truths can be disaggregated to understand Water Baptism as mentioned by Peter

REPENTANCE is an act toward God and for that *repentance* the Father grants remission of sins through the Baptism in Jesus and Jesus sends the Holy Spirit.

REPENTANCE toward God has **NEVER CHANGED**

IT'S REPENTANCE FIRST

When John the Baptist Started His Ministry it
was a Ministry of water Baptism unto
REPENTANCE

*Remember the Pharisees refused John's Baptism
because they refused to repent and John
rebuked them.*

While Jesus and the Disciples conducted
Ministry it was a Baptism unto Repentance

□ Jesus and the Disciples came into the land of
Judea and there he tarried with them and
Baptized

After the Cross there is REDEMPTION so the water **Baptism** changed to a

Baptism of REMISSION OF SINS

Example of the Change in Baptism

Re-Baptized Disciples - The Jesus Baptism

Acts 19

And it came to pass, that, while Apollos was at Corinth, Paul having passed through the upper coasts came to Ephesus: and finding certain disciples, He said unto them, **Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed?**

Acts 19

And he said unto them, **Unto what then were ye baptized?**

The Jesus Baptism

Acts 19

Then said Paul, John verily baptized with the baptism of repentance, saying unto the people, that they should believe on him which should come after him, that is, on Christ Jesus.

Acts 19

When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. And when Paul had laid his hands upon them, the Holy Ghost came on them; and they spake with tongues, and prophesied.

Remember the **REPENTANCE** Baptism was
BEFORE the Cross and the Resurrection

And Matthew 28 passage of Baptism merges
Repentance toward God, the Remission of sins
Water Baptism and Receiving the Holy Spirit
together in passage.

Matthew is teaching disciples the **Entirety** of the Conversion Experience; the **Totality** of the Baptism Experience.

Baptising is in the Name of Jesus. That has **NEVER CHANGED**

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Different terms use for the same experience

Let's look at another aspect of this Conversion experience Receiving The Holy Spirit

You receive the Holy Spirit but another way to say you have had the experience is to say that you are **BAPTIZED** in the Holy Spirit or alternatively you are **Born Again**

Acts 11.16 Baptized with the Holy Spirit Language

Then remembered I the word of the Lord, how that he said, John indeed baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost

Receiving the Holy Spirit NOT Baptizing in the NAME Holy Spirit

- Ananias laid hands on Saul who received the Holy Spirit (Acts 7.17)
- Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given (Acts 8.18)
- And when Paul re-baptized some disciples in the name of Jesus he laid his hands upon them, the Holy Ghost came on them; (Acts 19.6)

Getting back to the story of Alex

So that day immediately we went back to Toms Brook went to the Shenandoah river and **Baptized Alex in the Name of Jesus for the remission of sins.**

We brought him back to the house to stay with us and later that day he told me he received a new tongue speaking in tongues when he came up out of the water.

Example of the Holy Spirit Baptism

There were people who heard Peter preaching
and

At the end of Peters Sermon (Act 2:37)

There were people who heard Peter preaching and when they heard this, **they were pricked in their heart**, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, **What shall we do ?**

Now how do you think Peter responding to this?

- Do you think he said just invite Jesus into your heart?
- Do you think he said pray this prayer after me?
- Do you think he handed them a Bible Track on how to get saved?
- Do you think he made an altar call to get saved?

Another Passage on the True Baptism - Acts 10:44-45

While Peter yet spake these words, the Holy Ghost fell on all them which heard the word.

And they of the circumcision which believed were astonished, as many as came with Peter, because that on the Gentiles also was poured out the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Acts 10:46



For they heard them speak with tongues,
and magnify God

Remember What Alex said?

He said I received a new tongue speaking in
tongues when he came up out of the water.

The reason its Baptism in the Name of Jesus

Hebrews 9.20 - Eternal Redemption

This is the blood of the **NEW TESTAMENT**
through (Jesus) which God hath commanded to
be made with you

☐ That's **WHY** we are Baptized into Jesus

Eternal Redemption through Jesus (Hebrews 9)

CHRIST HAVING OBTAINED ETERNAL REDEMPTION FOR US

But Christ when he appeared a better system of Salvation was established

Jesus is the way, the Truth and the Life, no man cometh to the Father but by Him

John said Behold the Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world

Jesus is the MEDIATOR of the NEW TESTAMENT

Its ALL about REDEMPTION Through JESUS

HEBREWS 9.12

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Hebrews 9.15

Christ through the Eternal Spirit purges your conscious so you can serve God acceptably without fear therefore He is the **MEDIATOR FOR REDEMPTION**

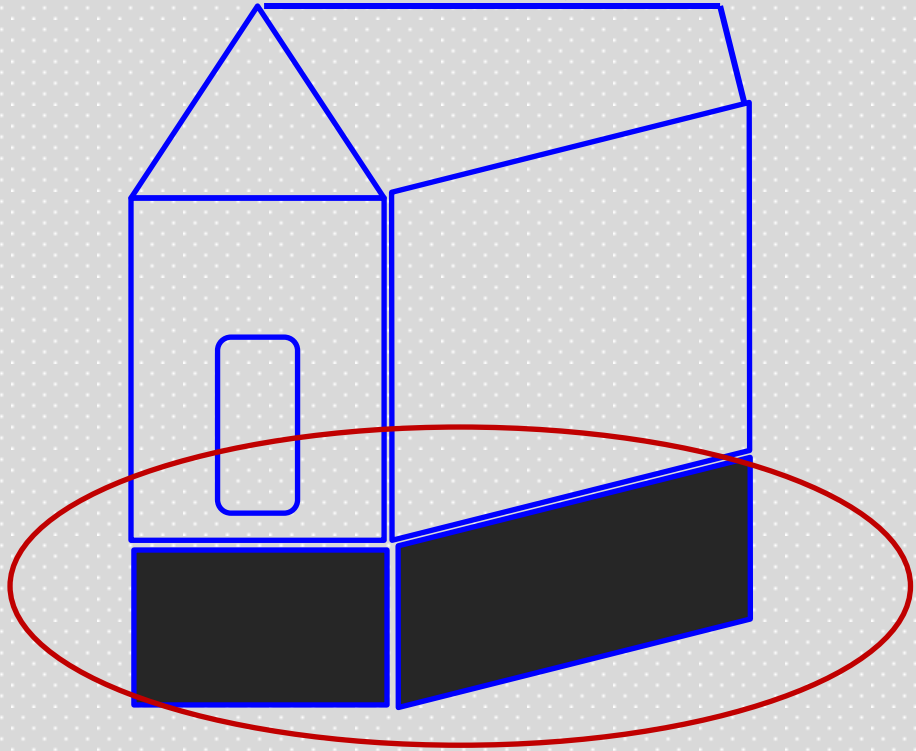
1 Peter 3.21

Baptism now saves you

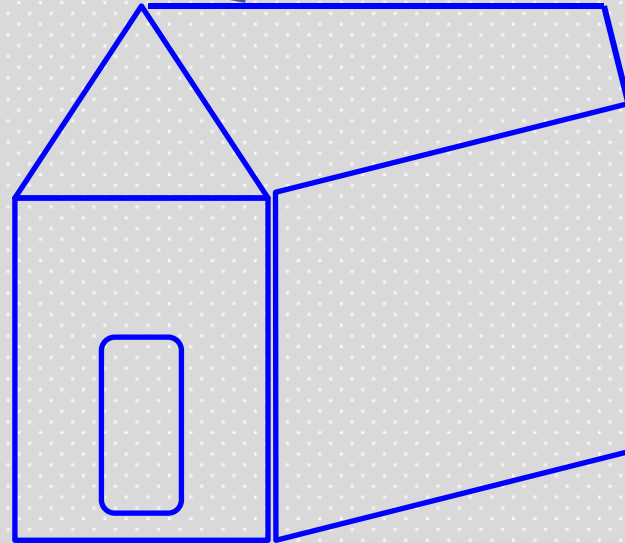
Saved by Baptism

the answer of a **GOOD CONSCIENCE** toward
God, by the resurrection of Jesus Christ:

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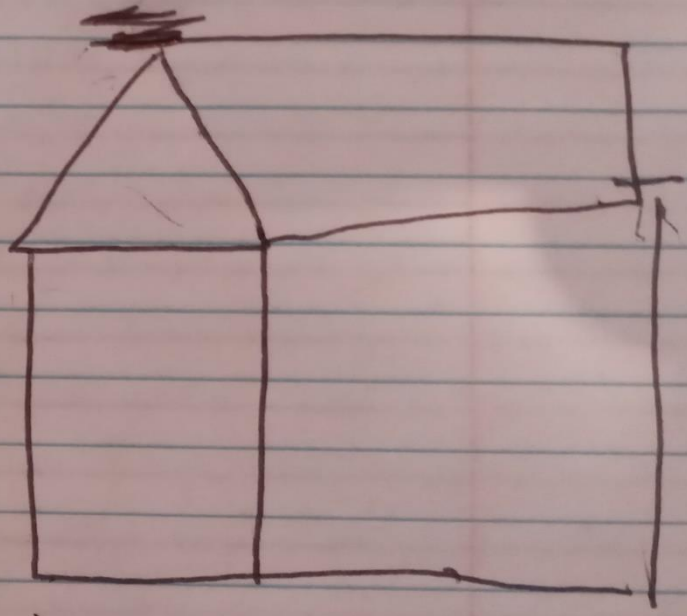


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