

The Baptisms of Jesus (Matthew 3:5-17)

I. Jesus' Baptism with _____ by _____ - v.13-17

1) John _____ - John was not _____ aware that Jesus is the _____ until after His _____ (John 1:33-34). Yet, Jesus had such a _____ that John felt the _____ of his own _____.

2) Jesus _____ - Jesus had no _____ and knew He is the _____. Yet He insisted on being baptized as:

- An _____ of _____ ministry - Yes, all people need to _____, _____ their _____, and bear _____.
- An act of _____ - Jesus lumps Himself with _____ and is baptized like us. This pictured His _____, _____ and _____.
- A means of _____ - Jesus knows it is God's will for _____ to _____ Him since it will lead to the 2 ways God _____ Christ to John.

3) The Spirit _____ - The Spirit descending served to:

- _____ to John exactly _____ the _____ is. God provided both _____ and _____ that Jesus is the _____.
- _____ Jesus' earthly _____ - Luke 4:16-21

4) The Father _____ His _____ - v.17

Both _____ and _____ called for _____ repentance and _____.

II. Jesus' Baptism of _____ with the _____ - v.11-12

1) _____ of the Spirit - I Corinthians 12:12-13

_____ believers are _____ in the Spirit. At the moment of _____ a person _____ the Body of Christ is once and for all time _____ into the Body.

2) _____ of the Spirit - I Corinthians 6:19; Romans 8:9

This is where the Holy Spirit _____ & _____ in the _____ body of _____ believers.

3) _____ of the Spirit - Eph. 5:18; Acts 2:4; 4:8, 4:31

This is where the person who is already _____ by the Spirit becomes fully _____ by the Spirit & _____ for _____. This is NOT _____, even among the _____. We are _____ to be _____.

III. Jesus' Baptism of _____ with _____ - v.11-12

v.11 - Baptism with _____ could refer to the Holy Spirit's _____ ministry. But it appears from the context that it refers to _____. So either you are baptized with the _____, OR you will be baptized with _____.