

**March 11, 2012 - Pastor Jeff Miller**

**Baptism 101 - Acts 8:25-38**

A Divine Interruption...

1. Realize that I am a **S** \_\_\_\_\_ (**Romans 3:23**)
  
2. Recognize that Jesus Christ died on the cross for my  
**S** \_\_\_\_\_ and rose from the dead to give me eternal  
**L** \_\_\_\_\_ (**1 Corinthians 15:3**)
  
3. **R** \_\_\_\_\_ from my sin (**Acts 3:19**)
  
4. Receive Jesus Christ as my **L** \_\_\_\_\_ and  
**S** \_\_\_\_\_ (**Philippians 2:11**)
  - a. Make it **P** \_\_\_\_\_ through my  
profession (**Romans 10:9-10**)
  - b. Take it **P** \_\_\_\_\_ by being baptized  
(**Matthew 28:1-2**)
  
5. Daily yield my **W** \_\_\_\_\_, allowing God to work in  
me  
and through me (**Romans 8:29**)
  - a. What is baptism?
  
  - b. Who is it for?

**Most Common Excuses for Not Getting Baptized**

1. I was baptized as a \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. I'd \_\_\_\_\_ my parents / family.
3. I need to wait until I am \_\_\_\_\_ spiritually.
4. I don't like being in front of \_\_\_\_\_ .
5. I need to \_\_\_\_\_ about it.

c. What is its purpose?

d. When should a person be baptized?