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**WHAT IS THE CORRECT MODE OF BAPTISM?
(Is it sprinkling, pouring, or immersion?)**

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY?

Jn.3:23 - ". . . much water. . . "

Acts 8:35-39 - ". . . went down into the water."

Matt. 3:16-17 - ". . . Came up out of the water."

Rom. 6:3-4 - ". . . buried with Christ in baptism."

Col. 2:12 - ". . . buried with Christ in baptism."

ONLY "IMMERSION" FITS THE DESCRIPTION GIVEN IN THE BIBLE!

ARE YOU "LOST" OR ARE YOU "SAVED"?

What does it mean to be "lost"? (Lk. 19:10; Mat. 15:24; 2Cor. 4:3; Lk. 15:21-32)

To be "lost" is to be "spiritually dead" and "separated from God" because of "sin"!

What does it mean to be "saved"? (Mk. 16:16; Lk. 19:10; Acts 2:40; Jms.1:21)

To be "saved" is to be "spiritually alive" and "reconciled to God" because of "forgiveness"!

The consequences of being "lost" are too serious to ignore!

1. "Everlasting punishment" - (Mt. 25:46)
2. "Torment" - (Lk. 16:22-26)
3. "Blackness of darkness" - (Jude 13)
4. "Weeping & gnashing of teeth" - (Matt. 24:51)

On the other hand, look at the wonderful blessings that you will receive because you are "saved".

1. "Eternal Life" - (Mt. 25:46)
2. "Glory, honor, and immortality" - (Rom. 2:7)

3. "Joy" - (Mat. 25:21)
4. "peace" - (Rom.2;10)

DO YOU NEED TO OBEY THE GOSPEL TODAY?