

## Adult Impact Questions

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If possible, read the book of I Peter 3:21 from several translations. For additional insight and study go to [www.studylight.org](http://www.studylight.org).

1. What does baptism mean?

Why does baptism not appear in the Old Testament? (Colossians 2:12-14) When was it instituted in the New Testament as an ordinance? (Matthew 28:19)

What does baptism symbolize? (Acts 22:16; Romans 6:4ff; Titus 3:5)

Who should be baptized and why? (Matthew 28:19)

2. Verse 21 says that baptism saves you not by removing physical dirt but by embodying your “pledge of a good conscience toward God”. In this pledge, baptism involves you in Jesus’ resurrection. Read Romans 6:3-7.

How does baptism identify you with Jesus’ resurrection?

How does baptism appeal to God for a good conscience?

Cite verses that speak about how a person is saved. (For example: John 3:16; 5:24; Ephesians 2:8-9; Titus 3:5)

3. How does baptism help you in your daily walk with Christ?

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