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(1 Peter 3:18-22)*

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NOT

REALLY???

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Explain Away  
God's Word

*Bible Knowledge Commentary -*

*“Baptism does not save from sin, but from a bad conscience. ... Baptism is the symbol of what has already occurred in the heart and life of one who has trusted Christ as Savior ...”*

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*Baptism also now saves us ....*

*Barnes' / Robertson Word Pictures - & others - "The saving by baptism which Peter here mentions is only symbolic"*

*The baptism here is Holy Spirit baptism  
- (Few, but some)*

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*Does Baptism save? (Got Questions .com) - "the Bible is clear that salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus Christ, not by works of any kind, including baptism" (Ephesians 2:8-9)*

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## **I Peter 3:18-22 (NKJV)**

**<sup>18</sup> For Christ also suffered once for sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive by the Spirit, <sup>19</sup> by whom also He went and preached to the spirits in prison,**

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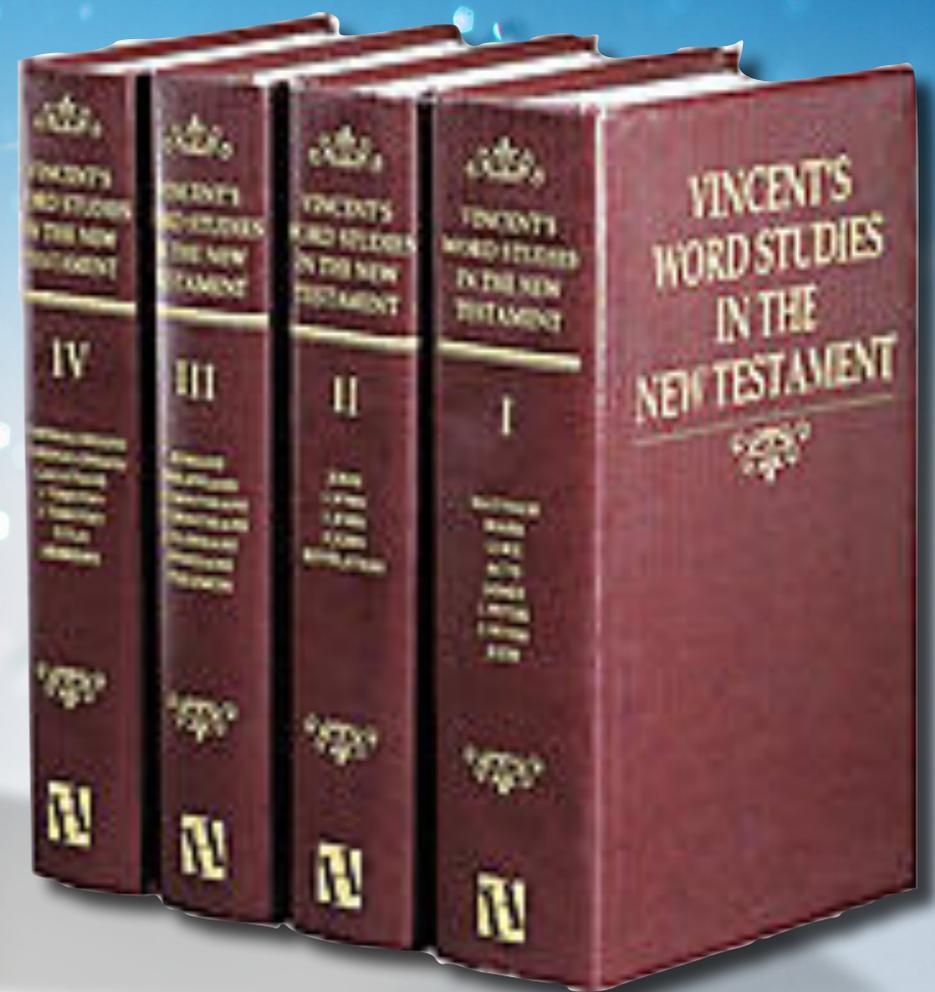
**22 who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, angels and authorities and powers having been made subject to Him.**

# Type & Antitype . . .

**Type — the prefiguring example**

**Antitype — the spiritual reality**

Ἀντίτυπον, *figure*, or antitype, is from ἀντί, *over against*, and τύπος, *a blow*. Hence, originally, *repelling a blow*: a blow against a blow; a counterblow. So of an *echo* or of the *reflection* of light; then a *correspondence*, as of a stamp to the die, as here — Vincent, M. R. (1887). *Word studies in the New Testament*. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.

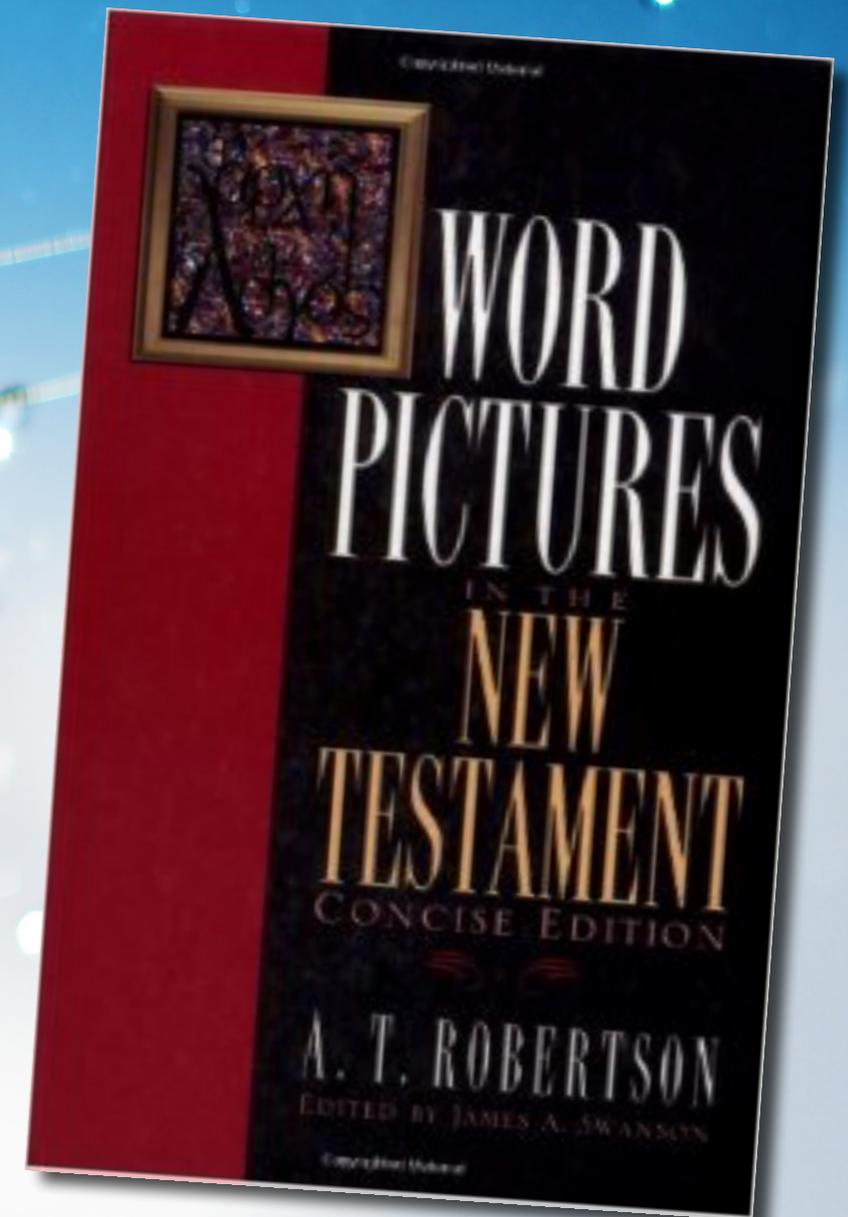


# Type & Antitype . . .

**Type — the prefiguring example**

**Antitype — the spiritual reality**

Moses was shown a *τυπος* [*tupos*] (model) of the heavenly realities and he made an *ἀντίτυπον* [*antitupon*] on that model, “answering to the type” (Dods) or model, (Heb 9:24). In 1 Peter 3:21 *ἀντίτυπος* [*antitupos*] has the converse sense, “the reality of baptism which corresponds to or is the antitype of the deluge” (Dods). — Robertson, A. T. (1933). *Word Pictures in the New Testament*. Nashville, TN: Broadman Press.



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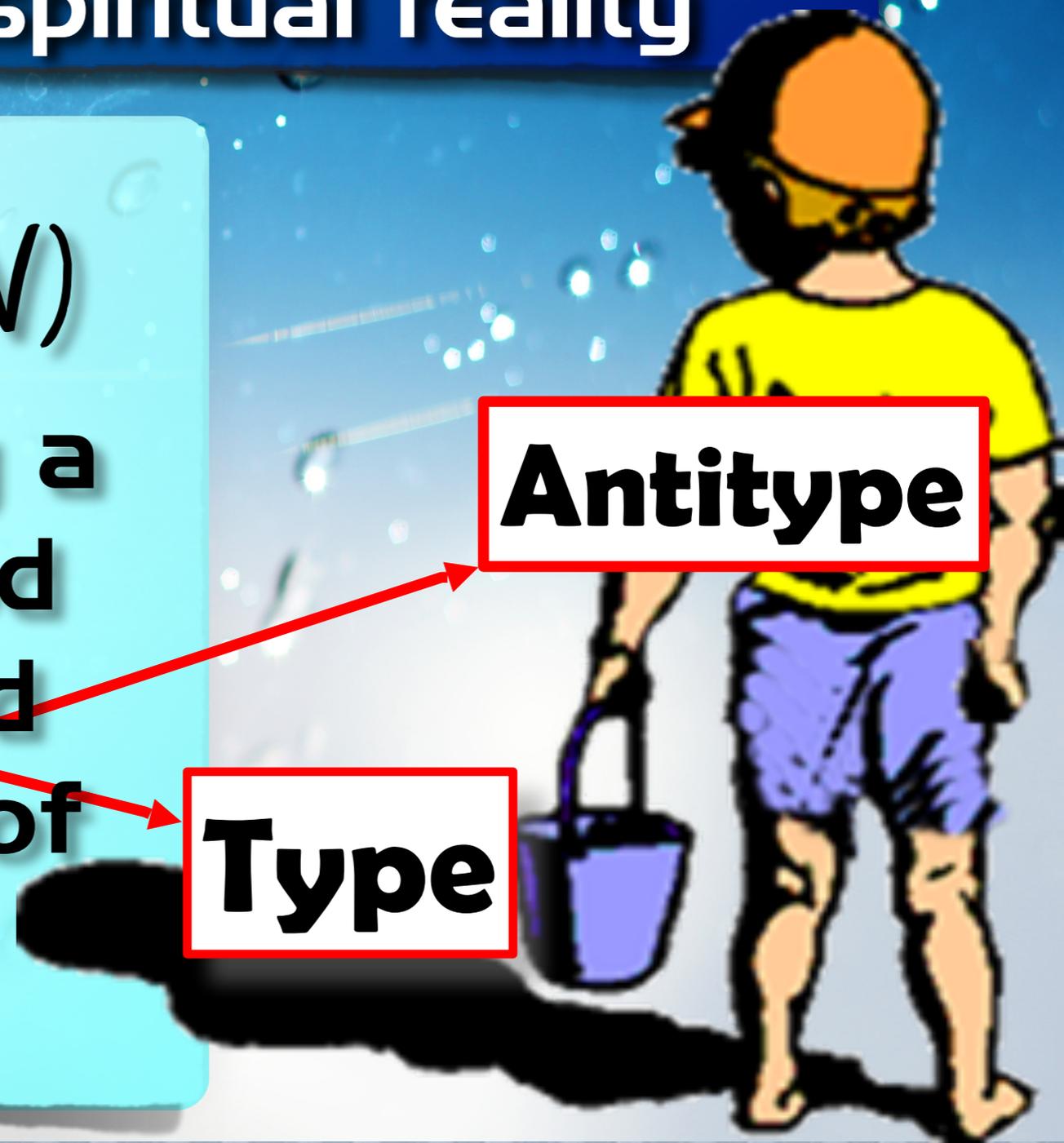
Antitype — the spiritual reality

HEBREWS 10:1 (NKJV)

For the law, having a shadow of the good things to come, and not the very image of the things, . . .

**Antitype**

**Type**



# Type & Antitype . . .

**Type** — the prefiguring example

**Antitype** — the spiritual reality

**Type** - Exodus 26

HEBREWS 8:5 (NKJV)

<sup>5</sup> who serve the copy and shadow of the heavenly things, as Moses was divinely instructed when he was about to make the tabernacle. For He said, "*See that you make all things according to the pattern shown you on the mountain.*"

**Antitype**

HEBREWS 8:2 (NKJV)

<sup>2</sup> a Minister of the sanctuary and of the true tabernacle which the Lord erected, and not man. — (cf. Heb 9:23,24)

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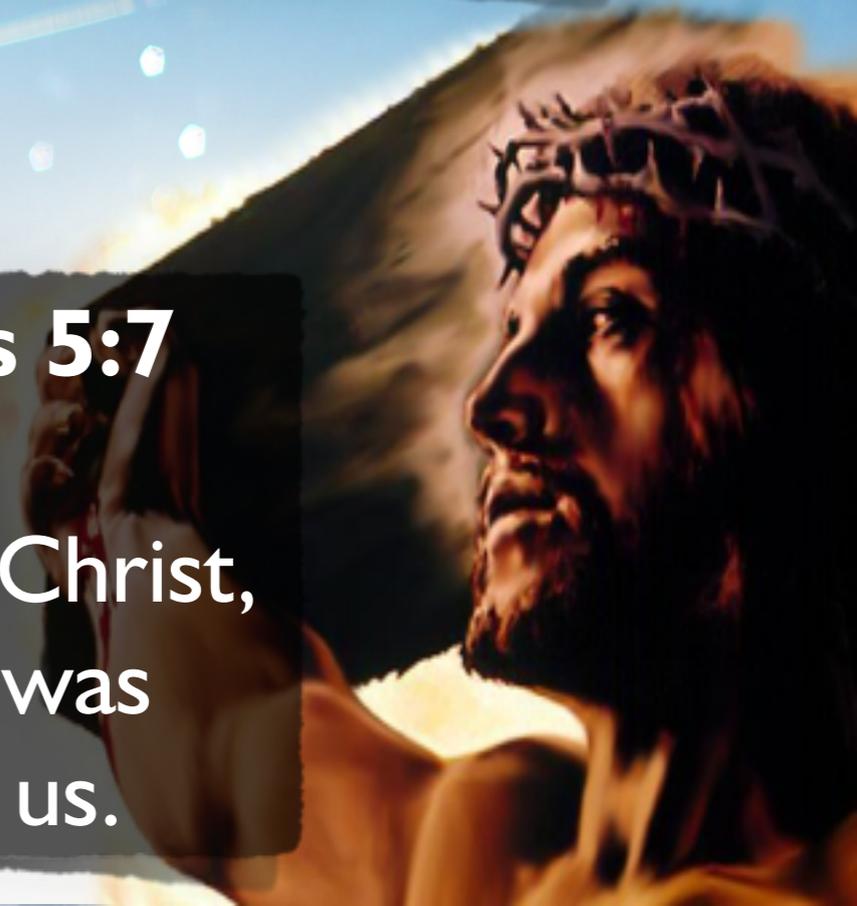
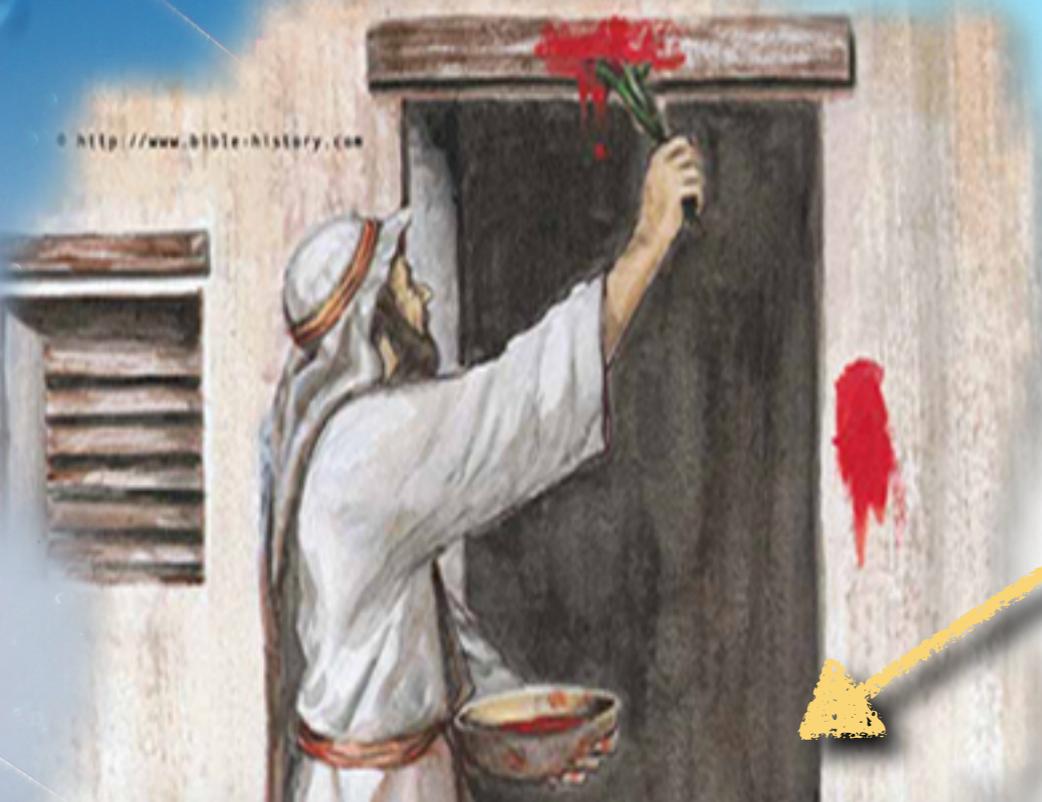
**Antitype — the spiritual reality**

**The Antitype:  
THE SACRIFICE OF JESUS**

**1 Corinthians 5:7  
(NKJV)**  
7 . . . For indeed Christ,  
our Passover, was  
sacrificed for us.

**The Type:  
THE PASSOVER LAMB.**

<http://www.bible-history.com>



# Type & Antitype . . .

**Type — the prefiguring example**

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I Corinthians 10:1-13

Type

Antitype

**Egypt**

**The world**

**Pharaoh**

**Satan**

**Moses (deliverer)**

**Jesus (deliverer)**

**Israel**

**The church**

**Moses (Law giver)**

**Jesus (Law giver)**

**Cloud & Sea**

**Baptism**

**Wilderness**

**Christian life**

**Canaan**

**Heaven**

**Delivered /  
saved**

**Separation  
From Evil**

**United w/  
Moses /  
Jesus**

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Type — the prefiguring example

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**Type**

**Hebrews 9:13 (NKJV)**

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**Antitype**

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Baptism is spoken of in the text as the antitype [Note: ἄντίτυπον.], of which Noah's flood was the type. But we apprehend the Apostle's meaning to be, that Noah's salvation in the ark was typical of our salvation under the Christian dispensation [Note: The relative ὅς cannot agree with κιβωτοῦ, which is feminine, but must agree with ὕδατος, or rather perhaps with the whole sentence; this last construction renders the sense of the passage incomparably more clear; on which account it is here preferred.]. This subject will be best understood, not by drawing the parallel between the flood and baptism, or between the ark and Christ, but by exhibiting the fact of our salvation as corresponding with that of Noah.

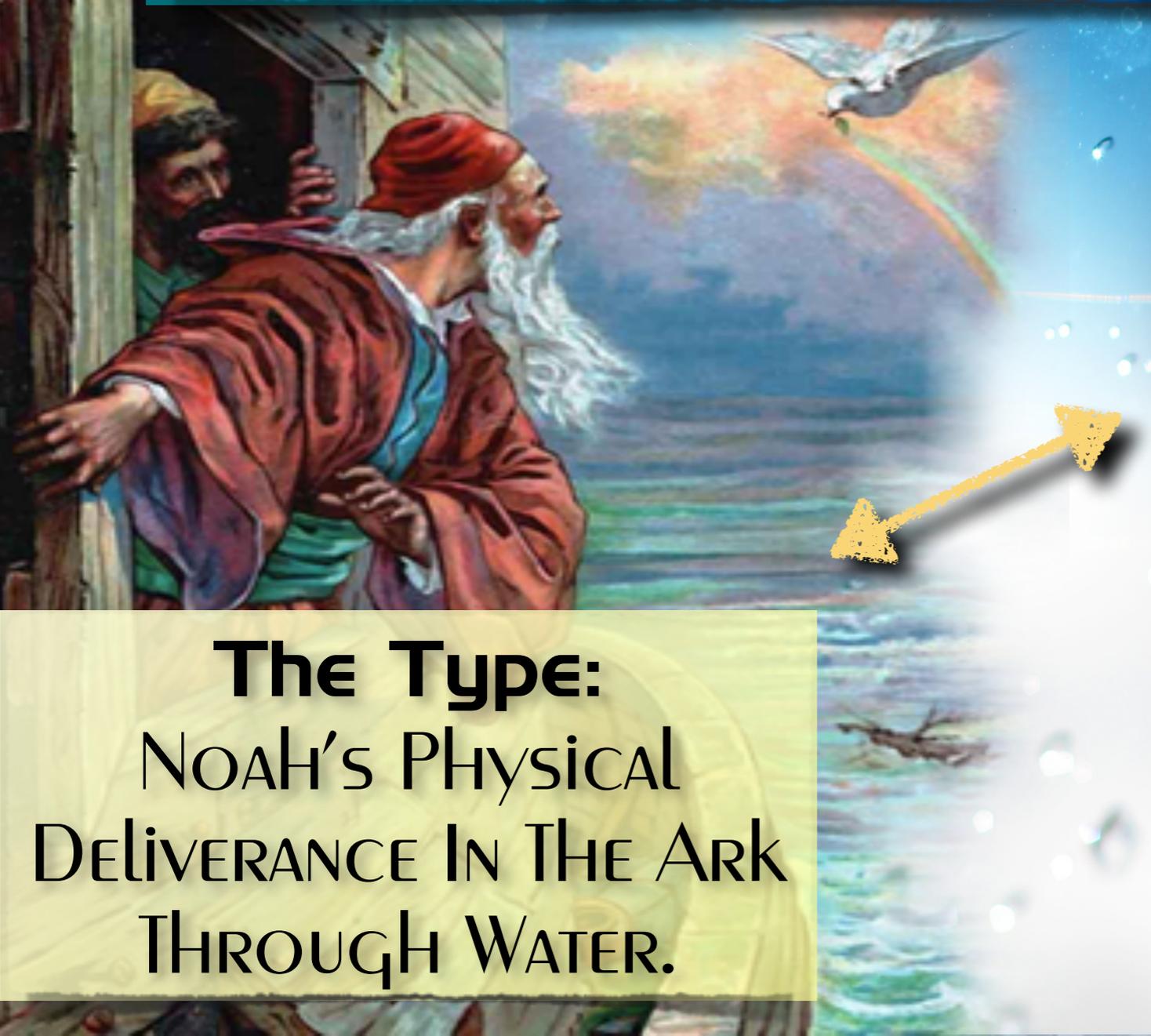
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**The Type:**  
NOAH'S PHYSICAL  
DELIVERANCE IN THE ARK  
THROUGH WATER.

**The Antitype:**  
OUR SPIRITUAL SALVATION IN  
BAPTISM THROUGH JESUS'  
RESURRECTION



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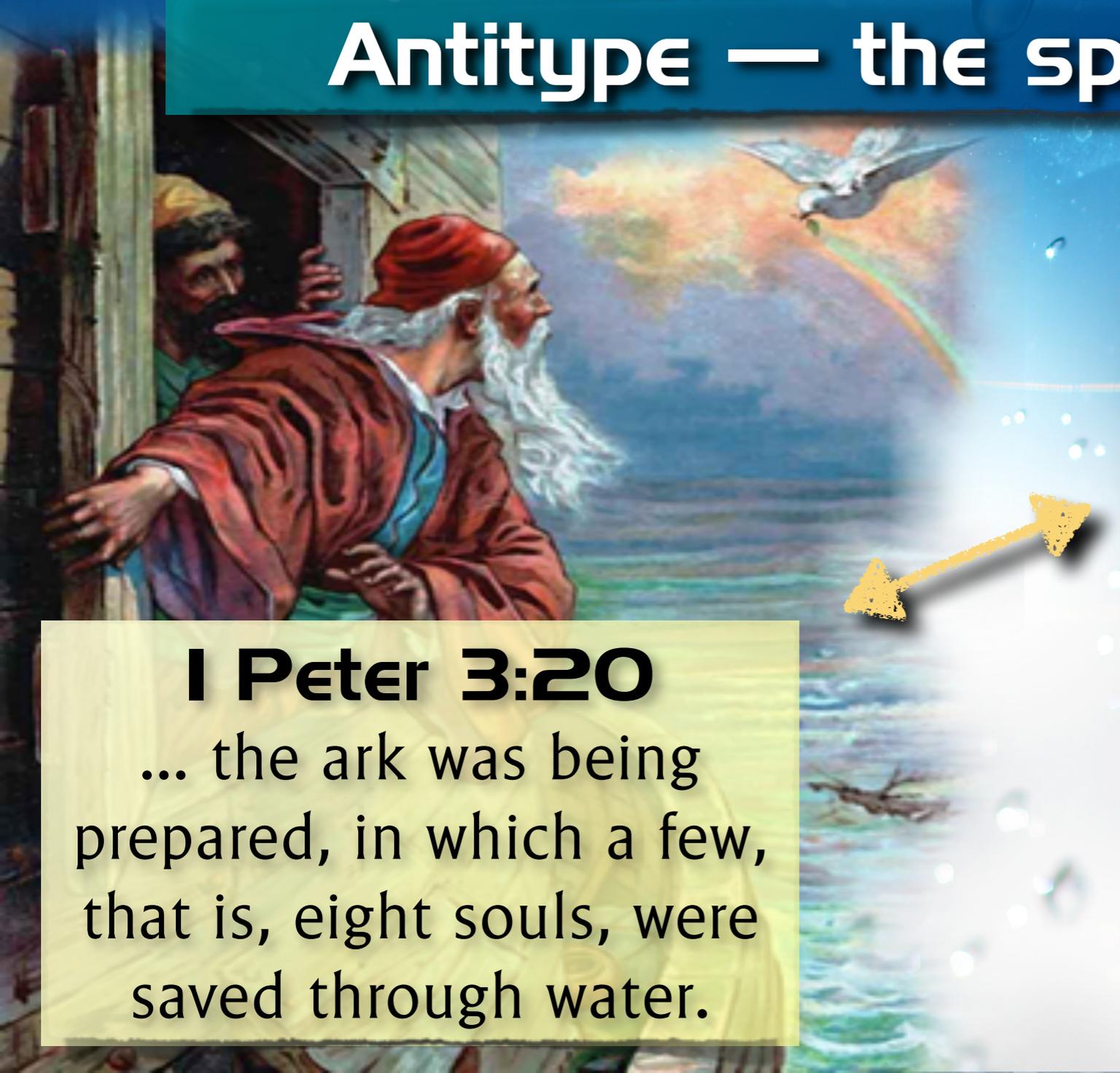
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**Our Salvation Requires**

**An Agent — God**

**An Agency — THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS**

**A Vehicle TO USE THE AGENCY — BAPTISM**

**Noah's Salvation Required**

**An Agent — God**

**An Agency — THE flood of WATER**

**A Vehicle TO USE THE AGENCY — THE ARK**



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# Saved Like

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## Noah's Salvation

## Our Salvation



**Vehicle**



-

**Agency**



**= NO DELIVERANCE**

# Saved Like

# NOAH

## Noah's Salvation

## Our Salvation



**Agency**



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**Vehicle**



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# DISOBEDIENT PERISHING

# Saved Like

# NOAH

## Noah's Salvation

## Our Salvation

**Agency**



**Vehicle**

Romans 4:24-25

I Peter 1:3

Mark 16:16

Acts 2:38

I Peter 3:21

# SAVES OBEDIENT



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## Noah's Salvation

## Our Salvation

### **1 Peter 3:20**

Noah was physically delivered from God's judgment upon a wicked world through the flood in the ark!

### **Hebrews 11:7 (NKJV)**

By faith Noah, being divinely warned of things not yet seen, moved with godly fear, prepared an ark for the saving of his household, by which he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness which is according to faith.



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### **Mark 16:16 (NKJV)**

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### **Acts 2:38-40 (NKJV)**

<sup>38</sup> Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ... <sup>40</sup> ... "Be saved from this perverse generation."



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### **Romans 6:3-5 (NKJV)**

... [4] Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. . . .



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<sup>13</sup> And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made alive together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses,



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## The Parenthetical Phrase:

(not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God),

Negatively

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Not A Ceremonial Cleansing

### Hebrews 9:9-10 (NKJV)

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**Positively** An Appeal To God For A Cleansed Conscience

“... but the answer of a good conscience toward God”

### **Hebrews 10:22 (NKJV)**

<sup>22</sup> let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.

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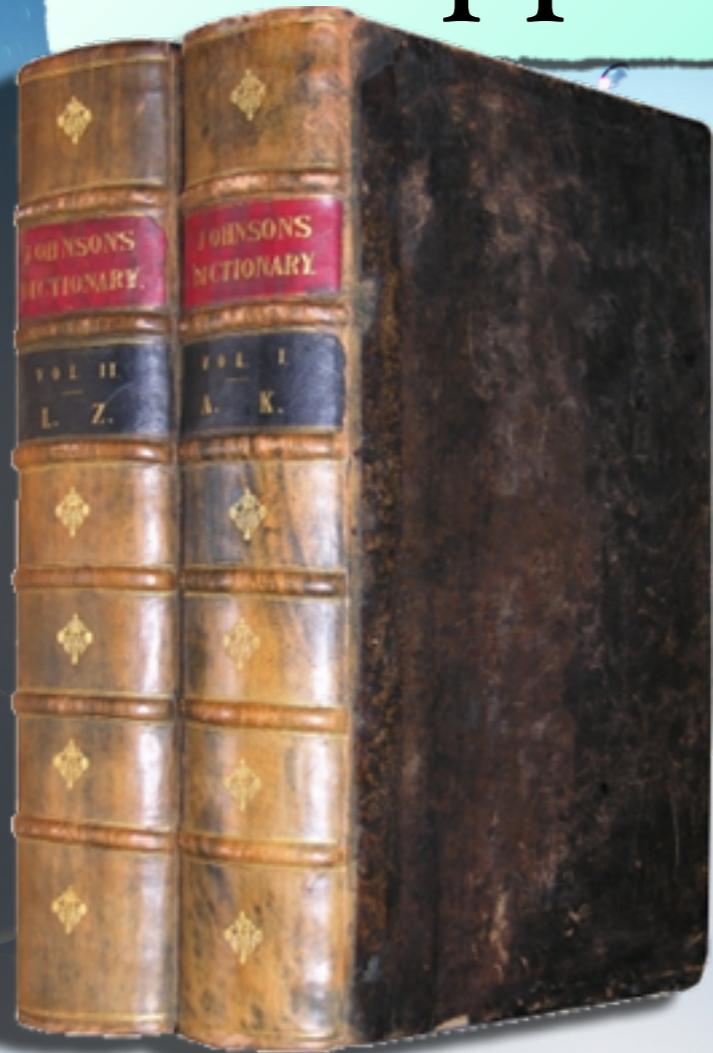
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### An Appeal To God ...

Thayer Definition: - G1906 – **epero tema**

- 1) an enquiry, a question
- 2) a demand
- 3) earnestly seeking
  - 3a) craving, an intense desire



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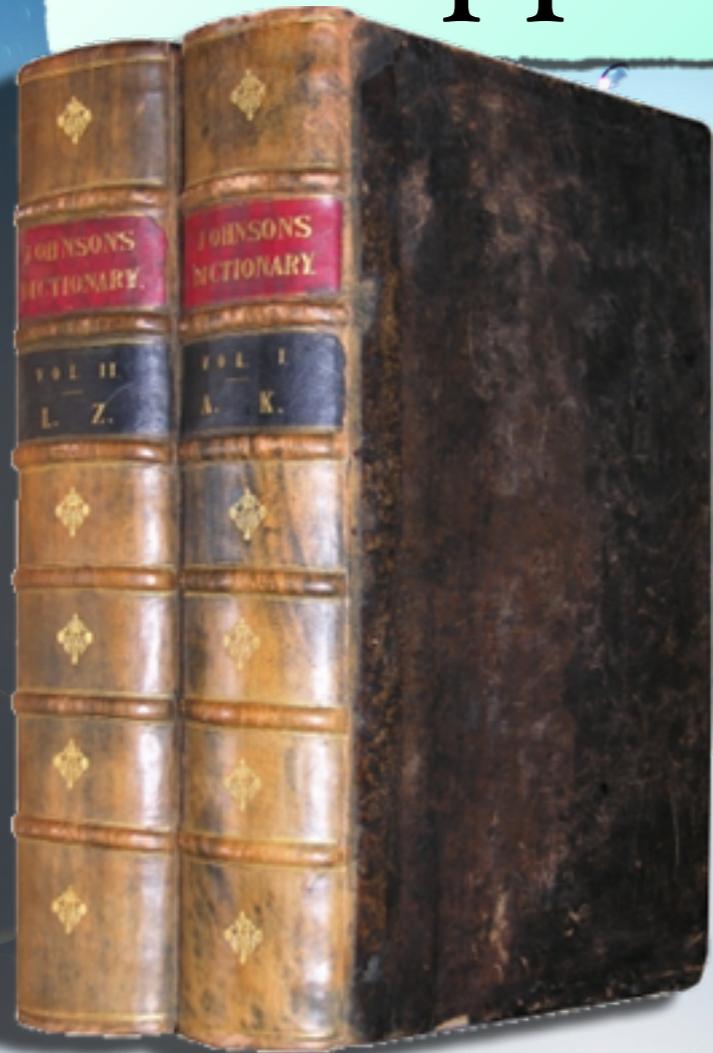
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### **Arndt & Gingrich.**

Baptism is “an appeal to God for a clear conscience” (Greek Lexicon, p. 285).

**Kittel's Theological Dictionary** (Abridged), the rendition is this: “Baptism does not confer physical cleansing but saves as a request for forgiveness . . .” (p. 262).



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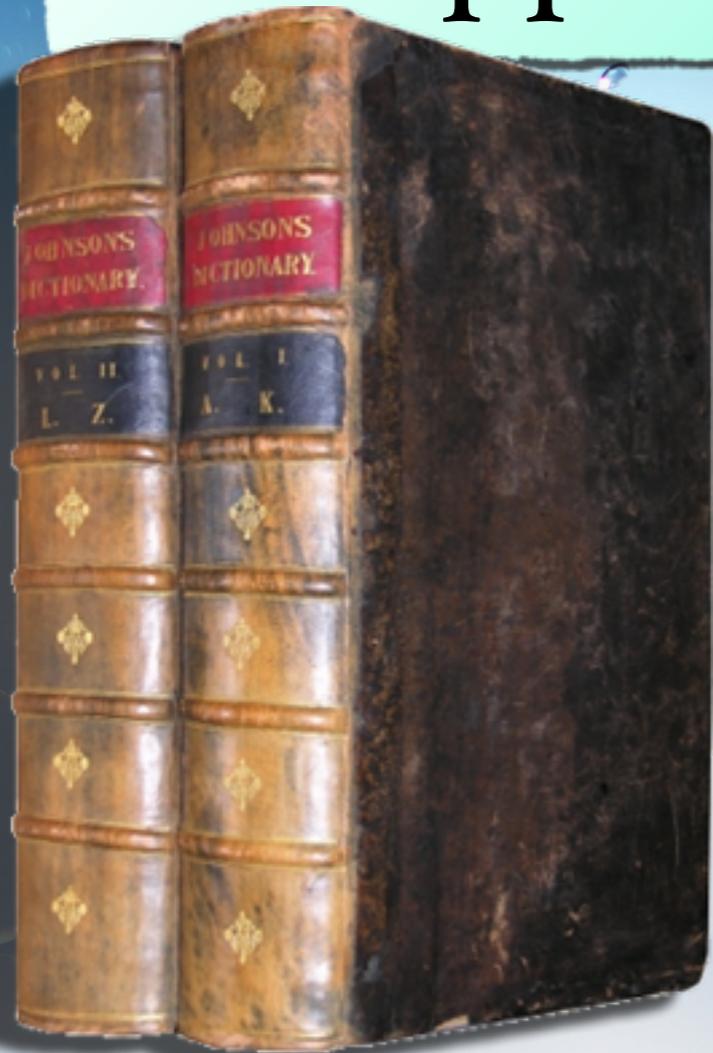
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### An Appeal To God ...

#### **Johnson, Barton W.**

... "Inquiry" would be still better. The soul seeking the forgiveness of sins "inquires" What shall I do to remove the sense of unforgiven sins and make my conscience void of offense? The answer is "Repent and be baptized," etc. See Acts 2:38. He who obeys the word of the Lord has the "inquiry" answered in baptism.

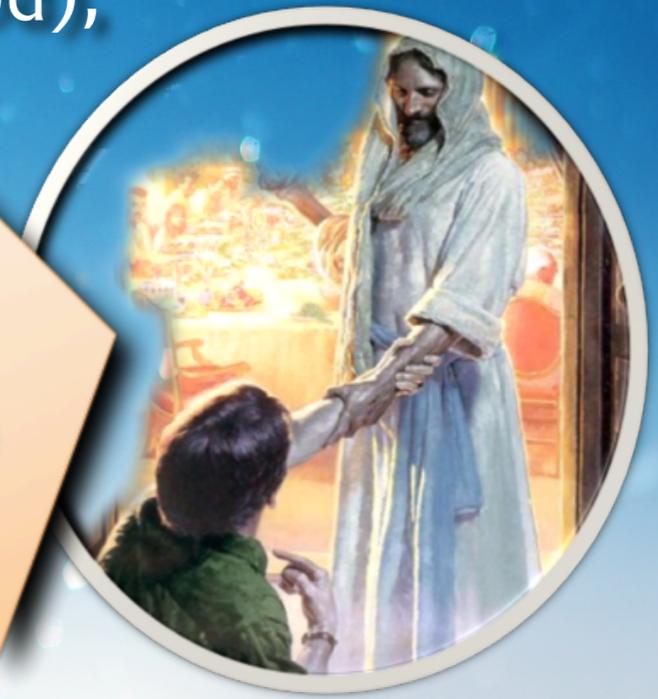


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That whoever calls  
on the name of the  
Lord Shall be saved."



**Hebrews 10:22**

**Acts 2:21-38**

**Rom 10:13-16**

**Acts 22:16**

# SAVED LIKE

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## Noah's Salvation

By Grace - Gen. 6:8

By Faith - Heb. 11:7

By Obedience - Gen 6:22

By Vehicle - Heb. 11:7

By the Water of the flood - 1 Pet. 3:20

## Our Salvation

By Grace - Eph. 2:8

By Faith - Acts 16:31

By Obedience - Heb. 5:9; Rom 6:16-18

By Vehicle - Heb. 5:9; Tit. 3:5

By Jesus' resurrection - 1 Pet. 3:21

# SAVED LIKE NOAH

## “Baptism Also Now Saves Us”

- ✦ SAVED (Mk 16:16; 1 PET 3:21)
- ✦ SINS REMITTED (ACTS 2:38).
- ✦ SINS WASHED AWAY (ACTS 22:16)
- ✦ CONTACT THE DEATH OF CHRIST (ROM 6:3).
- ✦ UNITED IN CHRIST'S RESURRECTION (ROM 6:4-6)
- ✦ FORM OF DOCTRINE (ROM 6:16,17)
- ✦ IN CHRIST (GAL 3:27).
- ✦ FAITH IN THE WORKING OF GOD (Col 2:11-13).
- ✦ BORN AGAIN (JOHN 3:5).
- ✦ REGENERATED (Tit 3:5).
- ✦ CLEANSED CONSCIENCE - (HEB 10:22; 1 PET 3:21)



**SAVED LIKE NOAH**

**What Is The  
Condition of  
One Who Has  
NOT BEEN  
Baptized Into  
Jesus Christ?**



# Will You Perish

## DISOBEDIENT?

<sup>20</sup> who formerly were disobedient, when once the Divine longsuffering waited in the days of Noah,

Genesis 7:23 (NKJV)

So He destroyed all living things which were on the face of the ground: both man and cattle, creeping thing and bird of the air. They were destroyed from the earth. Only Noah and those who were with him in the ark remained alive.

# Saved Like

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Jesus Died To Provide  
Our Salvation & was  
raised so we could be  
saved - Acts 20:28

Will you accept the the  
AGENCY & VEHICLE  
God has provided for  
your salvation? - John  
14:6; Eph. 3:21; 1 Pet  
3:20,21

Judgment is coming -  
2 Cor. 5:10; 2 Thes 1:7-9

Romans 4:24-25  
1 Peter 1:3

Mark 16:16  
Acts 2:38  
1 Peter 3:21





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# HEBREWS 9:6-15 (NKJV)

- <sup>6</sup> Now when these things had been thus prepared, the priests always went into the first part of the tabernacle, performing the services.
- <sup>7</sup> But into the second part the high priest went alone once a year, not without blood, which he offered for himself and for the people's sins committed in ignorance;

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<sup>8</sup> the Holy Spirit indicating this, that the way into the Holiest of All was not yet made manifest while the first tabernacle was still standing. <sup>9</sup> It was symbolic for the present time in which both gifts and sacrifices are offered which cannot make him who performed the service perfect in regard to the conscience—

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<sup>10</sup> concerned only with foods and drinks, various washings, and fleshly ordinances imposed until the time of reformation. <sup>11</sup> But Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation.

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<sup>14</sup> how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God? <sup>15</sup> And for this reason He is the Mediator of the new covenant, by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions under the first covenant, that those who are called may receive the promise of the eternal inheritance.

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