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Personal Testimony

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Before I came to understand baptism and other lessons from our discipleship series, I used to believe that works would take me to Heaven, only to realize that I was wrong. In baptism, we were taught that baptism is a symbol of the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Baptism is not for infants. Jesus was our example of being baptized, and God was the one Who commanded us to be baptized.

Salvation: When we sin or trespass, we are spiritually dead, but the Scriptures overwhelmingly teach that when you recognize you have sinned, you first must believe that Christ can forgive you and then repent and He will save you. I myself came to realize when Pastor Brandon taught that our works, like baptism, cannot get us to Heaven but by believing in Jesus Christ ONLY as our way to Heaven.

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