

LISTENING GUIDE

Matthew 3:13-17

1. Are there any _____ ends in regard to my standing with God?
2. In Jesus' baptism we see _____ righteousness _____: no loose ends _____ untied.
3. To enjoy God's _____ and eternal _____ we must fulfill all _____.
4. Jesus humbled himself to be baptized to....
 - 1) _____ our human condition.
 - 2) Take upon himself our _____.
5. Jesus fulfilled all righteousness so I have total _____ of where I stand with God.
6. Baptism remains a ceremonial washing given incredible _____ by God's _____.
7. The _____ of my baptism:
 - 1) God has sent me the _____ _____.
 - 2) I am God's own dearly _____ _____.

NEXT STEPS

QUESTIONS ARE PROVIDED FOR PERSONAL STUDY AND APPLICATION TO TAKE THIS MESSAGE DEEPER INTO YOUR LIFE.

This week's message took the opportunity to remember what God has done for us in our own baptisms. The following sections of scripture also talk about Baptism and the blessings it brings to us.

Read the listed verses.

What points from this week's message are reinforced?

What additional encouragements and insights do you gain as you reflect on the promises God has given you in baptism?

1. Galatians 3:26-29

2. Titus 3:4-7

**Can you think of anyone you know who has not been baptized?
How could you plan to tell them the joys and comforts of baptism?**

