

- Matt 3:11 And in those days Yoḥanan the Immerser came proclaiming in the wilderness of Yehuḏah,²and saying, "Repent, for the reign of the heavens has come near!"³For this is he who was spoken of by the prophet Yeshayahu, saying, "A voice of one crying in the wilderness, 'Prepare the way of יהוה', make His paths straight.' "
- Mk 1:11 The beginning of the Good News of יהושע Messiah, the Son of Elohim.²As it has been written in the Prophets, "See, I send My messenger before Your face, who shall prepare Your way before You,³a voice of one crying in the wilderness, 'Prepare the way of יהוה', make His paths straight.' "⁴Yoḥanan came immersing in the wilderness and proclaiming an immersion of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. "Kingdom Of God"
- Luke 3b the word of Elohim came to Yoḥanan the son of Zeḱaryah in the wilderness.³And he went into all the neighbourhood of the Yardēn, proclaiming an immersion of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, "Kingdom of God"
- John 1:29 On the next day Yoḥanan saw יהושע coming toward him, and said, "See, the Lamb of Elohim who takes away the sin of the world! "Kingdom Of God" 2x Nicodemus

3 Mikva...Baptism: Does Not Remove Sin!

- Fulfill all righteousness... Messiah is the Torah, Solomon's Kingdom (There Is More!).
- 3 Gospels... baptise & repent, John "Lamb that takes away sin, world"
- John Says two Things...
 - Baptise & Repent...
 - Kingdom of Heaven is at hand...(About To Start). "King Is Anointed"
 - Why Baptise / Mikva and Repent...?
- Water...Does Not Remove Sin!Blood Does!!!!...Atones for us.

4 Water: Purifies-Uncleaness...Approach El

- Note: Difference Pre-Post Resurrection...

- Water: identification with the Death of Messiah, Symbol that we have died to sin, Sin is forgiven.
- Romans 6:1What, then, shall we say? Shall we continue in sin, to let favour increase?2Let it not be! How shall we who died to sin still live in it?3Or do you not know that as many of us as were immersed into Messiah יהושע were immersed into His death?4We were therefore buried with Him through immersion into death, that as Messiah was raised from the dead by the esteem of the Father, so also we should walk in newness of life.
- Acts19:2 2he said to them, "Did you receive the Set-apart Spirit when you believed?" And they said to him, "No, we have not even heard that there is a Set-apart Spirit."3And he said to them, "Into what then were you immersed?" And they said, "Into Yohanan's immersion."4And Sha'ul said, "Yohanan indeed immersed with an immersion of repentance, saying to the people that they should believe in the One who is coming after him, that is, in Messiah 5"יהושעAnd when they heard this, they were immersed into the Name of the Master יהושע.... Baptism to repentance....?????

5 Purification Ceremonies...Water

- Washing to prepare to meet El...ex 19:1010And יהוה said to Mosheh, "Go to the people and set them apart today and tomorrow. And they shall wash their garments,11and shall be prepared by the third day. For on the third day יהוה shall come down upon Mount Sinai before the eyes of all the people.
- Washing For Zerot "Leprosy"-Unclean Inner Spiritual condition...Lev 14:1-9
- Washing for Bodily fluids, Menstruation...Lev 15:1-33
- Washing For touching death animal & Human...Lev 11:24-40 - Numb 19:1-22
- Washing After war Num 31:19-24
- Washing for Atonement Lev 16:4, 23-28 !!!!!!!!

6 Atonement...Forgiveness Of Sin

- (People) Lev 14:8 "And he who is to be cleansed shall wash his garments, and shall shave off all his hair and wash himself in water, and shall be clean. Then after that he comes into the camp, but shall stay outside his tent seven days....1111And the priest who is cleansing shall present the man who is to be cleansed, with these offerings, before יהוה, at the door of the Tent of Appointment.12"And the priest shall take one male lamb and bring it as a guilt offering, and the log of oil, and wave them as a wave offering before יהוה.13"And he shall slay the lamb in the place where he slays the sin offering and the ascending offering, in a set-apart place. For the guilt offering, like the sin offering, belongs to the priest. It is most set-apart.
- (Priest) Lev 16:4 "He should put on the set-apart linen long shirt, with linen trousers on his flesh, and gird himself with a linen girdle, and be dressed with the linen turban – they are set-apart garments. And he shall bathe his body in water, and shall put them on.

7 Washing Before Approaching El "Temple"

- Mishnah Yoma 3:3 — describes the High Priest immersing before performing the Day of Atonement service. Yoma 3:3–4 and subsequent passages describe repeated immersions associated with changes of garments during the Temple ritual.
- Mishnah Yoma 3:3: the principle is given that on that day the High Priest performed five immersions and ten sanctifications.
- Mishnah Parah 3:7 — discusses ritual immersion connected with the preparation of the red-heifer purification procedure.
- Mishnah Middot 1:9 — mentions a place of immersion (beit ha-tevilah) associated with the Temple complex.
- Mishnah Tamid 1:2 — a priest who experienced a seminal emission went down and immersed, with an underground passage leading to the place of immersion.
- Mishnah Kelim 1:6–9 — lays out increasing degrees of holiness, culminating in the Temple precincts, and specifies who may enter particular areas according to their state of purity.
- Essenes...(Jewish War 2.129–131) Mikva Before Communal Meal
- Ritual Purity...Water before entering Temple for Sacrifice

8

9 Context: Ritually Pure Before The Sacrifice

- Water: Ritually pure...to approach Elohim...Bring a Sacrifice

- Repentance: Needed to offer the sacrifice on one's behalf, once ritually pure
- The Priest Offering the Atonement...Ritually Pure...water
- "Behold the Lamb of El", Not the Passover Lamb, Offering of atonement...Covers, Forgives sin for the world.
- Water did not forgive sin, Purified the worshipper to approach and believe the Lamb that is the Sacrifice
- The worshipper had to Repent and offer Blood "Lamb" to be atoned For!.... Pre-Crucifixion!!!
- Post: Enter Mikva, to die as the Lamb died, and Rise anew!

10 Morning & Evening Oblation...Atonement!

- Morning: 9AM.....Evening 3PM... Atonement
- .Morning/evening continual (Ascending) offering עֹלָה — 'olah Burnt offering; continual worship/atonement before God. (Everyone who Approached)
- .Sin offering חַטָּאת — ḥaṭṭat Specifically addresses sin/impurity-Individual
- .Guilt offering אֲשָׁם — 'asham Addresses particular offenses/liability-Individual
- Lev 14:1111And the priest who is cleansing (already been Bathed-water) shall present the man who is to be cleansed (Water), with these offerings, before יהוה, at the door of the Tent of Appointment.12"And the priest shall take one male lamb and bring it as a guilt offering, (Asham) and the log of oil, and wave them as a wave offering before יהוה.13"And he shall slay the lamb in the place where he slays the sin offering (Hattat) and the ascending offering (Olah), in a set-apart place. For the guilt offering, like the sin offering, belongs to the priest. It is most set-apart.

11 Yeshua= Morning & Evening Oblation

- Matt 27:45And from the sixth hour (9 AM...Morning Oblation..Atonement for the Nation...Messiah Nailed to the Cross) there was darkness over all the land, until the ninth hour (Evening Oblation.Atonement for the Nation-Messiah's Death) ...46And about the ninth hour יהושע cried out with a loud voice, saying, "Ĕli, Ĕli, lemah shebaqtani?" that is, "My Ĕl, My Ĕl, why have You forsaken Me?"
- Luke 23:44And it was now about the sixth hour,(Atonement) and darkness came over all the land, until the ninth hour (Atonement).45And the sun was darkened, and the veil of the Dwelling Place was torn in two.46And crying out with a loud voice, יהושע said, "Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit."(Lamb of Atonement Dies) And having said this, He breathed His last.

12 Matthew

Study #7

Baptism Unto Repentance

Ch3:1-16