Command 1: Get Baptized in Jesus Name



Look Back:

<u>Loving Accountability.</u> Ask everyone individually if they prayed, shared, and trained as God led them.

Vision Casting. Review Mt. 28.18-20.

Look Up:

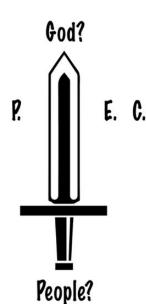
New Lesson. Study Matthew 3.13-17 using the SWORD Method:

- Blade points to heaven: What does this passage teach you about God?
- Handle is held by people: What does this passage teach you about people?
- Left Hilt:
 - o S-Is there Sin to avoid?
 - o P-Is there a Promise to claim?
- Right Hilt:
 - o E-Is there an Example to follow?
 - o C-Is there a Command to obey?



Practice.

- Practice your testimony in front of a group at your baptism or other group event.
- Practice baptizing each other. Say, "I baptize you in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit," and practice immersing them in imaginary water.



Goal Setting and Prayer. Pray and ask God how to respond:

- Following: If you have not been baptized of your own will after your decision to trust Jesus as Lord, set a time and place for your baptism. Invite your friends.
- Fishing: Pray and ask God who to share your testimony with. A good goal is to share five times per week.
 - Write down your following and fishing goals and share them with your church.