

# WHY 1 CORINTHIANS 12:13 IS WATER BAPTISM

- “BY THE SPIRIT” BECAUSE WATER BAPTISM IS “IN THE NAME” OF THE SPIRIT  
(MATT. 28:19; 1 COR. 6:11)
- IT PLACES ONE INTO CHRIST/BODY/KINGDOM  
(1 COR. 12:12, note: *CHRIST*; GAL. 3:26-28; JN. 3:5)
- BREAKS DOWN SOCIAL STANDINGS (GAL. 3:27, 28)
- THE CORINTHIANS WERE BAPTIZED IN WATER AFTER FAITH WAS ESTABLISHED  
(ACTS 18:8; cf. MK. 16:16; ACTS 8:12, 13)

# ***THE SPIRIT'S ENDORSEMENT OF WATER BAPTISM***

**MATTHEW 28:19**

"Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the **Father** and of the **Son** and of the **Holy Spirit**"



**JOHN 15:26**



**JOHN 16:13**



**JN. 3:5**

**1 COR. 12:13**

**1 COR. 6:11**

# ***SPIRIT BAPTISM AND WATER BAPTISM—NOT THE SAME!***

- SOME WERE BAPTIZED IN WATER WITHOUT EVER BEING BAPTIZED IN THE SPIRIT  
(ACTS 8:14-18)
- SOME WERE SPIRIT BAPTIZED BEFORE THEY WERE BAPTIZED IN WATER  
(ACTS 10:47, 48)