

Jordan River baptism
Expressing Personal Faith
(Acts 8:36-37) NKJV

~ INTRO ~

OK... THERE ARE TWO PRIMARY SITES...

- That we visit for Jordan River baptisms:
 - 1) Calvary Chapel site @ Yardenit.
 - Cleaner water, better facilities, & fish.
 - 2) Authentic site @ Qsar el-Yahud – (Castle of the Jews).
 - Smaller baptismal site / muddier water...
 - (Authentic).

~ LESSONS IN FAITH ~

FIRST...

- Remember that water baptism is an ordinance Jesus established...
 - For the Church in the Great Commission (Matt. 28:18-20) NLT

SO...

- Who should be baptized? ALL born-again believers...
 - And ONLY born-again believers (Acts 8:12) NLT

HOWEVER...

- There is one and only one prerequisite for water baptism:
 - *“If you believe with all your heart, you may.”*
 - (Acts 8:36-37) NKJV

BAPTISM...

- Is an act of obedience to the Lord and practically...
 - It gives the believer a strong sense of belonging.

~ THE MISSION ~

(Mark 16:15-16a) NLT...

*“Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone.
Anyone who believes and is baptized will be saved...”*