

I. To enter the Kingdom of God, one must be born again

A. One must be born of water

Mark 1:4; Acts 2:37-38;
John 2:6-12; 3:5; 4:9-10

B. One must be born of the Spirit

Luke 11:9-13; Eph 1:13-14;
Eph 5:18; Gal 5:22-23;
1 Cor. 12-14

II. We are born again when we believe "into"

A. Believing "into" isn't just mental agreement

John 3:16; James 2:17,19
Matt 3:8; 7:22-23

B. We must believe "into" the Son of Man (Jesus)

John 3:14; Num 21:8-9;
Matt 1:24-25; Rom 5:19;
Rom 6:23a

III. The Father sent the Son into the world

A. The Son didn't come to judge (this time)

John 3:17-18;
Luke 4:18-19; Rev 20:11-15

B. The Son came to save

Mark 10:45; Gen 1:3; 3:7;
John 1:4-5; II Cor 4:4;
Rev 22:3-5

Nicodemus John 3	Samaritan Woman John 4
Man	Woman
Pharisee-Ruler of Jews	Samaritan
Morally Right	Morally despised
Came at night	Broad daylight
Image conscious	Image is shot