

a Jew had never been baptized - John
excommunicated entire nation - proselyte -
- why was Jesus baptized by John in Jordan -
Didn't walk 65 miles just to show us how
to be immersed.

1- Identification w/ Sinners = a baptism
of repentance vs 38 - Sm of Adam

Husbands whose wife unfaithful - "Since you &
& I have done this..."
- Heaven's opened - to X & no Tom X

2- Dedication - Inauguration = beginning of
public ministry -

Equipment = Spirit of D came upon Him
X conceived by, full of Holy Spirit - sent here
in answer for service (humanity)

Dove = symbol of purity & innocence -
most sensitive of birds - His ministry was
over.

Like a dove - So John could see it

3- Dedication - Illumination - the voice
from Heaven -

Two texts = my Sm = Psa 2 = assurance that
this is the messiah, O's 1 King

"well-pleased" - Isa 42:1 culminates in
suffering of Isa 53 - Being King did not
involve power & glory but a Cross -

"well-pleased" & The Cross -

Bible speaks of his best death as a baptism -

John 1:29 - singled out as Lamb of D -
our baptism: order, Dedication