

A question on

# Baptism

## BACKGROUND:

One of the criminals who were hanged there was hurling abuse at Him, saying, *“Are You not the Christ? Save Yourself and us!”* But the other responded, and rebuking him, said, *“Do you not even fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed are suffering justly, for we are receiving what we deserve for our crimes; but this man has done nothing wrong.”* And he was saying, *“Jesus, remember me when You come into Your kingdom!”* And He said to him, *“Truly I say to you, today you will be with Me in Paradise.”* - Luke 23: 39-43 NIV

## QUESTION:

When Jesus said, *“Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise.”*, was that criminal (that will be with Jesus in Paradise), baptized by

- (A) water or by (B) The Holy Spirit?