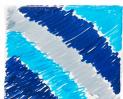
ACTS 2:38

BAPTISM COASTERS CREATIONS CRAFT CLASS

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What's in your packet?

Lesson pages for teacher use.......pages 1-8 Acts 2:38 tutorial.....pages 9-14



Class Name:

ACTS 2:38

In today's lesson, we are going to be talking about something extremely important to every Christian believer. Brother Branham teaches us there are three physical orders or ordinances left to the church, and these are things every Christian is to do, but there are certain steps that have to happen first. Let's listen closely to find out what those three physical orders are.

PLAY QUOTE

Ouote One:

17 Now, we only have three physical Divine orders left to us: one of them is—is communion; feet-washing; water baptism. That's the only three things. That's the perfection, of the three, see. And that's the only three orders we have. We realize that that was the issue given by Saint Paul in the New Testament.

65-1212 "Communion"

Who heard what those three are?

Answers:

-Water Baptism

-Communion

-Feet Washing

Great job! Today, as we do our project, we are going to talk about a step that can help us when we give our hearts to the Lord Jesus -- water baptism, one of the physical orders that Brother Branham just told us about. This step is important because we have to be baptized before we can have a part in Communion and feet washing.

TILE #1 - "Revelation by Predestination"

Now, as we color our first tile, let's start at the very beginning. Who can raise their hand and say they are 'One of Them'? Do you know when you became 'One of Them'? Before the foundation of the world! Because of a big word called predestination, before God even made this earth we live on, He already knew we were 'One Of Them'. He knew we would give our hearts to Him, and He knew we would believe His prophet for our day. Who is our prophet? Brother Branham. We know who His prophet is because of another big word called revelation. It is revealed to us who Brother Branham is, and it is revealed to us who we are too. God foreknew we would accept the Lord Jesus and believe His prophet. By predestination God made a way for us to hear His prophet so it could be revealed to us by revelation to know what steps we must take to serve the Lord. Who does the

Word of the Lord come to? The prophet! Not everyone was predestinated to hear the prophet. They can hear him, but it won't be revealed to them, unless they are 'One of Them'. The Word from the prophet is for a special group of people. Aren't you glad to be 'One of Them'; who has "revelation by predestination"? Yes, we are predestinated to believe the Message for our day!

(Color Tile #1)

TILE #2 -"If you keep it, you lose it..."

Let's turn in our Bibles to Matthew 16:25. For our second tile, let's talk about something very valuable. It's more valuable than a big expensive house, a nice brand new car, a super cool bike, or a beautiful doll house. It's your soul. Your soul is who you are. It's in your body right now. When you die, it's your soul that leaves this earth and goes to another place. This body is what stays here in the ground. For our next quote, Brother Branham is going to read our Scripture, and he is going to ask you to quote it with him. Make sure you do this, as you need to take this to heart. It's very important, he is talking about your soul.

PLAY QUOTE



OuoteTwo

64 I tell you, children, we just read a verse. Would you all like to quote it with me? Would you all like to guote this verse with me? Now, it's found in Saint Matthew, the 16th chapter and the 25th verse, what we're going to talk about. Now these little...Every little boy and girl, this morning, quote this with me now. Say, "Saint Matthew," [Boys and girls say, "Saint Matthew,"—Ed.] "the 16th chapter," ["the 16th chapter,"] "the 25th verse." ["the 25th verse."] Now you quote with me. "For whosoever shall save his life" ["For whosoever shall save his life"] "shall lose it;" ["shall lose it;"] "and whosoever will lose his life for My sake shall save it." ["and whosoever will lose his life for My sake shall save it."] Shall save it! Yeah, let's say it again. "Whosoever" ["Whosoever"] "shall lose his life" ["shall lose his life"] "for My sake" ["for My sake"] "shall save it." ["shall save it."] Wonderful! 65 Now, boys and airls, you know what? There's a lot of things in the world that's real valuable. And one of those things is, you have it with you today, it's the soul that's inside of that body. And that's the most valuable thing in the world, to you. Is that right, mother? Say, "Amen." [The mothers says, "Amen."—Ed.] The most valuable thing that you got is your soul. And now if you keep your soul, then you're going to lose it. And if you lose your soul, then you're going to save it; if you lose your soul to Jesus, see. In other words, if you believe on Jesus, you become His disciple. And then if you give your life to Jesus when you're young like this, and then you're going to...He's going to save it to everlasting Life. But if you—if you want to keep it, you're going to lose it; yeah, you'll lose. You want to act like these other girls and boys around here, and go out and do as they do, then you're going you're—you're going to lose it. But if you want to give your life to Jesus, then you're going to save it for Eternity and forever.

56-0513 - "Teaching On Moses"

Amen! Brother Branham tells us perfectly, doesn't he? Our soul is the most valuable thing, and if we keep it and act like all the other boys and girls of the world, we're going to lose it, but if we give it to Jesus, we'll keep it for Eternity! He even said do it "when you're young like this." This means: we want to give all that we are to Jesus. We want to give Him our talents, our strengths, and our weaknesses. We want to surrender everything to Jesus! Maybe you are very talented at playing the piano. Do you play nice Christian songs or do you play yucky rock-n-roll songs? Are you a good writer? Do you use that talent for writing things that are bad or maybe off the Word? We do not want to be like the boys and girls of the world! Give those talents to the Lord Jesus, and maybe you can use them for a story in the next Cub Corner magazine, or maybe sending in testimonies to VGR to help encourage others. All that we are let's surrender to the Lord Jesus Christ!

TILE #3- "Repent of your sins"

For our third tile we are going to talk about the word repent. Does anyone know what repent means? Let's push play and find the answer.

(Color Tile #2)

PLAY QUOTE

Quote Three

76 And in Acts 2:38, when Peter said, "Repent, every one of you!"

77 They said, "Men and brethren, what can we do?" first." They wanted to be saved.

78 Now watch. He's talking there to unbelievers. Now watch what he said. He said, "Repent, every one of you!" Now what does repent mean? Repent means "to be sorry for what you've done."

79 For instance, what if I turned right around here now and hit my brother, without a cause. And I want to repent for it; I'd say, "Brother Neville, I'm sorry I did that." See? Well, then, if I say, "I'm sorry I did it," and mean it from my heart, I am repentant.

80 And if I'm sorry for my sins, and ask God to forgive me, I am repentant. Is that right? All right. Peter said, "Repent, or be sorry for your sins, and then be baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins, and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost."

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54-1231 - "Everlasting Life And How To Receive It"

Alright, who heard what repent means? Yes, to be sorry for something you've done that you know was wrong. Is it good enough just to be sorry? No, you have to make it right, don't you? You make it right to the person that you sinned against, and you have to make it right with God.

Maybe you sass your mommy or daddy, and talk back to them. Have you ever done that? What does it make you feel like? Do you feel bad inside? That Still Small Voice in your heart is telling you what you've done was wrong. It was sinful. If you feel sorry for what you did, what should you do? [listen for children's responses] Yes, you have to go to Mommy or Daddy and apologize for what you've done and tell them you're sorry. Then you have to tell Jesus you're sorry. After that, doesn't your heart feel better and happy? Yes! It's because you have repented of that sin.

Maybe you're playing a game with all of the other children, tag or dodgeball, and you know you were tagged and should be out. Instead of going out, you "kinda" lie about it, and argue with the other kids that you're still in, but you know you should be out. Afterwards, it's the same thing, you feel bad inside, especially if you got in an argument with the other kids. What should you do? [listen for children's responses] It will be hard, but you should do the right thing, and admit that you're out. Tell the truth, apologize, and repent to the Lord for it. Then just keep playing the game; it's more fun to play fair and square.

That little feeling you get in your heart, the Still Small Voice, if you ignore It while you're young, it will get harder and harder to hear It as you grow up. As soon as you make a mistake or do something wrong, *quickly* go make it right, and repent of what you've done. We want to be sensitive to the Still Small Voice because It is Jesus talking to us.

[Color Tile #3]

TILE #4- "Acts 2:38"

Now, let's talk about water baptism. Turn in your Bibles to Acts 2:38-39 [Read]

Acts 2:38

38 Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.
39 For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the LORD our God shall call.

Amen, here we find after we have repented, and we just talked about repenting of our sins, we are to be baptized in the name of who? Jesus Christ, for the remission of sins, and we will receive the gift of what? The gift of the Holy Ghost! That's the Spirit, the life of Jesus Christ, living in us. Who did the Bible say this promise is to? To their children and even as many as the Lord should call! Wow, so even to our day now! Remember our word predestination? All the way back then, God knew who would receive this baptism and who wouldn't.

This brings us back to that other big word, revelation. Did you know this baptism was actually a mystery to the world? People did not know the correct way to baptize. It wasn't revealed yet.

Let's turn back in the Scripture to Mathew 28:19. This is Jesus speaking...

Matthew 28:19

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

Jesus told them to baptize in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, but are those names? No! What is the name? [Wait for response] Yes, Jesus Christ!

["Bring a child up to front of class and do the example of "She is a student, and a daughter, and a friend, etc..., but are those her name? No! They are just titles. What is her name? Sally Sue"]



How do we know the correct way to baptize if we don't understand what Jesus says in the Bible? Does anyone know? We know because of the manifestation of Revelation 10:7. [Recite verse as class. "But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he shall begin to sound, the mystery of God should be finished, as he hath declared to His servants the prophets."] Who is this "voice of the seventh angel"? Brother Branham! People in the world don't know this, but because it was revealed to us through Brother Branham we know the correct way to baptize. We were predestinated to understand it. Thank the Lord we are "One of Them"!

(Color Tile #4)

TILE #5- "Inward Work of Grace"

Now, to our last tile. Not only did Brother Branham teach us the steps and the correct way to baptize, he also taught us baptism is one of the three physical orders a Christian is to do. Did you know he also teaches when someone is baptized it is only an "outward expression showing that an inward work of grace has been done"? You see, going down in the water for baptism doesn't save us, it is only a testimony or confession for others to see that you have accepted and believed on the Lord Jesus Christ. It shows you have accepted Him as your personal Saviour. The precious Blood that Jesus shed when He died on the cross at Calvary is what saves us. We are saved by the Blood, and the Blood is what covers our sins when we repent. Let's push play again to hear our prophet talk to us about this.

PLAY QUOTE

Ouote Four

Jesus only, in the baptism, using the Name of "Jesus Christ," I certainly agree with that. But when you're baptized "unto regeneration," I cannot believe that, that water forgives sins. No. I believe the Blood of Jesus Christ atones for sins. So, not baptism unto regeneration, but baptism unto confession. Your baptism is your confession, that you believe, that this inward work of grace has been done.

19 Therefore, I go with the Baptist people when they say, coming into the Baptist church, you make your confession, baptized into the...into their church. That would be all right, as far as you're baptized into that church, that Baptist belief. But, now, to come into Christ, you're baptized by the Holy Spirit, born again.

20 Then when you come to the church, only thing that baptism does, is just a...is a testimony that you believe that—that Christ died and rose again, the third day. And you've accepted Him as your personal Saviour, and you are dead anymore to the things of the world. Showing to the world that you die with Him, and are raised with Him in the resurrection. It's an outward expression that an inward work of grace has been done. It has nothing to do with giving you salvation, 'cause the Blood of Jesus Christ...Only thing you had to do, just, say, go ahead and be baptized, and Jesus wouldn't had to die. It taken death to bring Life, always.

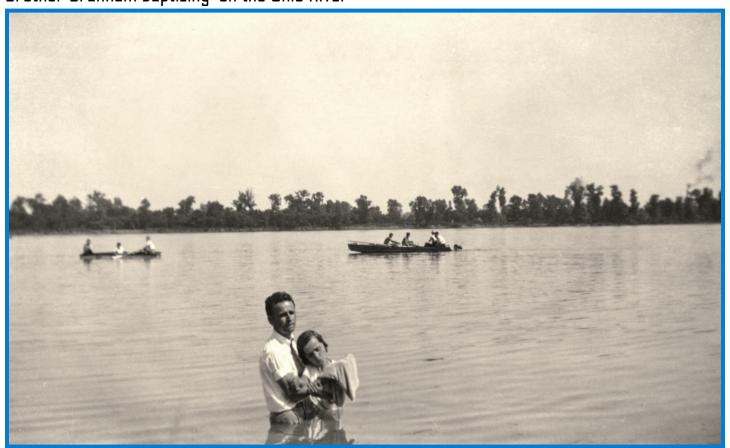
62-1104e - "Ordination"

[Color Tile #Five]



<u>Pictures</u>

Brother Branham baptizing on the Ohio River



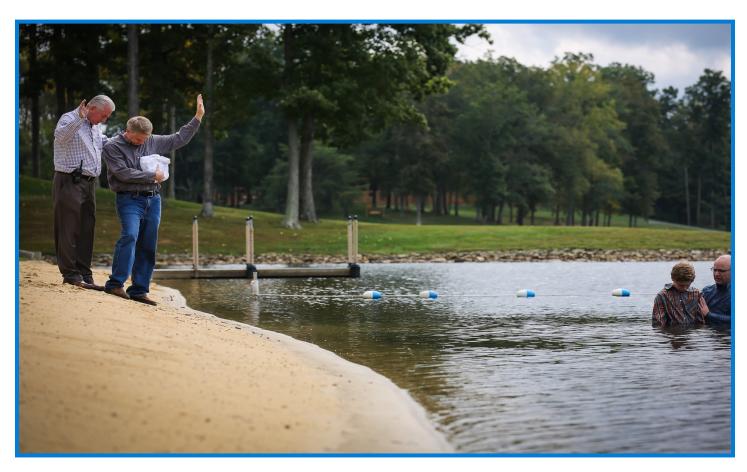
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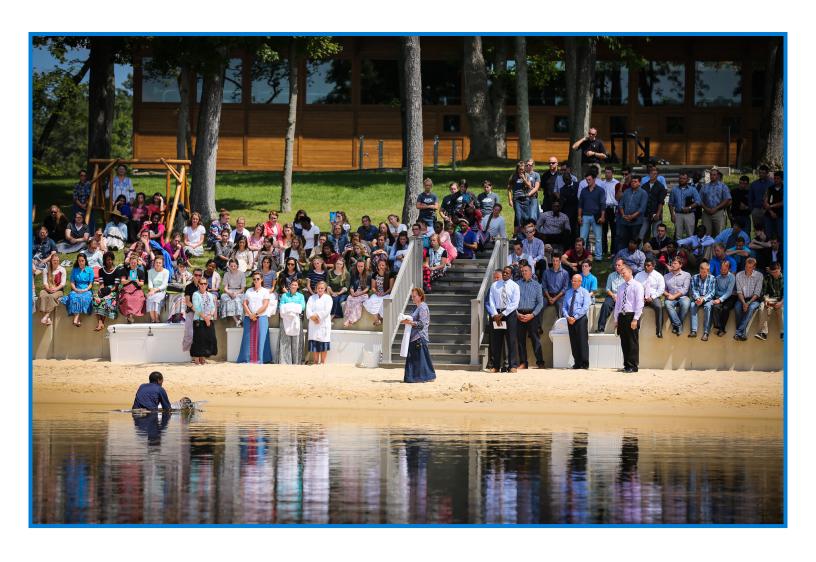




Baptizing at Still Waters









BAPTISM COASTERS Tutorial

SUPPLIES NEEDED:

For the coasters and Acts 2:38 stickers, you will need:

- 5 White Glazed Ceramic Tiles
- Sheet of Cork
 - Scissors
- Hot Glue Gun and Glue I
- Avery "Clear Full Sheet Shipping Labels"

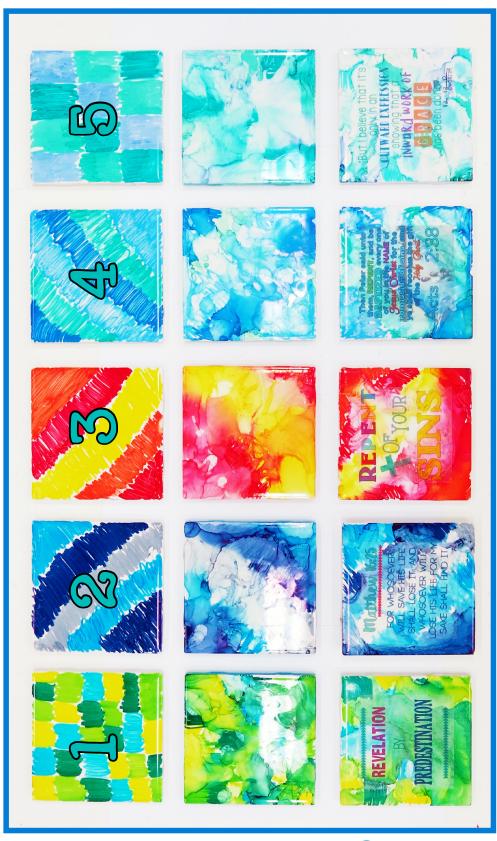
To color the coasters, you will need:

- "Color Code" (pages 12-13)
- Sharpies: Red, Orange, Yellow, Light Green, Dark Green, Aqua, Teal, Periwinkle (or Sky Blue), Light Blue, Dark Blue, Dark Purple, Peach, Pink, and Gray
 - Eye Dropper
 - Drinking Straw
 - Rust-Oleum "Clear Gloss Spray"
 - Dishwasher Safe Mod Podge





Color Code Boy's Coasters



#1 Light Green, Dark Green, Yellow, Light Blue #2 Dark Blue, Light Blue, Gray #3 Red, Orange, Yellow #4 Light Blue, Aqua, Dark Blue

#5 Periwinkle, Teal, Aqua



Color Code Girl's Coasters



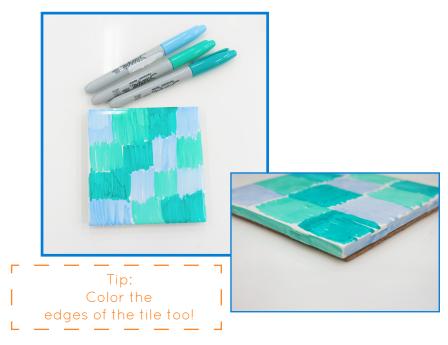
Girls

#1 Pink, Periwinkle, Dark Purple #2 Dark Blue, Light Blue, Gray #3 Pink, Aqua, Teal, Dark Purple, Peach #4 Dark Blue, Aqua, Light Blue #5 Periwinkle, Teal, Aqua



Before coloring your coasters:

- Print the Acts 2:38 Stickers onto your Avery clear shipping labels.
 The Acts 2:38 Stickers can be found on the Creations website with this tutorial.
- Cut your sheet of cork into squares the size of your ceramic tiles. Then hot glue the cork squares to the back of your tiles as bumpers for your coasters.
- Follow the "Color Code" to color each of your five coasters.



Take your eyedropper and make puddles of rubbing alcohol on the tile.

Blow across the top with a straw to spread the colors around. When the rubbing alcohol is completely dry you can move on to the next step.





When the tiles are ready you can take them outside and spray a heavy coat of gloss over the top. Wait one minute; then spray on another coat of gloss. Let the tiles dry for an hour, or until dry to the touch.

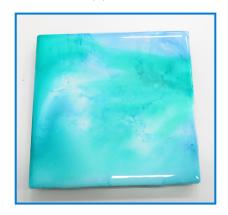


Tip:

When spraying the gloss

- Flood the coaster; you want a thick coat of gloss | on them.
- To avoid thick spots or puddles of gloss always keep the spray can moving.
- Keep the spray can 8-10 inches away from the tile

How it looks after the gloss has been applied...



Follow the Coaster Color Code to place the stickers on the coasters.

Tip:

Hover the sticker over the coaster, to be sure your sticker is centered and where you want it, before placing.





Use a foam paint brush to gently apply a thin topcoat of Dishwasher Safe Mod Podge over the tile.

...Let dry...

Tip:

Apply the mod podge carefully, the ink will rub away from the sticker if you push down too hard with the paintbrush.



You're finished! Now, you can pour a glass of sweet tea and try your new coasters...



EXTRA Tip

You can add extra layers of the Mod Podge after the first coat is completely dry. Al SO, letting your coasters cure for the amount of time stated on the dishwasher safe modpodge, 28 days, is best, but we understand if you can't wait that long...

