

When I was a kid, I wanted to get baptized, but I didn't know what it would be like. And sometimes I felt like my baptism day would never come. But it did come, and now I know that it feels Great!

Before my baptism, I had a special talk with the bishop. He asked me about my testimony and whether I was willing to take Christ's name upon me. I felt good when I said yes. Still I felt kinda scared because I didn't know how to swim, but I also felt excited that I was going to be a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

When I was getting baptized, I felt water rushing around me and in my ears. I had to do that three times because my toes kept popping up. But I wasn't scared at all. Even though I wasn't confirmed yet, I felt the Holy Ghost comforting me, because I knew I was doing the right thing. And when I finally got my toes under and came back up out of the water, I felt like I was reborn. I really was brand new member of Heavenly Father's Church!

Then I got dressed and walked back into the room where my friends and family were waiting and singing songs about baptism and Jesus Christ. We talked about the Holy Ghost and the different ways it would talk to me, like how it could warn me if I was about to do something wrong or how it would make me feel better if I was sad. I know the Holy Ghost was with me when I was confirmed, because it felt just like the sun was shining on me. I felt so happy, and I hope I will always follow Jesus Christ's example so that I can always have the Holy Ghost on my side.

So if you haven't been baptized yet, don't worry! You can be some day, and when you are, it will be one of the best and most important days of your life. I say these things in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.