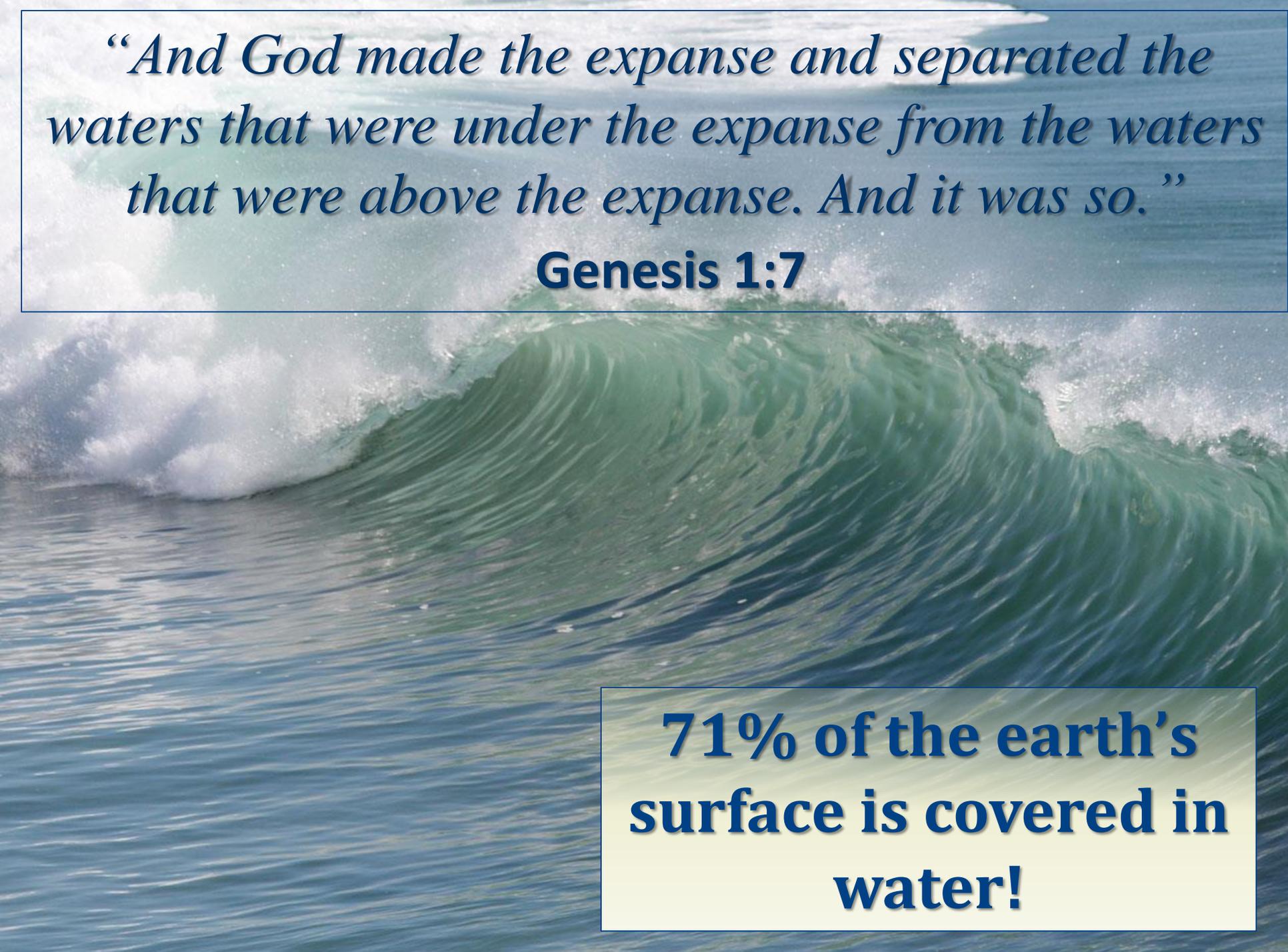


How Has God Used Water?



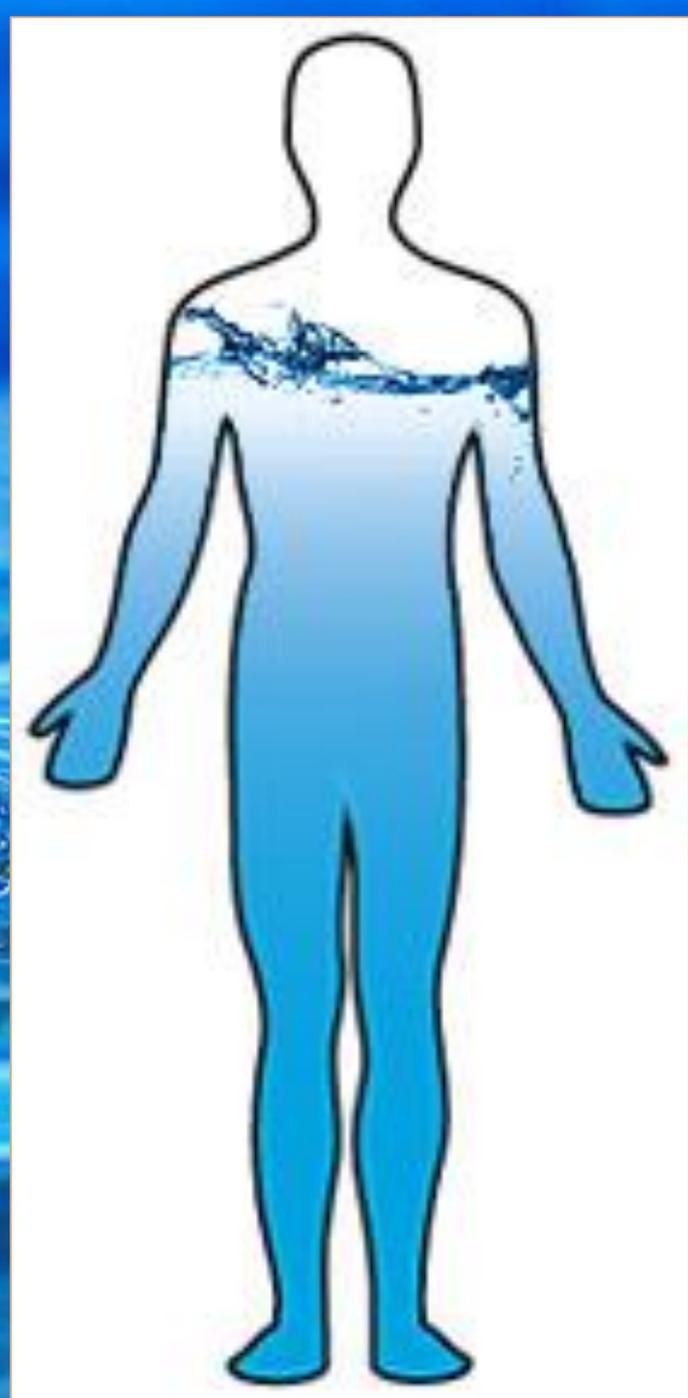


“And God made the expanse and separated the waters that were under the expanse from the waters that were above the expanse. And it was so.”

Genesis 1:7

**71% of the earth's
surface is covered in
water!**

**65% of the human
body by weight is
water!**



Creation

- God separated the waters on the second day
- (Gen. 1:6-7)



Garden

- God taught in the garden with a mist of water and a river
- (Gen. 2:4-10)



The Flood

- God taught in Noah's day with the flood of water that sin and disobediences upset Him
- (Gen. 6:13-22)



The Flood

- *“...for the saving of his household”*
(Hebrews 11:7)
- *“In which a few, that is, eight persons, were brought safely through water”* **(1 Peter 3:20)**



Plagues

- **God punished with the water turning to blood**
- **(Exodus 7:20-21)**



How Has God Used Water?

Red Sea

**God used water to
save Israel from
the Egyptians
(Exodus 14:13-30)**



Red Sea

“Thus the LORD saved Israel that day from the hand of the Egyptians”
(Exodus 14:30)



Water from a Rock

- God saved Israel from thirst with water from a rock
- (Exodus 17:1-7)

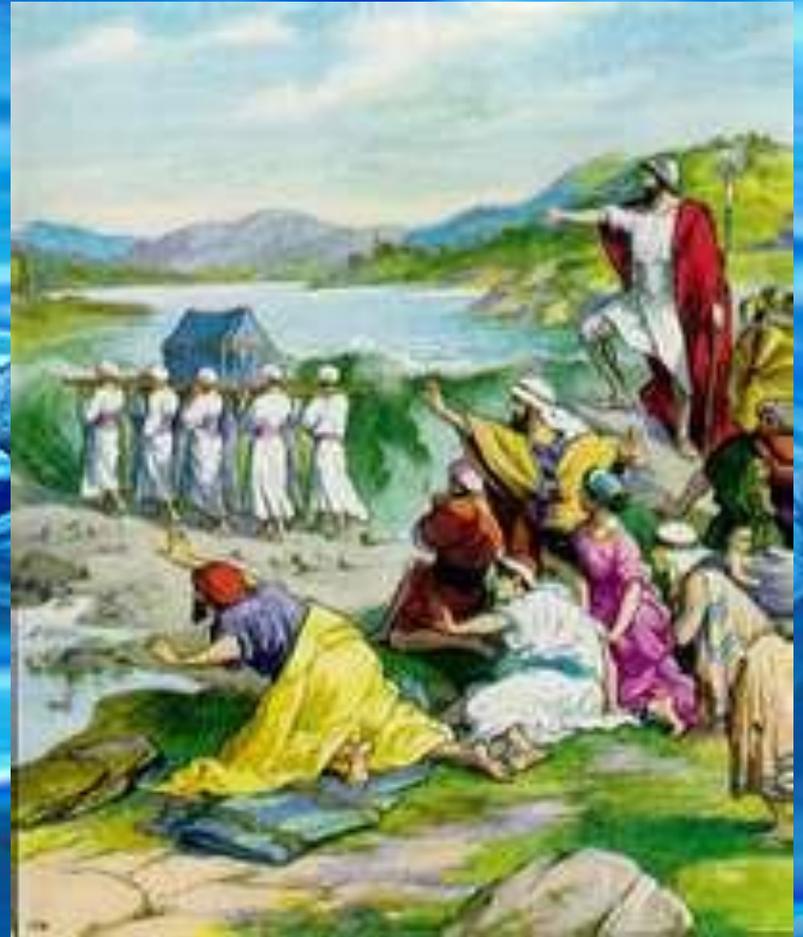


How Has God Used Water?

Jordan



**God caused the
Jordan to stop
flowing
(Joshua 3:8,13-17)**



Gideon

- Gideon's 300

32,000

10,000

300!

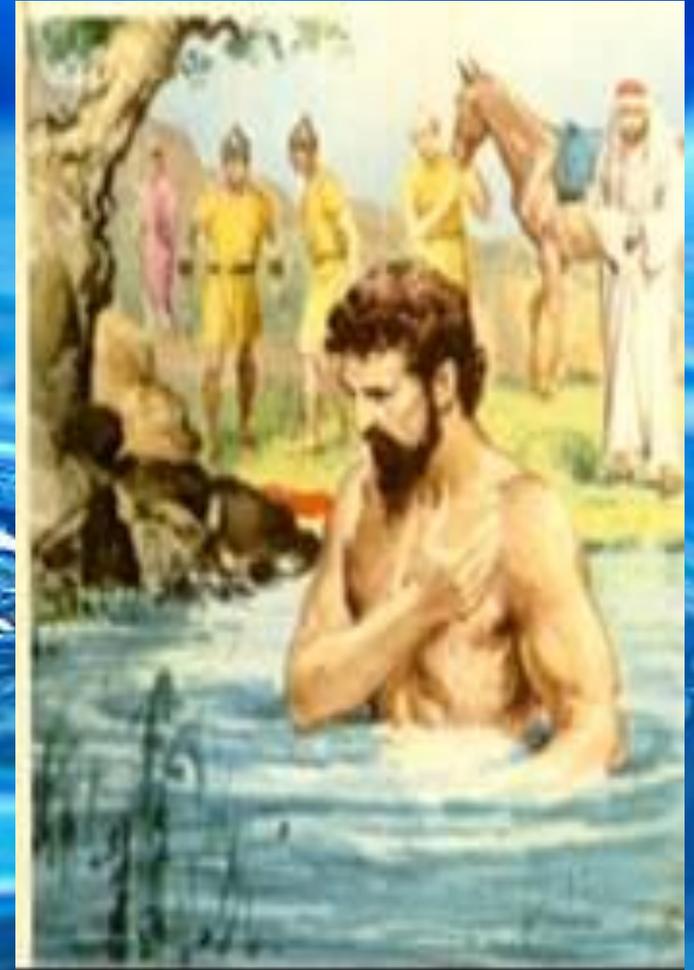
- Judges 7:6;

Heb. 11:32



Naaman

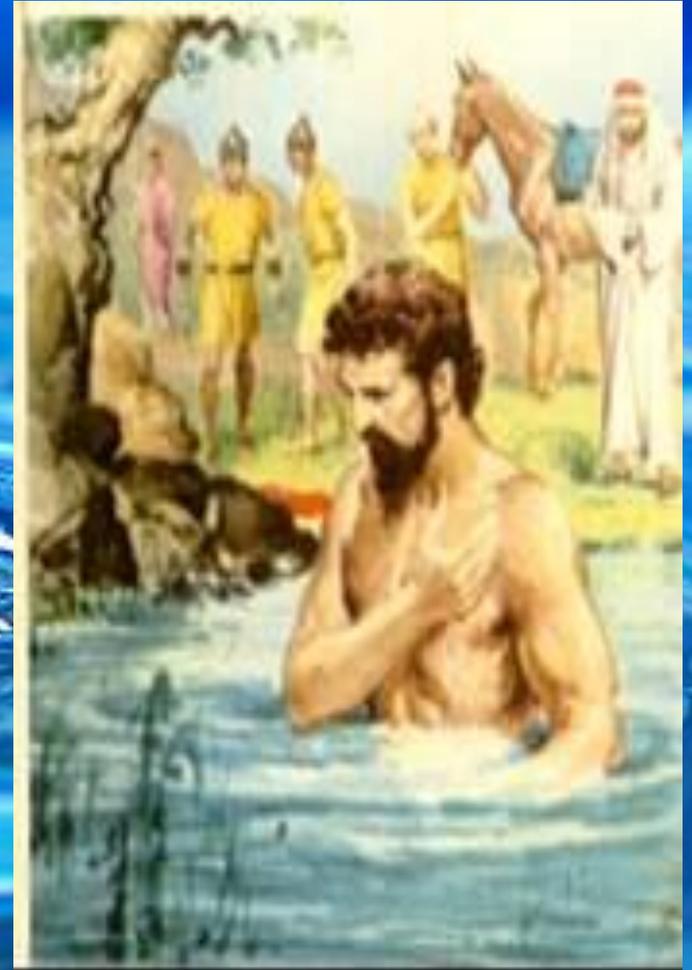
- God used the Jordan to cleanse Naaman the leper
- (2 Kings 5:1-14)



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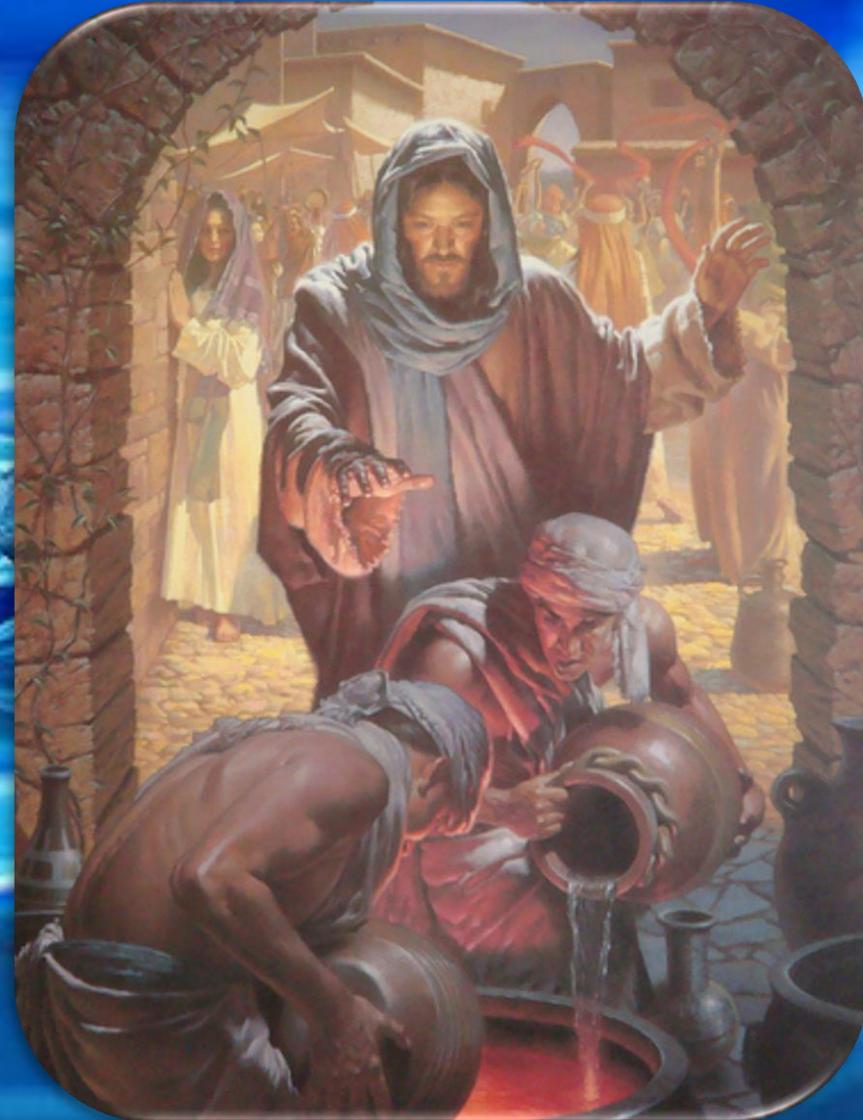


- Was the power in the water? NO! The power was with God, but Naaman had to do what God told him to do.



Jesus' 1st Miracle

- Jesus taught (with water) in His first miracle, His power over the elements (John 2:6-11)



Jesus

- Jesus taught by rebuking the raging sea (Luke 8:22-25)



Walking on Water

- Jesus taught by walking on water
- (Matt. 14:26)



Healing the Blind Man



- Jesus spat in the ground and made mud to put on the blind man's eyes. He then told him to go the Pool of Siloam and wash off the mud. When he obeyed Jesus, he "*came seeing.*" (John 9:6-7)

Healing the Blind Man

- Where was the power?
- Was it in the spit?
- Was it in the mud?
- Was it in the water?

No! The power was with Jesus, but the blind man had to obey.



Baptism

- We see that in baptism God is still using water to save. 1 Peter 3:21, Mark 16:16, Romans 6:3-4



Baptism

- God put water between Saul and the washing away of his sins.
- He was told to “Arise, and be baptized, and wash away your sins...” (Acts 22:16)



Baptism

- **Have you been baptized for the remission of your sins?**
- **The power is not in the water.**
- **The power is with God!**



How Has God Used Water?

