

Confessing with St Augustine

Book Notes: Confessions Book IX

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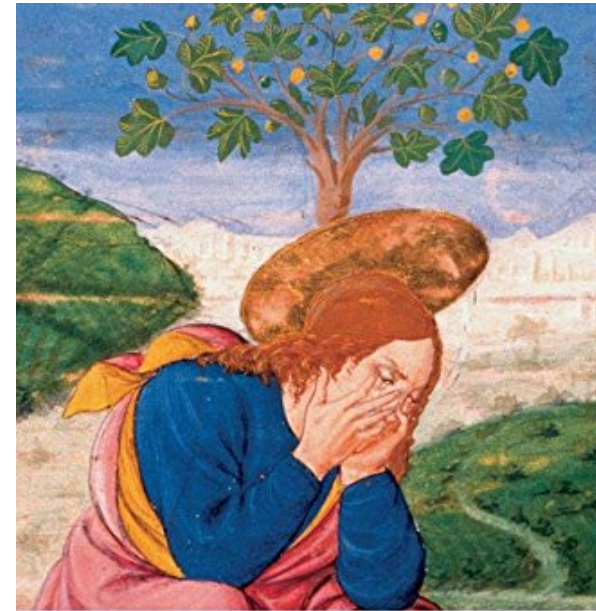


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Book IX: Baptism — Death and New Life

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Baptism: Death and New Life

- In the NT, Baptism is depicted as a sharing in the death and resurrection of Christ: “we were buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead . . . we too may live a new life” (Rom. 6:4).
- A regarded Baptism as productive of a definitive change. It mystically 1) removes original sin, 2) communicates sanctifying grace.
- Eph. 4:22-24 — “*put off* your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires . . . and *put on* the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness”



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