

Noah's Ark

Genesis 4:16-8:5



As more and more time passed, the population of the earth increased. People eventually forgot about God and lived very wickedly. So the world was filled with sins. God was sorry for making all these sinful people and decided to punish them by water. However, among all those evil people, a man named Noah lived according to God's will. One day, God told Noah,

"I am going to judge the world with water. Build an ark."

God gave instructions on how to build an ark. Noah and his family, a total of 8 people, spent many years building the ark. During that time, Noah preached to people on the earth.

by which the world that then existed
perished, being flooded with water.

2 Peter 3:6



“God is going to judge the world with water! Get in the ark, and live!”

But the people did not turn away from their sins even after hearing Noah’s warning.

Finally, the ark was finished, and God made a pair of every kind of animal to enter into the ark. Upon Noah’s family’s entering into the ark, God closed the door of the ark.

“Bang.”

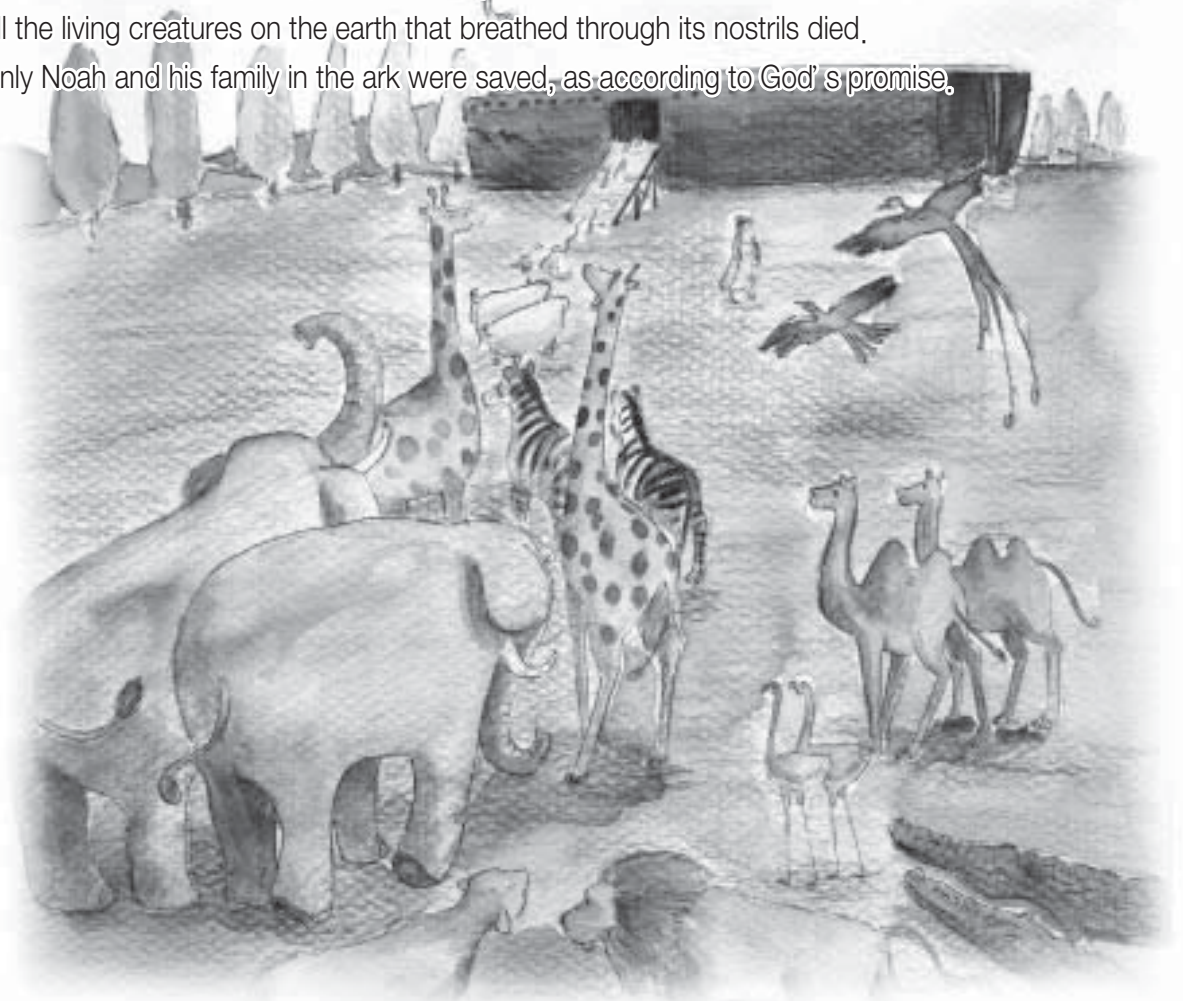
It started to rain.

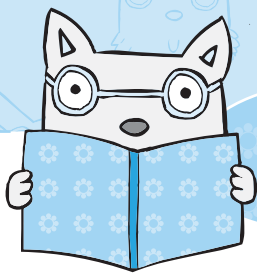
The deep water pots broke, the waters above the firmament poured down.

It rained for 40 days and nights. All the high mountains were immersed in the water.

All the living creatures on the earth that breathed through its nostrils died.

Only Noah and his family in the ark were saved, as according to God’s promise.





Today's Study

God's Judgment

1. What is the reason God judged the world with water?

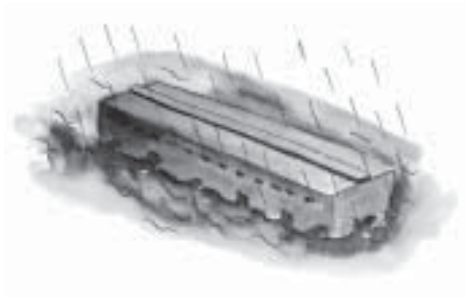


God hates sin. He does not relent from judging sins. God judged the world with water in Noah's time. There will be another judgment at the end of the world.

But the heavens and the earth which are now preserved by the same word, are reserved for _____ until the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men.
(2Peter 3:7)

An unavoidable judgment

1. Look at the illustrations below and fill in the blanks.



Noah's family was able to escape the judgment by water by entering into an _____. To save sinners like us from the coming judgment, God sent _____.

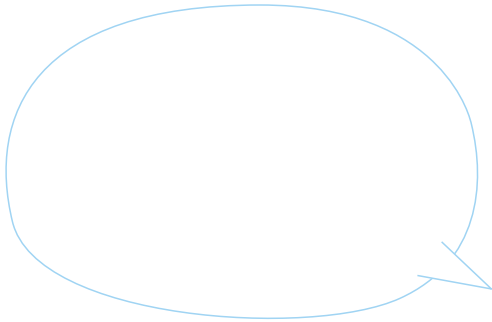
Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved. (Acts 4:12)



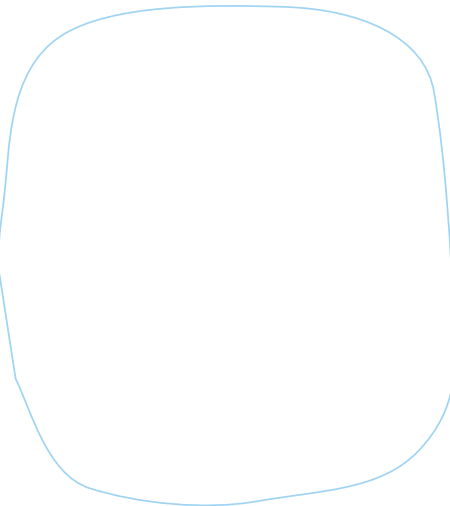
Today's Lesson

Noah and his family were saved by getting aboard the ark.

- ? Those who are saved are already in the ark. Write the names of your relatives or friends who you want to get aboard on the ark with you.



- ? While constructing the ark, Noah preached to the people during his time regarding the judgment. Think of yourself as Noah and write on the balloon below what you want to say to those you listed above.



Preach the word! Be ready in season and out of season. (2Timothy 4:2)

Let's Find out



Is Noah's Flood History?

The Bible is the word of God. God has given us a lot of evidence that validates the historicity (historical authenticity) of Noah's worldwide flood.

1. We have legends of a worldwide flood in over 200 countries throughout the world.
2. There are many places where we can find great amounts of fossilized animals.
3. Many places around the world show that they once been immersed in the water.
4. From thousands of years ago till today, Noah's ark, which is on Mt. Ararat has been witnessed by many people.

Renowned explorers including Marco Polo, Navarrah of France, Zavalov sky of Russia, and James Irwin the Astronaut, among many others, have eye-witnessed the ark on top of Mt. Ararat. Some have taken pictures of the ark and got close enough to confirm that it was indeed the ark of Noah. There is a countless number of evidence to prove that Noah's Flood really did occur.

God punished the people who took no interest in God and rather indulged in sins. Only Noah and his family got in the ark and were spared from God's judgment.

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