



Printing Instructions

I recommend using "Cover Stock" or lightweight cardstock paper {67 lb}, especially since this needs to be printed double-sided.

If you have a Double-Sided Printer: 1. Select: Print Range/From > pages **2** to **5** 2. Select: Layout > Two-Sided > "Short-Edge Binding" {This will ensure all the pages are right side up!} 3. Print!

Otherwise: Print pages 2 & 4, then print pages 3 & 5 on reverse side -OR- print each page one at a time (this booklet will not "make sense" unless it is printed on both sides and folded up.)

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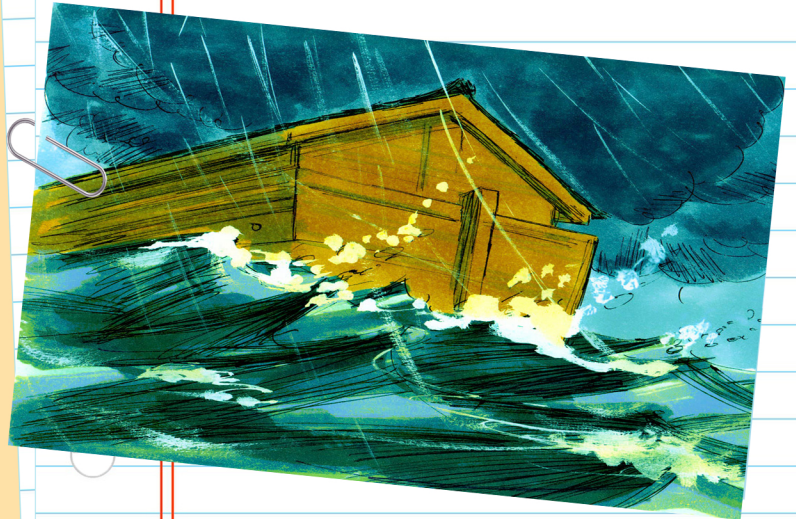
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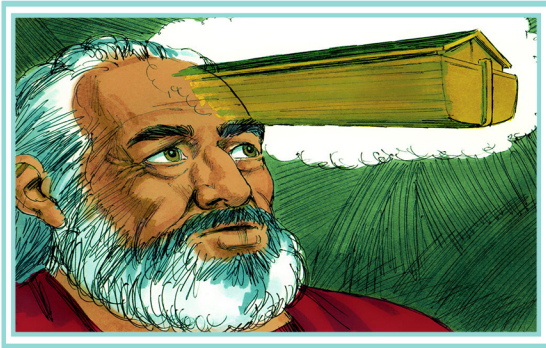
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Noah & The Ark



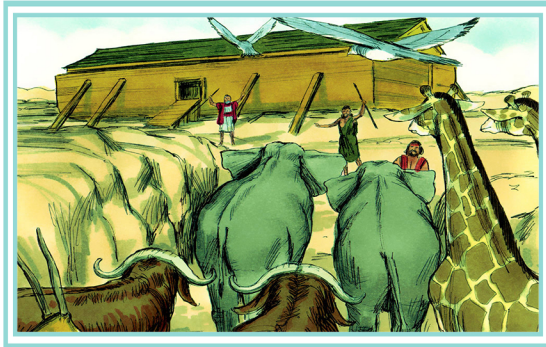


Noah was a man who did what was right and obeyed God. However everyone else was disobeying God. God saw that the people He had created had become very wicked and violent. God told Noah He was going to put an end to this wickedness by sending a flood to cover the earth, but Noah and his family would be spared.



The Ark

Noah was given instructions to build a big ark out of wood. At once, Noah and his sons Shem, Ham and Japheth started to build the huge box shaped boat. The wicked people around wondered what they were doing.



When the ark was ready, God told Noah the flood would be coming in 7 days' time. Noah, his three sons and their wives were told to take their possessions aboard. They stored food for the animals coming aboard too. Seven pairs of each clean animal and two of every unclean animal were also taken on board.

REVIEW & DISCUSS

Why did
God send the
flood?

What did God tell Noah to
do?

Why did God
make rainbows?

PRAYERS

Is there an
application for me?

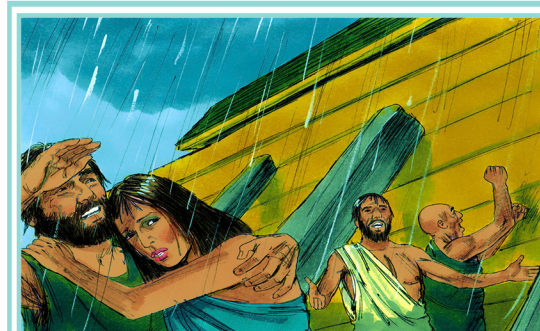
MEMORY VERSE

"I have set my rainbow in the clouds, and it will be the sign of the covenant between me and the earth."

Genesis 9:13

The Flood

God then closed the door of the ark and the rain began to fall. For 40 days it rained heavily; and as the waters rose, the ark began to float. The waters kept rising until they covered all the high mountains. Every living creature on land outside the ark was wiped out.



The water flooded the earth for 150 days but those on board the ark were kept safe. As the flood water went down the ark came to rest on the mountains of Ararat. Noah sent out a dove. It flew around looking for land, but it could find nowhere to perch and returned to the ark. Noah sent out the dove a third time, but it did not return. Noah knew that the dove had found



Two months later the land was dry enough for Noah, his family and the animals to leave the ark. Noah built an altar to the Lord and made sacrifices to God. God was pleased and put a rainbow in the sky. God then told Noah, 'This rainbow is the sign of my promise never to flood the whole earth again.'



OBSERVATIONS

KEY WORDS

ark: large boat or ship

covenant: an agreement or promise

rainbow: reminder of God's promise to never again flood the entire earth at once

WHO (or **WHAT**) is this story about?

WHAT happens in the story?

WHERE is God in this story?

THIS stood out or surprised me:



Draw A Scene From The Story!

