



Help for The Hurting

Faith!

for the Final Days!
Hebrews 11:7

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A. Noah

1. Noah lived in the Persian Gulf area (present day Iraq).
2. He was a descendant of Adam's third son, Seth (10th generation).
3. He was 600 years old when the flood came—overall, he lived 950 years.
4. He was the grandson of Methuselah (the oldest man at 969 years old).
5. Noah's story is recorded in Genesis chapters five through nine.
6. Noah is best known for building the Ark—100 miles from the nearest ocean.

B. Noah's Ark

1. The ark was big! (150 yards long, 25 yards wide, and 15 yards high).
2. If placed on a football field, it would reach 15 yards past both endzones.
3. If placed on a football field, it would take up half the width of the field.
4. If placed on a football field, it would rise over twice the height of the field goals.
5. Inside was 1.5 million cubic feet of space (equivalent to 370 railroad cars).
6. It took 70-82 years for Noah and his sons to build the ark.

C. Noah's Day

Genesis 6:3, NLT -³ Then the LORD said, "My Spirit will not put up with humans for such a long time, for they are only mortal flesh. In the future, their normal lifespan will be no more than 120 years."

Genesis 6:11, NKJV - "Now the earth was corrupt in the sight of God, and the earth was filled with violence."

Genesis 6:13, NLT -¹³ So God said to Noah, "I have decided to destroy all living creatures, for they have filled the earth with violence. Yes, I will wipe them all out along with the earth!"

Matthew 24:37-39, NIV84 -³⁷ As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. ³⁸ For in the days before the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark; ³⁹ and they knew nothing about what would happen until the flood came and took them all away. That is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man.

2 Peter 2:5, NLT -⁵ And God did not spare the ancient world—except for Noah and the seven others in his family. Noah warned the world of God's righteous judgment. So God protected Noah when he destroyed the world of ungodly people with a vast flood.

2 Peter 2:5, NIV -⁵ if he did not spare the ancient world when he brought the flood on its ungodly people, but protected Noah, a preacher of righteousness, and seven others....

- **By faith, Noah preached when people wouldn't listen.**
- **By faith, Noah built when people ridiculed him for his faith.**
- **By faith, Noah continued year after year trusting in God's promises.**
- **By Faith, Noah believed God regarding the things 'not yet seen.'**

D. Noah's Faith

Hebrews 11:7, NLT -⁷ It was by faith that Noah built a large boat to save his family from the flood. He obeyed God, who warned him about things that had never happened before. By his faith Noah condemned the rest of the world, and he received the righteousness that comes by faith.

"By faith, Noah built the ark..." • "By faith, Noah condemned the world..."

Hebrews 11:7, NKJV -⁷ By faith Noah, being divinely warned of things not yet seen, moved with godly fear, prepared an ark for the saving of his household, by which he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness which is according to faith.

1. **By Faith, Noah believed God deeply.**
2. **By faith, Noah obeyed God completely.**
3. **By faith, Noah walked with God intimately.**
4. **By faith, Noah was unfazed by the world's criticism.**
5. **By faith, Noah knew what was coming.**