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Noah: Grace Notes

(Genesis 7:1-24; Matthew 24:36-44 NIV)

No matter where you've been, what you've done, or what's been done to you, you are valued and loved. Over and over we see in Scripture the pattern of the kind of person God will use mightily. Not a perfect person. Not by any stretch, as we will see with Noah. But one whose heart leans toward God, who walks daily with Him, who hears His voice and follows his lead. Let's take a look at his story through our eyes as adults and find the grace notes that can teach us still today.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. [ICEBREAKER] What does “grace notes” mean to you personally?
2. How does God’s voice sound to you? Do you hear it in words, music, feelings, or circumstances?
3. Just as God shut the Ark door with Noah inside, do you feel sometimes as if God has shut you inside your circumstances?
4. If not choosing is a choice, what have you chosen to avoid lately? Why do you believe people avoid choosing in today’s world?
5. Do you agree that there is never growth without change? What is one change you personally can make right now to get started?

NEXT STEPS: This week consider taking time to think about your next steps in this area.

- Would you consider making an appointment with God this week?
- Ask yourself “Who Am I?” and “What do I need to change so that I can grow?”

MOVING FORWARD

Who will you choose to be when the rains fall?

“The Lord then said to Noah, ‘Go into the ark, you and your whole family, because I have found you righteous in this generation.’”

—Genesis 7:1 (NIV)