



# The Beginning of God's Story

## The Flood

# Hear It: Genesis 6-9

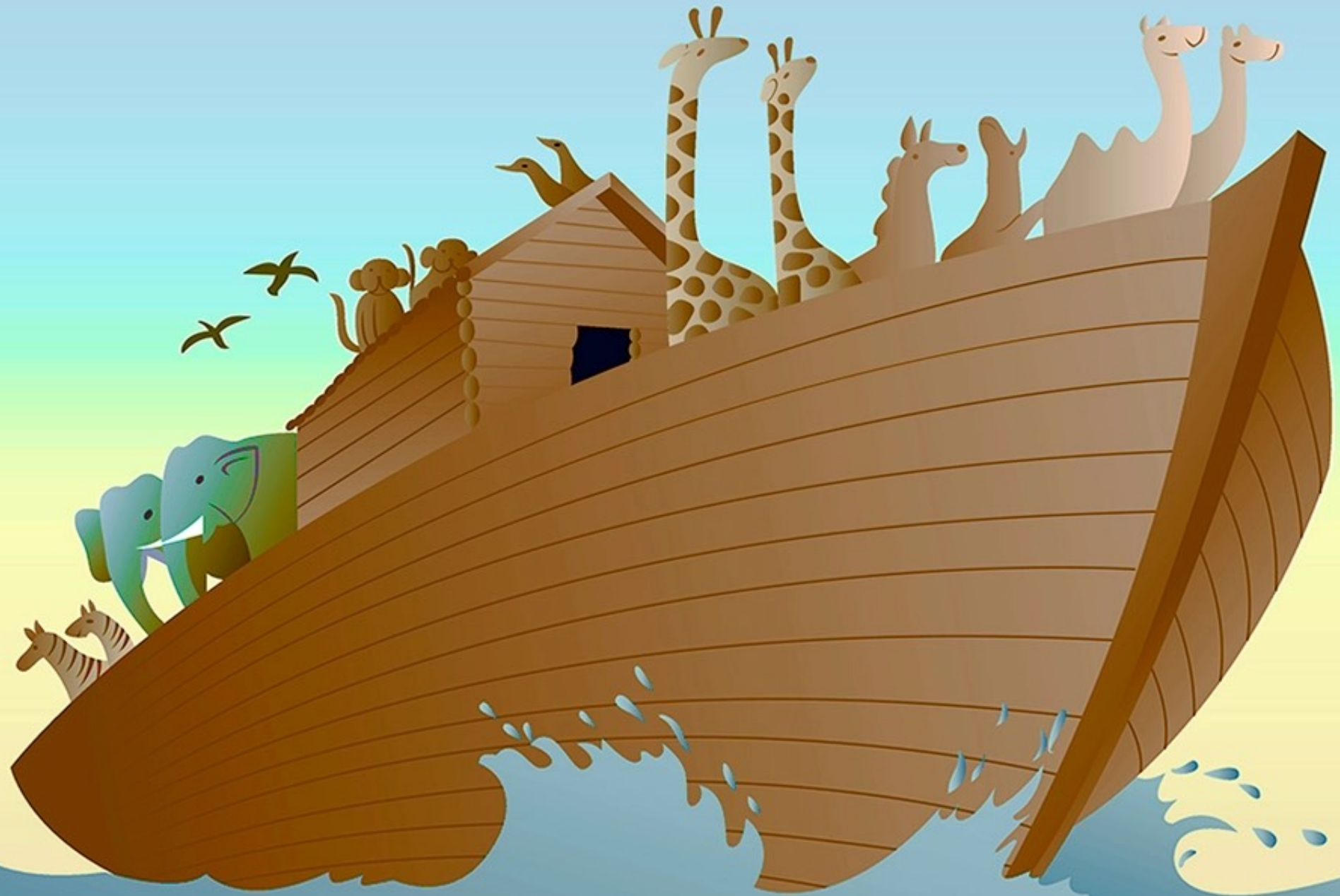
**Adam and Eve had more children who had children themselves.**

**Soon, the whole world was filled with people, but they were extremely evil. They hated God, loved themselves, and damaged the world God had given them. There was, on all the Earth, only a single man left who loved and followed God. His name was Noah.**

**One day, God came to Noah and told him how hurt he was that the people he'd made to care for the earth were instead destroying it and each other. God had decided that he was going to wipe out everyone but Noah with a great flood. He ordered Noah to build a huge ark to prepare for the Flood.**

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Noah built the massive ship, called an Ark, and filled it with two of every animal that didn't swim in the ocean. Then, God closed the door behind him and sent the rain. The entire earth was flooded, and all the wicked people were destroyed except Noah and his family. After the entire Earth was covered with water, the flooding stopped and slowly the water went away. When Noah God off the boat, God put a rainbow in the sky as his sign that he would never ever again destroy the world with water.





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- The earth became filled with evil people, so much that there was only one good man - Noah!
- God told Noah to build a massive boat called an ark!
- After Noah built the boat, he filled the boat with a pair of every animal that didn't swim in the ocean so that they'd survive as well!
- God flooded the earth and destroyed all the wicked people who were hurting creation, hurting each other, and rebelling against God.
- When Noah got out of the boat, God put a rainbow in the sky to show us that he would never again destroy all people with water.

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BETWEEN ME AND THE EARTH. GENESIS 9:13

# Reflection Questions

- Why did God want to destroy all people? They were all evil, hurting creation, each other, and rebelling against God.
- What was the name of the one good man? Noah
- What did God command Noah to do? God commanded Noah to build a massive boat called an ark.
- What happened after Noah built the Ark? It was filled with two of every creature that didn't swim in the ocean.
- How did God destroy the Earth? He sent a flood that covered everything!
- What did God give us as a sign that he would never flood the earth ever again? The Rainbow!

**Challenge Question:** How can you trust God this week?