

THE PEOPLE OF GOD - SERIES 4



Episode 1

Noah



Captain Noah and his Floating Zoo

Noah: The man who found grace

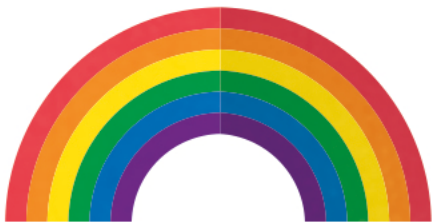
Noah found grace in the eyes
of the Lord

Genesis 6:8 (NKJV)



Background

- ‘Problematic’ aspects
 - Global flood
 - Global annihilation
 - Clean/Unclean animals...



STOP!

Be careful not to
ask the wrong
questions of the
text...





Common Question

How should we interpret the Genesis flood account?

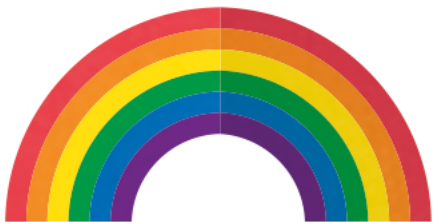
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What can we learn from this story about 'The People of God' – and what the Lord is like?



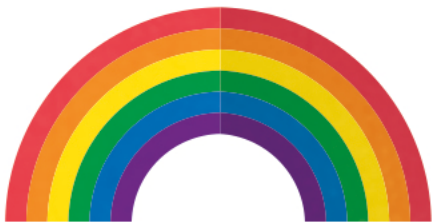
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- Walked with God - but flawed
- Obedient – faith not sight
- Hears God – but doesn't have all the answers

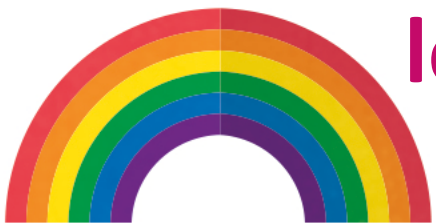


The Lord

- Broken heart
- Grace and Truth
- Covenant with humanity



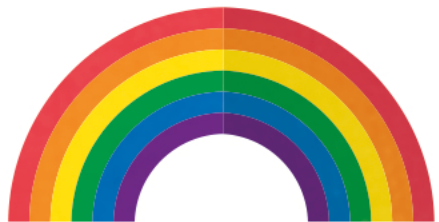
“The story of Noah, the Ark, and Flood speaks an inspired and powerful message about **judgment and grace**, that has instructed God’s people throughout the ages about God’s **hatred of sin and his love for his creation**. Most importantly, we see God’s promise never to destroy the Earth again fully realized in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, where **God takes the judgment for sin upon himself rather than humanity**. Thus, through the lens of Christ, the biblical Flood story proclaims the marvelous news of **God’s grace and love for his people.**”



Noah = Rest

How can we preserve 'rest' in our lives?

- **N**ew structures
- **O**bedience
- **A**dvance planning
- **H**aving a haven



Noah