

## HOW TO WAIT FOR NOAH'S FLOOD

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- Today – Opportunity to give a Bible study
  - Comment – The subject of this presentation was influenced by the recent Wednesday-night Bible study – I was giving an overview of Genesis 1-11, and decided to spend a little more time talking about Noah's flood
  - Title – "How to Wait for Noah's Flood"
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Gen. 6:5	the Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great on the earth – and that every intent of the thoughts of his heart was continually on evil
6	the Lord was sorry that He had made man on the earth – He was grieved in His heart
7	"I will destroy man, beast, creeping thing and birds – for I am sorry that I have made them"
8	Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord
9	Noah was a just man
11	the earth was corrupt before God, and the earth was filled with violence
12	all flesh had corrupted their way on the earth
13	"I will destroy them with the earth"
14-16	instructions to build an ark
17	"I Myself am bringing floodwaters on the earth"
18	"I will establish My covenant with you"
18-21	family and animals in the ark
Ezek. 18:4	personal consequences for sin
5-9	consequences (blessings) for obedience
10-13	children who sin – face consequences for sin
14-18	children who avoid the sins of parents – live (while the parents may face consequences
19	some ask: "shouldn't the children bear the sins of the father?"
20	personal consequences for sin
21-23	encouraging message.....repentance = shall live
1 Pet. 3:18	Christ suffered for our sins – the Just for the unjust – to bring us to God – being put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the Spirit
19	He went to preach to the spirits in prison
20	days of Noah – while the ark was being prepared – 8 people were saved through water
21-22	a type of baptism – resurrection and ascension
2 Pet. 2:4	God did not spare the angels who sinned
5	God did not spare the ancient world
Rev. 20:5	the rest of the dead did not live again until the 1,000 were finished

- Paul – Instructed disciples to judge

1 Cor. 2:15            he who is spiritual – judges all things – discerns  
                                 (but, people do not correctly judge the spiritual person)

- The Son of God – Instructed disciples Not to judge

Matt. 7:1-5            judge not, that you be not judged – do not condemn

- Discern – Not Condemn
- Conviction – Compassion