

**“THROUGH THE BIBLE”**  
Union Chapel M. B. Church  
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GENESIS  
OUTLINE 6

“The Flood,” (Genesis 7-9)

Introduction: Before we get into tonight’s lesson, I would like to clear up a few things we have already covered. First, we talked about the flood only killing people in a regional, or concentrated area. To be clear, the population was regional, but the flood covered the whole earth. Second, the instructions in detail that God gave Noah to build the Ark (Genesis 6:14-22). He was to construct an Ark (big ship), 75 feet wide, and 45 feet high. When it was complete, Noah was to bring his family inside, along with at least one male and female of every kind of animal.

- Research question last week: What kind of wood is gopher wood?
- Research question next week: Where are the Mountains of Ararat located?

**I. God Warns Noah (Genesis 7:1-5):**

1. God will always warn His people.
2. Why did God save Noah’s family: Throughout the Bible we see God saving because of one faithful person. Examples: Abraham, Joseph, Moses, Esther, Samson, David...
3. Noah and his family had seven (7) days to load and be ready.
4. Seven in Scripture means perfection and completion.
5. When everybody and everything were boarded (Genesis 7:6-9)

**II. When the Rains Came (Genesis 7:10-24)**

1. Inside the Ark (Genesis 7:10-16): Those inside were safe...
2. Outside the Ark (Genesis 7:17-24): It was too late for those outside.
3. There’s only two choices, inside or outside; and it’s up to the individual

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##### **III. The Prophetic Pattern (Genesis 7:1-24)**

1. What God says will happen, will always happen; and His promises will come to pass. When God said that He would destroy every living person and thing on earth, He did; and when He did it started the prophetic pattern that runs through the Bible.
2. God promises ecological stability upon the earth until the end of time (Genesis 8:22). Seedtime and harvest.
3. God instituted human government, or civil government (Genesis 8:13).
4. Noahic Covenant, restates God’s authority over humanity; those originally found in the Adamic Covenant (Genesis 9:1-17).
5. An additional word on capital punishment: God established it as part of human government.

#### NOTES

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