

Day 1. Read Genesis 6:3 and 7:1-10.

1. What do you think Noah was like as you consider the time he spent building the ark, the immense amount of money he spent on construction, the engineering required to build the ark, the isolation he must have felt, and knowing so many people were going to die?

2. How has God called Christians and you personally to a similar level of commitment and sacrifice?

Day 2 Read Genesis 7:1-24. [Extra credit if you watch: tinyurl.com/HOAMark]

1. Why do you think Noah specifically recorded the fact that God closed the door to the ark?

2. Why might evolution and the Bible be at odds with each other because of this story?

Day 3 Read Psalm 29:10, Hebrews 11:7, Matthew 24:37-39, Luke 17:26-27 and 2 Peter 3:6.

1. Moses, David, Paul, Matthew, Luke, Peter, and Jesus all reference the flood as a real event. When you read these passages (along with Genesis Ch. 6 - 8), what causes you to doubt there was a flood that covered the whole earth and killed everyone? (*Feel free to reference outside material.*)

2. Read Deut 20:16-18, Joshua 11:20-23, and 1 Samuel 15:2-3. Why would God kill or command the killing of people?

3. Understanding that everyone will die, why do some individuals get angry at God about people dying young?

Day 4 Read Genesis 8:1-22.

1. When have you felt forgotten by God?

2. What are all the ways God showed his mercy and love to mankind, and how has God shown this same level of mercy and love to you and your family?