

MEN OF WORTH

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SO OFTEN A MAN'S VALUE IS NOT RECOGNIZED DURING HIS TIME IN GOD'S SERVICE ON EARTH

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Truly Great Men, are not usually Hero's in their own Generation!

We see evidence of that all down through the Ages. And these same men are finally exonerated as 'a Hero' after they leave the Stage of their lifetime.

Think of Men like Noah: A Preacher who Saved no Souls, that is, besides his own household! (Seven other Family members). Yet he Preached and Built like it was **the present Earth's Last Days**: He must have Preached "Salvation, **come into the Ark of God**" but the people 'sold to the world' and stubborn, only heard Judgment.

Does it seem like that today? Do you share "Grace", and do people treat it like Judgment? Do you Preach 'Jesus came to Save You', and do people only hear their own conscious judging them?

Seems like at least some would have listened to Noah, and came to believe 'Salvation from Judgment' was possible

for them, as well as Noah's Family.

The History before The Deluge **could have ended differently**. "500 people went over to Noah today, and entered the Ark for Safety!" ---the Nod Tribune.



But perhaps, they were just like the earth dwellers of today, so 'wired to the world', it's economy, it's interests, it's violence, that there was no room in the mind for common sense.

One other man "walked with God and was not, for God took him!" -Remember **Enoch**, the 7th Generation from Adam? But God had Already **Translated him out** of the Violent Earth before the

flood! And yes, good men are often taken from the earth at an early age. **Enoch** was only 365 years old, whereas his son Methuselah, lived to be the oldest of the mankind and died at 969 years of age. **It's not how long you live, but how long you "walk with God" that matters!**

But so many even today will "Nod" and walk right past the Preacher, without hearing a **Word of Grace and Salvation**.

In Noah's time, the most notorious sinners were the men of Renown, worshipped by all the rest, and listened to, till the very deluge that carried them all away, no giant came to save.



SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- IN GENESIS 3:15 GOD TOLD THE SERPENT THAT **THE SEED** OF THE WOMAN WOULD CRUSH HIS HEAD!
- JESUS CHRIST WAS **THE SEED** OF THE VIRGIN WOMAN!
- **JESUS CHRIST** CAME TO DESTROY THE WORKS OF THE DEVIL!

BUT NOAH FOUND GRACE IN THE EYES OF THE LORD

Noah did not find **Grace** in the eyes of sinners, but in the Eyes of The LORD his Creator!

Gen 5:28 And Lamech lived an hundred * * eighty and two years, and begat a son: And he called his name **Noah**, saying, This same shall comfort us concerning our work and **toil**

of our hands, because **of the ground which the LORD hath cursed** (because of **Sin**). Gen 5:32 And **Noah** was five hundred years old: and **Noah** begat **Shem**, **Ham**, and **Japheth**.

Gen 6:8 **But Noah found grace in the eyes of the LORD.**

Jesus Christ, "the Seed of the woman", is Now the 'Door of entry to God.' In Jesus, all find **Saving Grace Today...**



THESE ARE THE GENERATIONS OF NOAH

EVERY MAN IS AFFECTED BY GENERATIONS BEFORE HIM, AND HE AFFECTS THE GENERATIONS FOLLOWING HIM AS WELL. When you wake up in the morning and retire in the evening, are you constantly bombarded with news of graphic violence? Have you ever asked yourself, is there no **good news**? Do you grow weary of T.V. AND MOVIE Violence? Do you wonder what is Driving people to commit and promote Violence? Do you worry about your sons and daughters, and the world they will face? Genesis

6:9 These are the generations of Noah:

Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God. And Noah begat three sons, Shem, Ham, and Japheth. The earth also was corrupt before God, and the earth was filled (furnished) with violence.

Does it seem like the Reverent Fear of the LORD has left the citizens of our land?



Then Announce the GOOD GOSPEL NEWS OF SALVATION in JESUS, the Name above all names!



GOD IS STILL WATCHING THE LOW WAYS OF THE DISSOBEDIANT, WITH HOPES OF LEADING THEM TO HIS OBEDIENT SON, **Jesus Christ The Savior!**

GOD, AND HIS WATCHERS... WATCH

THE WORLD OF SINNERS ARE SO SURE THAT GOD DOES NOT SEE THEIR SINFUL BEHAVIOR. THEY THINK THAT THE COVER OF DARKNESS THEY COVER THEMSELVES WITH IS 'A CLOAKING DEVICE' BETWEEN THEM AND GOD:

Genesis 6:12 **And God ('elohiyim is plural) (early inclination to The Trinity) looked upon the earth (to inspect, consider, gaze at), and, behold, it was corrupt**

(going to ruin, decay, morally perverted, being spoiled) for all flesh (body of humans erring against God) had corrupted his way (journey, direction, moral character) upon the earth. And God said (spoke) unto **Noah** (rest), The end (of earth time) of all (erring) flesh is come before me (My face); for the earth is filled (armed) with violence through them; (wrong, cruelty, oppression, injustice) and, behold, I will destroy them (together) with the earth. **Noah's Family** was the only Godly "woman's seed" left uncorrupted. Through whom the **Christ, the Savior, would come into the World through the line of Shem's descendants.** Shem= name. **JESUS** - the name above all names!

The Man **NOAH** is mentioned 46 times in the Bible!

GOD CREATED MAN, IN THE LIKENESS OF GOD!

Gen 5:1 This is the book of the generations of Adam. In the day **that God created man, in the likeness of God made he him; Male and female created he them; and blessed them,** and called their name **Adam**, in the day when they were created. And Adam lived an hundred and thirty years, and **begat a son in his own likeness,** **after his image;** and called his name **Seth:** And the days of Adam after he had begotten **Seth** were eight hundred years: and he **begat sons and daughters:**



ARE WE FOLLOWING THE SON OF GOD, ARE WE ON "THE WAY" BACK TO OUR FATHER AND CREATOR? **JESUS CHRIST IS THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE BRIDGE BACK TO FATHER GOD!**

NOAH OBEYS GOD AND SAVES HIS FAMILY

Genesis 7:5 And Noah did according unto all that the LORD commanded him.

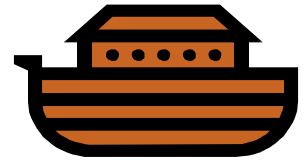
And Noah was six hundred years old when the flood of waters was upon the earth. And Noah went in, and his sons, and his wife, and his sons' wives with him, into the ark, because of the waters of the flood. Ge 7:10 And it came to pass after seven days, that the waters of the flood were upon the earth. In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, the seventeenth * * day of the month, the same day

were all the fountains of the great deep broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened. And the rain was upon the earth forty days and forty nights. In the selfsame day entered Noah, and Shem, and Ham, and Japheth, the sons of Noah, and Noah's wife, and the three wives of his sons with them, into the ark; Ge 7:16 And they that went in, went in male and female of all flesh, as God had commanded him: and the LORD (The Existing One) shut (enclosed) him in.

In the day of the deluge, God closed **the door** of the ark, after waiting 120 years for a change of heart, and faith, and obedience.

Now in these days before great troubles come upon the earth, **JESUS CHRIST IS THE DOOR OF SALVATION!** Will mankind ignore **this open door to safety** from the wrath of God, also in the end of this Age?

Heb 11:7 By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, **moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house;** by the which he condemned the world, **and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith.**



JESUS CHRIST, THE OPEN DOOR OF SALVATION



John 10:1 "In most solemn truth I tell you that the man who does not enter the sheepfold by **the door**, but climbs over some other way, is a thief and a robber. But he who enters by **the door** is the **shepherd** of the sheep. To him the porter opens **the door**, and the sheep hear his voice; and **he calls his own sheep by their names** and leads them out.



When he has brought out his own sheep--all of them--he walks at the head of them; and the sheep follow him, because **they know his voice**. But a stranger they will by no means follow, but will run away from him, because they do not know the voice of strangers." Jesus spoke to them in this figurative language, but they did not understand what

He meant. Again therefore Jesus said to them, "In most solemn truth I tell you that **I am the Door of the sheep**.

All who have come before me are thieves and robbers; but the sheep would not listen to them. **I am the Door. If any one enters by me, he will find safety, and will go in and out and find pasture.** The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy:

I have come that they may have Life, and may have it **in abundance**.

John 10:30 **"I and the Father are one."** -Jesus



ENCOURAGEMENT TO ALL MEN OF VALOR

We have come so far from the genesis of Adam, and so much THE LORD has spoken, has already come to pass in our time/space world. Through the Bible we have come to learn to Reverence the Creator, the Sustainer, and the Savior Jesus Christ, the very and only begotten Son of the LORD God.

They say there are 3 major religions who believe in the ONE GOD, and Jesus Christ showed us who this ONE GOD is. Just as He made Adam in His Image, taking the dust from the ground to form his Body, breathing into his nostrils the Spirit so that he could come into being as a living Soul —Gen 2:7

Why do the sons of Adam find it so hard to understand that THE ONE GOD could be FATHER, SON AND HOLY SPIRIT ?

AND STILL BE ONE GOD IN ESSENCE!


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Just like Bill's Spirit —is "Bill". Bill's Soul —is "Bill" and Bill's Body —is also the being, "Bill"...

3 parts= still only equal = "1 LIVING BEING" as in The Father, The Spirit, and The Word (Jesus).

Take away one part and the other two dissolve., when our spirit leaves our body, we are pronounced dead. so how does anyone think that all 3 expressions of the Triune God are not constantly working together as LORD God. The Godhead have worked together from the beginning of Creation. "let Us make man in Our Image, and after Our likeness" —Genesis 1:26. "In the Beginning GOD = elohiym (plural) and a reference to the Godhead or Trinity. Likewise, it is a mistake for man to care for the body, and neglect the Soul. Or care for his body and soul (mind), and neglect his Spirit which is the receptor of God.

STRONG IN THE FAITH UNTIL THE LORD'S COMING

Our Master said that "he who endures to the end shall be saved!" any time along that 120 year period, Noah, Noah's Wife, Noah's son Shem, Noah's son Ham, or Noah's son Japheth. At any time Shem's wife, Ham's wife or Japheth's wife could have let down their Faith and returned to the ways of the fallen Race.. under coming judgment. The 7 last days before the Fountains of the Deep, and the Windows of heaven were opened, were the greatest test of Faith for Noah and each member of his Saved Family,

safe in the Ark! Imagine being in that Ark with all those animals, it must have felt narrow and confining, as the seventh day approached.

Heb 10:25 **Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.**

(KJV#). Heb 10:25 **not neglecting--as some habitually do--to meet together, but en-**

couraging one another, and doing this all the more since you can see the day of Christ approaching. (Weymouth NT). **Let's keep a firm grip on the promises that keep us going. He always keeps His Word. Let's see how inventive we can be in encouraging love and helping out, not avoiding worshipping together as some do, but spurring each other on, especially as we see The Big Day Approaching!"** —

The Message Bible.

