

### The Heart of the Matter

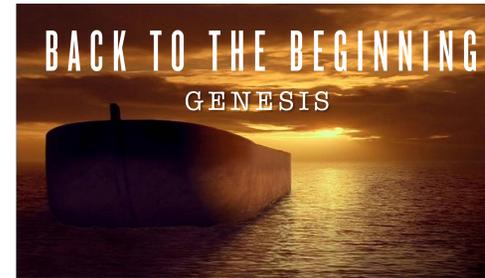
12. Are there any storms on your horizon? What do you need to do to find safety?

13. Noah was the only one in his generation who was found righteous. Have you ever felt like you were the only one who was trying to be righteous in your walk with God? Who are some modern day examples we can look to of those who are righteously walking with God?

14. Noah is described as a “righteous” and “blameless” man who “walked with God.” What would you need to change in your life in order to have a reputation like Noah’s?

15. What is something difficult that God is asking you to do right now? How does God’s promises to Noah encourage you with your situation?

### Praises and Prayer Requests:



## Life Group Study Guide

### Finding Peace in the Storm Genesis 6:9-22 For the Week of March 20, 2022

#### Getting Started

1. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend’s message did you find to be the most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling?
2. What animal would you make sure was on the ark? Which animal would you make sure was not on the ark?
3. What do you do when the weather forecast is calling for a bad storm approaching?

### **Digging Deeper**

4. Given the overt violence, pervasive corruption and heavy peer pressure surrounding Noah, what might Noah be thinking when God tells him to build the ark?

5. In verses 11-22 God told Noah of His plans to destroy all flesh, His plan to preserve life, and why He was doing all this. Why did Noah need to know all these details? How would it help him to do his part?

6. What was the ark designed to do? How similar are the ratios of its dimensions to today's ocean going ships, especially oil tankers?

7. What do you think was the hardest thing Noah faced in building the ark?

8. The ark was designed with a capacity for around 500 railroad cars or about 125,000 goat-sized animals. How was Noah to gather all these creatures? (V20) How was Noah able to control animals that were accustomed to running wild?

9. The word "covenant" is used for the first time in the Bible in verse 18. What is a covenant? What is the overall purpose of God's covenants with men? (Genesis 9:8-17; 15:18; 17:2; Exodus 6:4; 24:8; II Samuel 7; Mark 14:22-25; I Corinthians 11:23-25)

10. Is God faithful in keeping His covenants? What is the most important covenant God has made with us? (Genesis 3:15)

11. What character traits of God are shown by His preparation of Noah and His plan to bring the flood?