

Noah and the Flood – Part 3

Genesis 8:1-19

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Main Point:

Because of God's covenant faithfulness to you in Jesus, there will be a new world of blessing for you on the other side of judgment; therefore, as you suffer in this life, look forward to what is to come!

1. You will survive God's impending judgment as a believer.

2. On the other side of judgment there will be a new world of blessing for you to enjoy forever.

3. This new world is yours to anticipate because of God's covenant faithfulness to you in Jesus.

4. Look forward to enjoying what Christ has purchased for you in the future!

Romans 8:1 ¹ *There is* therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus ... (NKJV)

Sidney Greidanus "The narrator wishes us to understand that the flood is the undoing of creation and the world after the flood is a new creation."

2 Peter 3:7, 10, 13 ⁷ But the heavens and the earth *which* are now preserved by the same word, are reserved for fire until the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men ... ¹⁰ ... in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat ... ¹³ Nevertheless we, according to His promise, look for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells. (NKJV)

Revelation 21:1, 3-4 ¹ Now I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away ... ³ And I heard a loud voice from heaven saying, "Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people. God Himself will be with them *and be* their God. ⁴ "And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away." (NKJV)

Allen Ross "To say 'God remembered Noah' is to say that God faithfully kept his promise to Noah by intervening to end the flood."

Genesis 6:18 ¹⁸ "But I will establish My covenant with you; and you shall go into the ark-- you, your sons, your wife, and your sons' wives with you. (NKJV)

Hebrews 10:23 ²³ Let us hold fast the confession of *our* hope without wavering, for He who promised *is* faithful. (NKJV)

Isaiah 49:15-16 ¹⁵ "Can a woman forget her nursing child, And not have compassion on the son of her womb? Surely they may forget, Yet I will not forget you. ¹⁶ See, I have inscribed you on the palms *of My hands*; Your walls *are* continually before Me. (NKJV)