Interlocked Series

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Lesson 5: The Global Flood

- 1. Whose idea was it to build the ark?
 - 1) Noah
 - 2) God
 - 3) Mrs. Noah
 - 4) Ham, Noah's son

- 2. What was the ark for?
 - 1) It was for a design competition
 - 2) It was to test how strong the wood was
 - 3) It was a cruise liner for tourists
 - 4) It was to save life

- 3. How many doors were there on the ark?
 - 1) None, everyone climbed in through the roof
 - 2) One
 - 3) Four, two doors on each side
 - 4) Eight, four doors on each side

- 4. How many people got into the ark?
 - 1) Everyone in the world at that time
 - 2) Two: Noah and his wife
 - 3) Eight: Noah and three sons and all their wives
 - 4) None: the ark was only for animals

- 5. What kind of animals got into the ark?
 - 1) The animals that breathed air
 - 2) Only the animals that were good for food
 - 3) All the land animals and fish
 - 4) None, God created new animals after the Flood

6. Why did God allow Noah to get into the ark?

- 1) God liked how Noah looked
- 2) Noah paid God for the ticket to get into the ark
- 3) Noah promised to look after the animals
- 4) God said Noah was a righteous man

- 7. Who closed the door of the ark?
 - 1) Noah and his sons, of course!
 - 2) God alone did
 - 3) Noah hired some people to close it from the outside
 - 4) They left the door open for some fresh air

- 8. Where did all the floodwaters come from?
 - 1) From the sky and also the ground
 - 2) Only from the sky in the form of rain and snow
 - 3) Only from underground springs that overflowed
 - 4) From melting snow around the world

- 9. Where did Noah keep all the fishes in the ark?
 - 1) He had special tanks in the ark
 - 2) The bottom of the ark was a gigantic aquarium
 - 3) There were no fishes in the ark
 - 4) They were in nets attached to the outside of the ark

10. How long did the floodwaters cover the earth?

1) 150 days

- 2) 40 days and 40 nights
- 3) Who knows, the Bible doesn't say
- 4) 600 years

- 11. How many mountains could Noah see during the flood?
 - 1) Just the tallest mountain at that time
 - 2) A few of the very tall ones
 - 3) None, the whole world was under water
 - 4) He could see all the mountains

- 12. How long did Noah stay in the ark?
 - 1) 40 days and 40 nights
 - 2) About one whole year
 - 3) 2 weeks
 - 4) 150 days

- 13. How did the floodwaters subside?
 - 1) God stopped the rain
 - 2) God stopped the underground waters from rising
 - 3) God sent a wind to blow the earth dry
 - 4) God did all the above

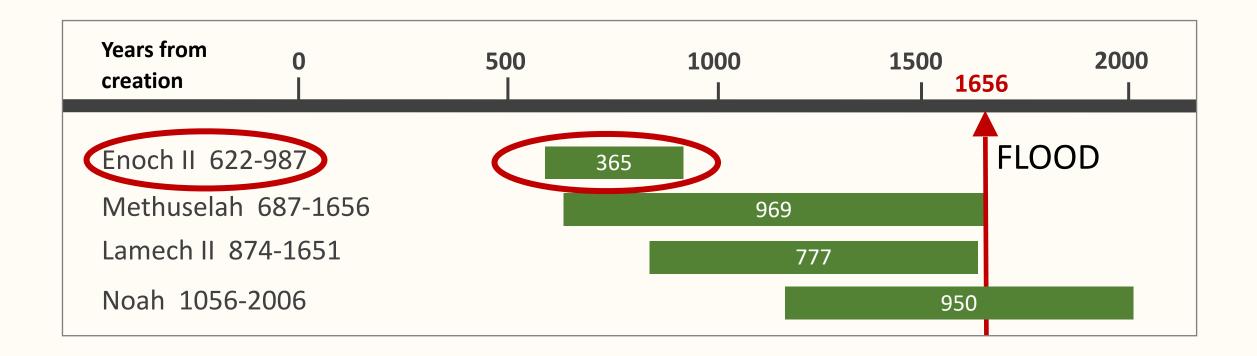
Five Lessons we Learn From the Global Flood

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1. Grace before judgment	120 year grace period • Enoch warnedNoah warned
2. Who to save, who to judge	Saved: Those in the arkJudged: Those outside the ark
3. Only one way of salvation	Only one ark designed by God and it had only one door.
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5. How to be saved: by faith	Noah was saved because he trusted God.

Grace Before Judgment

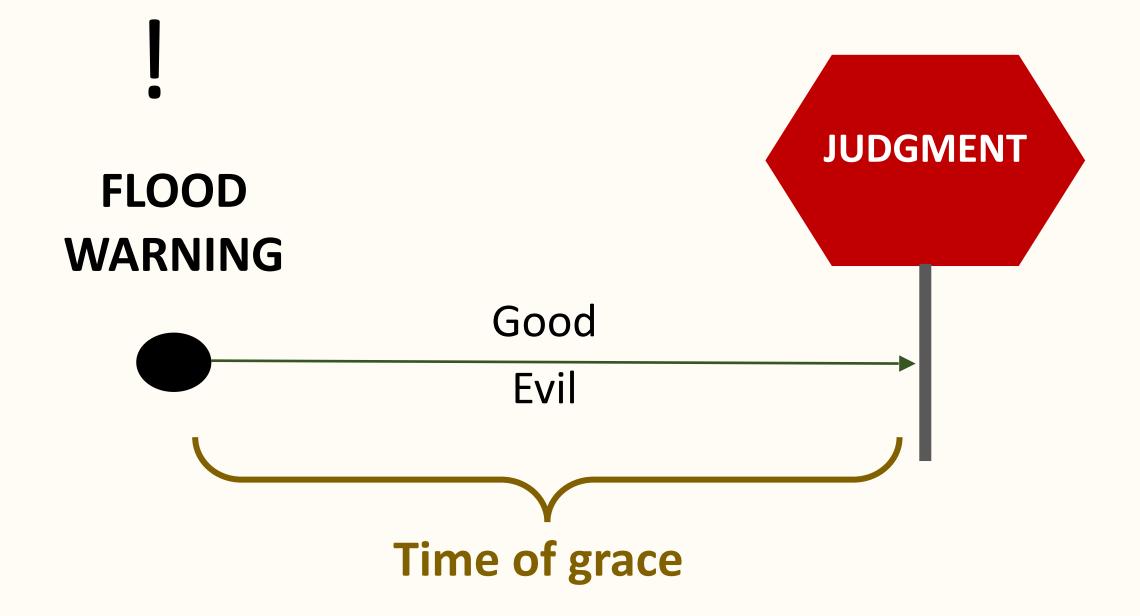
<u>Jude 14,</u> "Now Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied about these men also, saying, 'Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of His holy ones [angels],

Jude 15, "to execute judgment on all, to convict all who are ungodly among them of all their ungodly deeds which they have committed in an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things which ungodly sinners have spoken against Him.'"



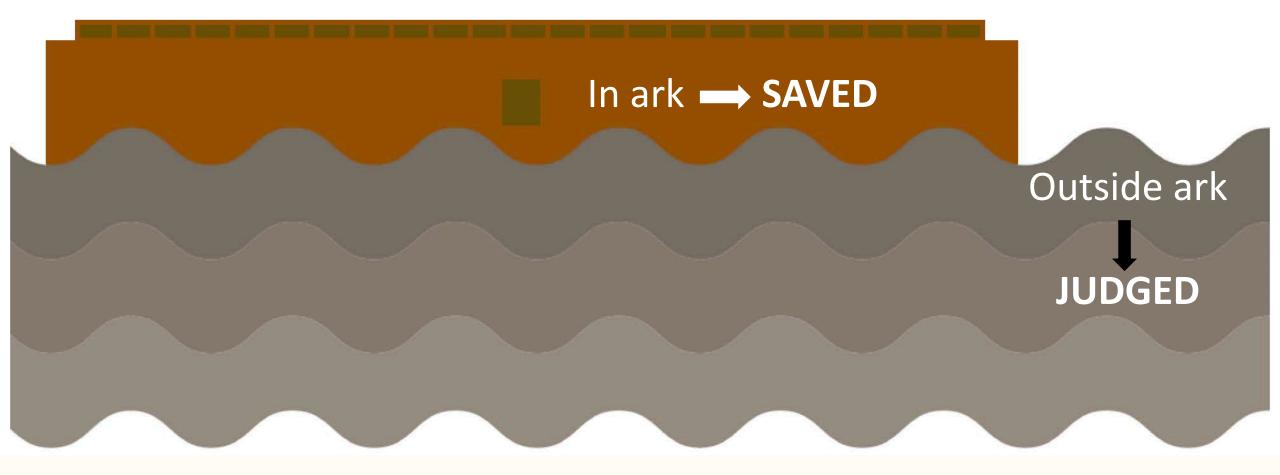
<u>2 Pet. 2:5,</u> "and did not spare the ancient world, but saved Noah, one of eight people, <u>a preacher of righteousness</u>, bringing in the flood on the world of the ungodly; [NKJV]

<u>2 Pet. 2:5,</u> "And God did not spare the ancient world except for Noah and the seven others in his family. <u>Noah</u> <u>warned the world of God's righteous judgment</u>. So God protected Noah when he destroyed the world of ungodly people with a vast flood." [NLT]



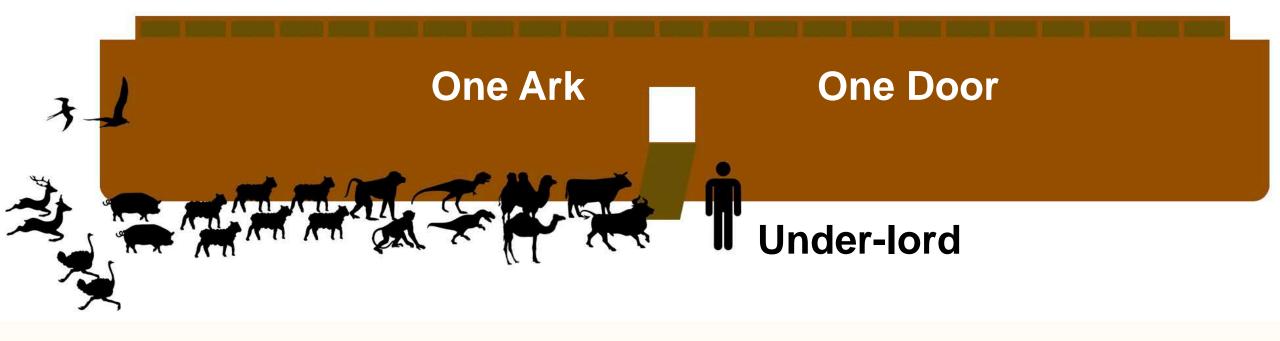
<u>Gen. 6:3,</u> "And the LORD said, 'My Spirit shall not remain with man forever, for he is indeed flesh; yet his days shall be one hundred and twenty years.' " Genesis 6:8 (KJV) Noah found grace in the eyes of the LORD. Genesis 6:8 (NLT) But Noah found favor with the LORD. <u>2 Pet. 3:9</u>, "The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance."

2. Who to save, who to judge



3. Only one way of salvation

ONE ark ONE door



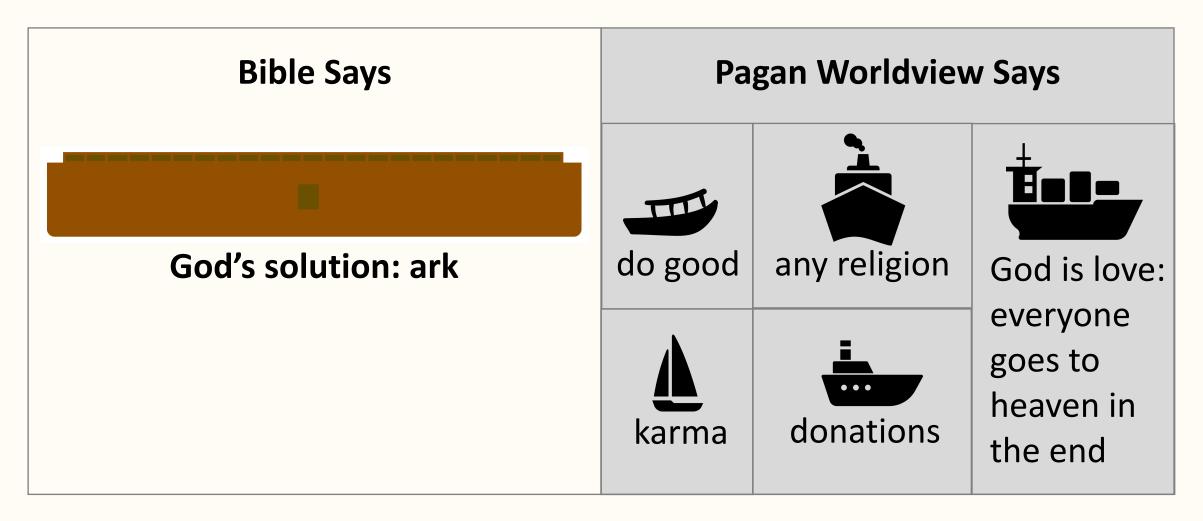
<u>Genesis 7:16,</u>

"A male and female of each kind entered, just as God had commanded Noah. <u>Then the LORD closed the door behind</u> <u>them</u>." [NLT]

<u>Gen. 7:16</u>, "So those that entered, male and female of all flesh, went in as God had commanded him; <u>and the LORD</u> <u>shut him in</u>." [NKJV]

Are there many ways to be saved?

Ways to be Saved



Yahweh's Judgment: Global Flood



Only Yahweh knows what a Global Flood looks like. Only He can provide the solution of how to survive the Flood. All man-made solutions will fail—man has no clue what is actually coming.

4. The world changed

<u>Gen. 7:17</u>, "Now the flood was on the earth forty days. <u>The</u> waters increased and lifted up the ark, and it rose high above the earth.

<u>Gen. 7:18</u>, "The waters prevailed and greatly increased on the earth, and the ark moved about on the surface of the waters.

<u>Gen. 7:19</u>, "And the waters prevailed exceedingly on the earth, and <u>all the high hills under the whole heaven were covered</u>.

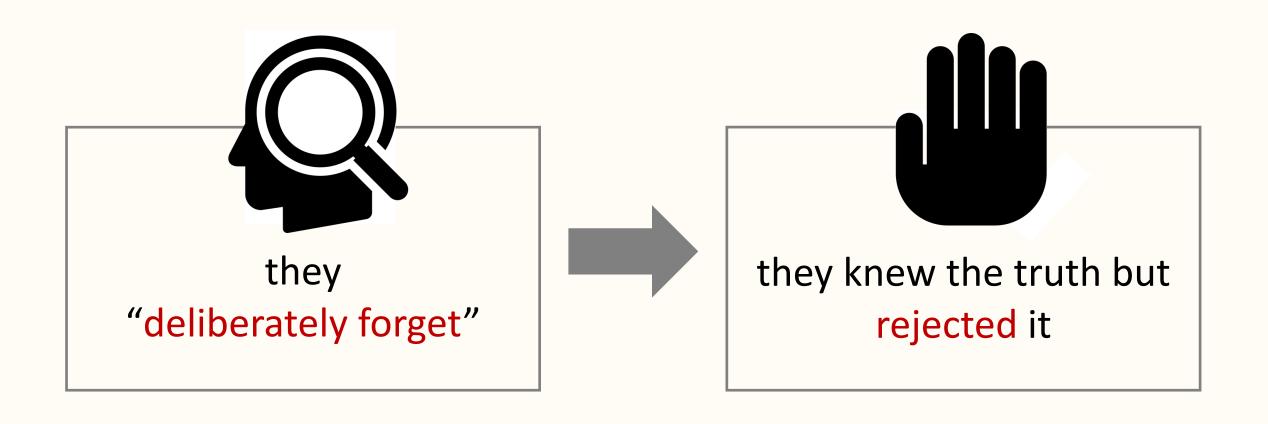
<u>Gen. 7:20, "The waters prevailed fifteen cubits upward, and</u> the mountains were covered."

<u>Gen. 7:24,</u> "And the waters prevailed on the earth one hundred and fifty days."

<u>2 Pet. 3:5, "For this they willfully</u> <u>forget</u>: that by the word of God the heavens were <u>of old</u>, and the earth standing out of water and in the water,

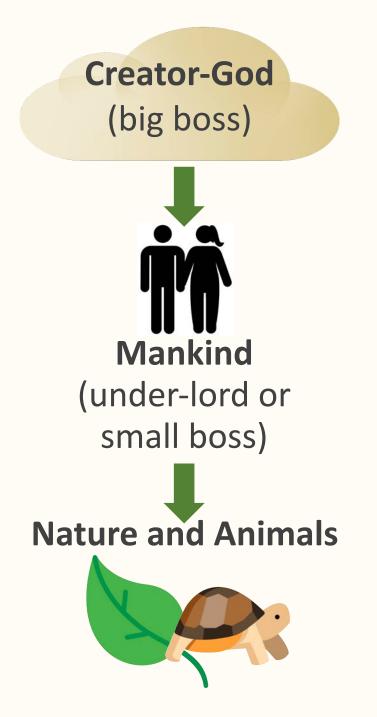
<u>2 Pet. 3:6</u>, "by which the world <u>that</u> <u>then existed</u> perished, being flooded with water.

<u>2 Pet. 3:7</u>, "But the heavens and the earth which are <u>now</u> preserved by the same word, are reserved for fire until the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men." Then He used the water to destroy the ancient world with a mighty flood. 2 Peter 3:6

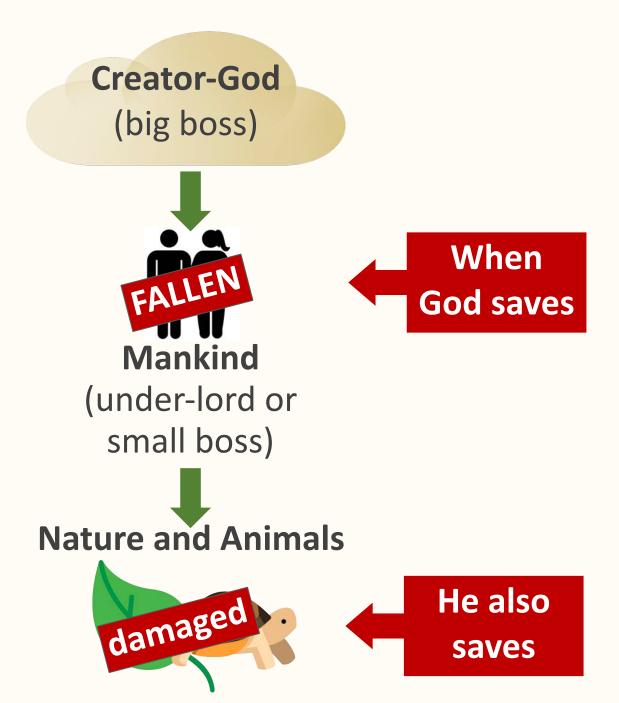


Is it true that whatever happens in the physical world has nothing to do with "spiritual things"?

God's original design was for the human race as the underlord to responsibly care for and utilize the various resources God created in the earth.

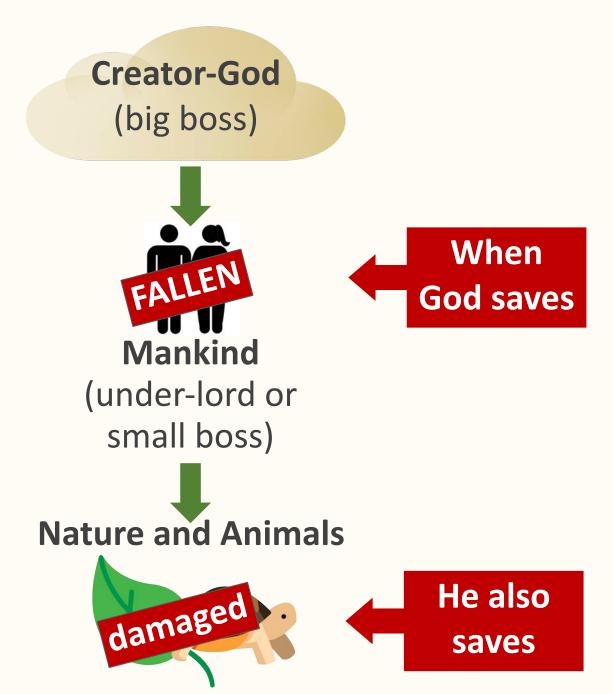


BUT ALL of creation was damaged by sin. This is much greater than all of human pollution, emissions, strip mining, logging—anything that man has ever done.



Rom. 8:21, "because <u>the creation</u> <u>itself also will be delivered from the</u> <u>bondage of corruption into the</u> <u>glorious liberty of the children of</u> <u>God</u>.

Rom. 8:22, "For we know that <u>the</u> whole creation groans and labors with birth pangs together until now."



5. How to be saved: by faith

<u>Heb. 11:7</u>, "By faith Noah, being divinely warned of things not yet seen, moved with godly fear, prepared an ark for the saving of his household, by which he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness which is according to faith."

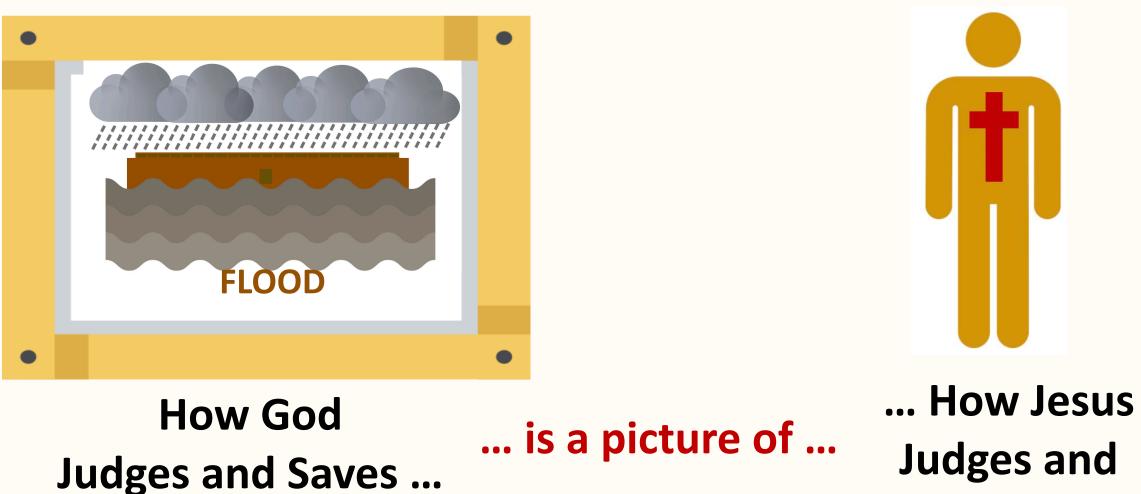
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A Picture of Salvation



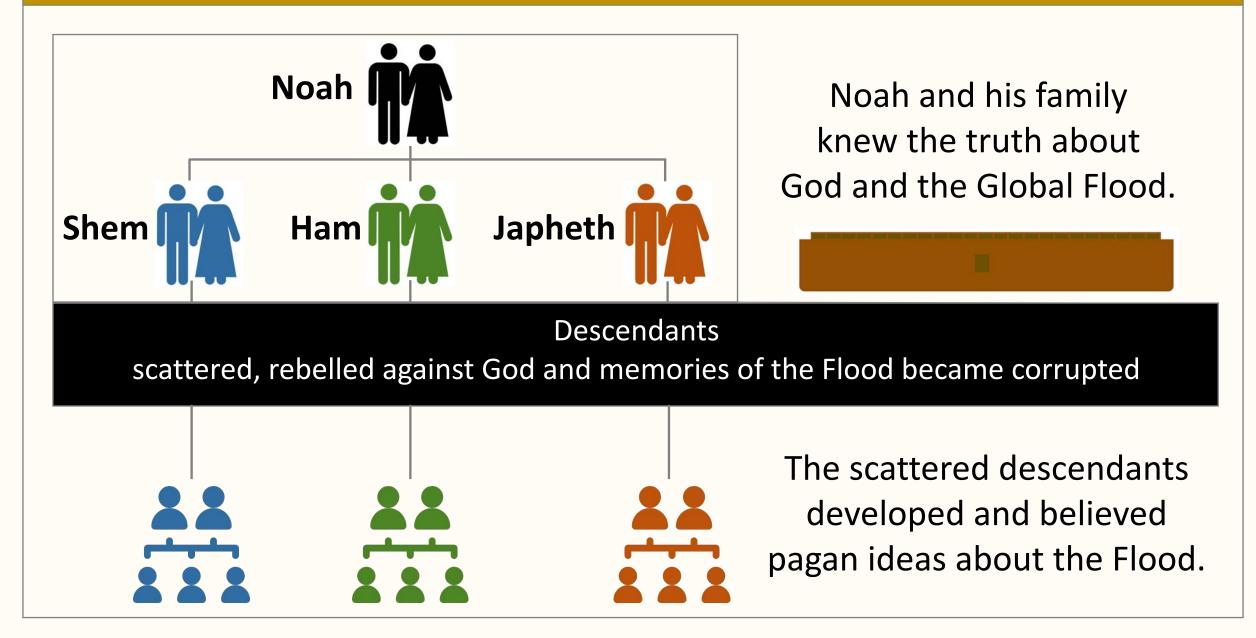
Saves.

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1. The existence of pagan accounts of a big flood.

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2. The depth of the flood water and the duration of the flood.

