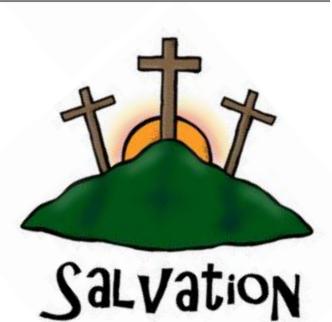
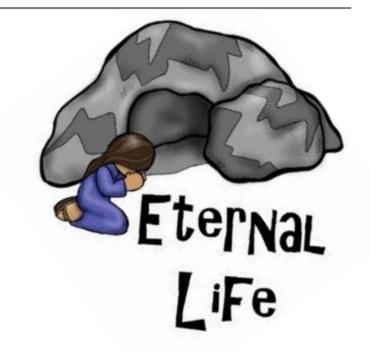
This story is told in Genesis 6-9		Gods Characteristics	<u>Characteristics</u> <u>Today</u>	
		Judge	God looks down at us today and sees us doing wicked	
1	God looked down at the world and saw that everyone was doing evil things. (Sin)	With Him, there are consequences for sins, and rewards for righteousness	things	
	God had to punish those people for breaking His laws.		God says there is a punishment for sin, and it's the same as it was in Noah's day— death.	
2	That punishment was death by a massive flood.	His ways are not our ways, so there will always be elements of things we don't understand that will require our faith (just as it did for Noah.)	In our case, it's a spiritual death—separation from God for all eternity.	
			If you believe God, even when you can't see the future, that's called faith.	
	Noah and his family were the only ones who still obeyed God.		Just like Noah believed that God really would send a flood, you have to believe that you will be punished for your sins someday.	
	They believed Him when he said a flood was coming, and began to build the ark.	Next, we can learn that if God gives us a plan to follow, He will provide us with everything we need to accomplish it; wood, nails, energy, animal calls it will all be there.	However, just like Noah had the ark, you and I have a way to be saved to—our "ark" is Jesus Christ. He died on a cross to pay for our sins.	
4	God saved Noah and his family, and the rest of the world was destroyed.	God keeps his promises. He is trustworthy, faithful, and unmovable. What He says is solid and true.	Now, you have to "get on board" the ark. You have to accept Jesus' gift of grace and tell him that you believe and accept what He did for you.	









By having FAITH, we receive GRACE from God, which leads to SALVATION, where we will have ETERNAL LIFE "... Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day in

accordance with the Scriptures..."

1 Corinthians 15:3-4

And they said, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household."

Acts 16:31



Complete trust / strong believe / faith

For by *grace* you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of work...

Ephesians 2:8-9

But *grow in the grace* and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen

2 Peter 3:18

How can we be saved?

... if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be **saved**.

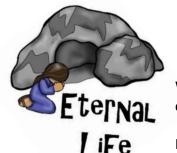
Romans 10:9



Living forever with God – spiritual life

Undeserved favour from God /

gift from God



Grace

"For God so loved the world, that he gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have *eternal life*."

John 3:16

What do we deserve because of our sin?

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is **eternal life** in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 6:23



SALVATION

JESUS PAID IT ALL

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