

Noah

Trusting in Mercy



A Preacher Without Words

A Preacher of Righteousness

cp. 2 Pet 2v5

NOTE – Not one word is ever recorded being spoken by Noah prior to the Flood



Noah's actions spoke far louder than his words ever could!!!

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QUESTION:

Do our Actions Match our Faith?

It's not good enough being a Christadelphian...
WE'VE ACTUALLY GOT TO ACT LIKE ONE TOO!!!



Our Behaviour Must Match Our Belief

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The Classification of Clean Animals

"Clean Animals" – Lev 11v3

Cloven Foot  Surety of foot in hostile terrain Maintain surety of walk in Truth having the Word as a light to his path Psa 18v33 Hab 3v19 Song 2v8-9	Chewing the Cud  Regurgitation & rumination of food Meditating on the Word bringing all things to remembrance Jer 15v16 Psa 119v97,103
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40 Days & 40 Nights of Rain

Moses – Mt Sinai – Deut 9v9
 Twelve Spies – In the Land – Num 13v26
 Elijah – In the Wilderness – 1 Kings 19v8
 Ninevites – In Assyria – Jonah 3v4
 Christ – In the Wilderness – Matt 4v2

Number 40

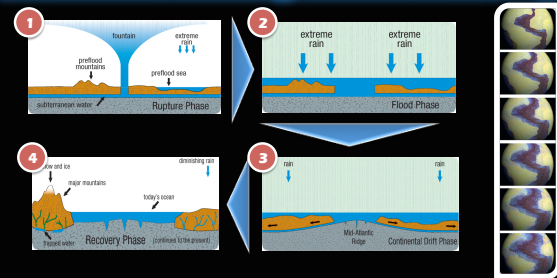
Number of Trial and Probation

"That the trying of your
 faith worketh patience"
 James 1v3

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The Water of the Flood

Fountains of Deep were broken up



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God's Hand @ Work

The Divine Hand for Judgment & Mercy

	JUDGMENT	MERCY
v17	The flood was 40 days & 40 nights upon the earth; & the waters increased	And bare up the ark & it was lifted up above the earth
v18	The waters prevailed & were increased greatly upon the earth	And the ark went upon the face of the waters
V19-23	And the waters prevailed exceedingly upon the earth & ALL the high hills that were under the whole heaven were covered... - All flesh died - All in whose nostrils was the breath of life & all in the dry land died - And every living substance destroyed from the earth	And Noah only remained alive & they that were with him in the ark
v24	AND THE WATERS PREVAILED UPON THE EARTH AN 150 DAYS	

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God's Mercy in Type

The Mercy of God Foreshadowed in type

	STEPS	MEANING	LESSON
Eph 2v15-18	1. Bare up Ark	Lift up or bare away (forgiveness)	Mercy provided through forgiveness
	2. Lifted above earth	Carried above or set on high	Raises us up to sit in heavenly places in Christ Jesus John 3v14, 8v28
	3. Ark went upon face of waters	Lit – In walking it went	Walking in newness of Life Rom 6v4

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Emphasis on Total Destruction

Died
"all flesh died"

Killed
"All in whose nostrils was the breath of life in the dry land died"

Erased
"Every living thing destroyed which was upon the face of the earth"

**EVERYTHING ANNIHILATED TO ...
... ENABLE GOD TO START AGAIN**

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The Hand of God

QUESTION:

Judgment or **Mercy**

God's hand is coming for Judgment & Mercy...
THE CHOICE IS OURS TO MAKE TODAY