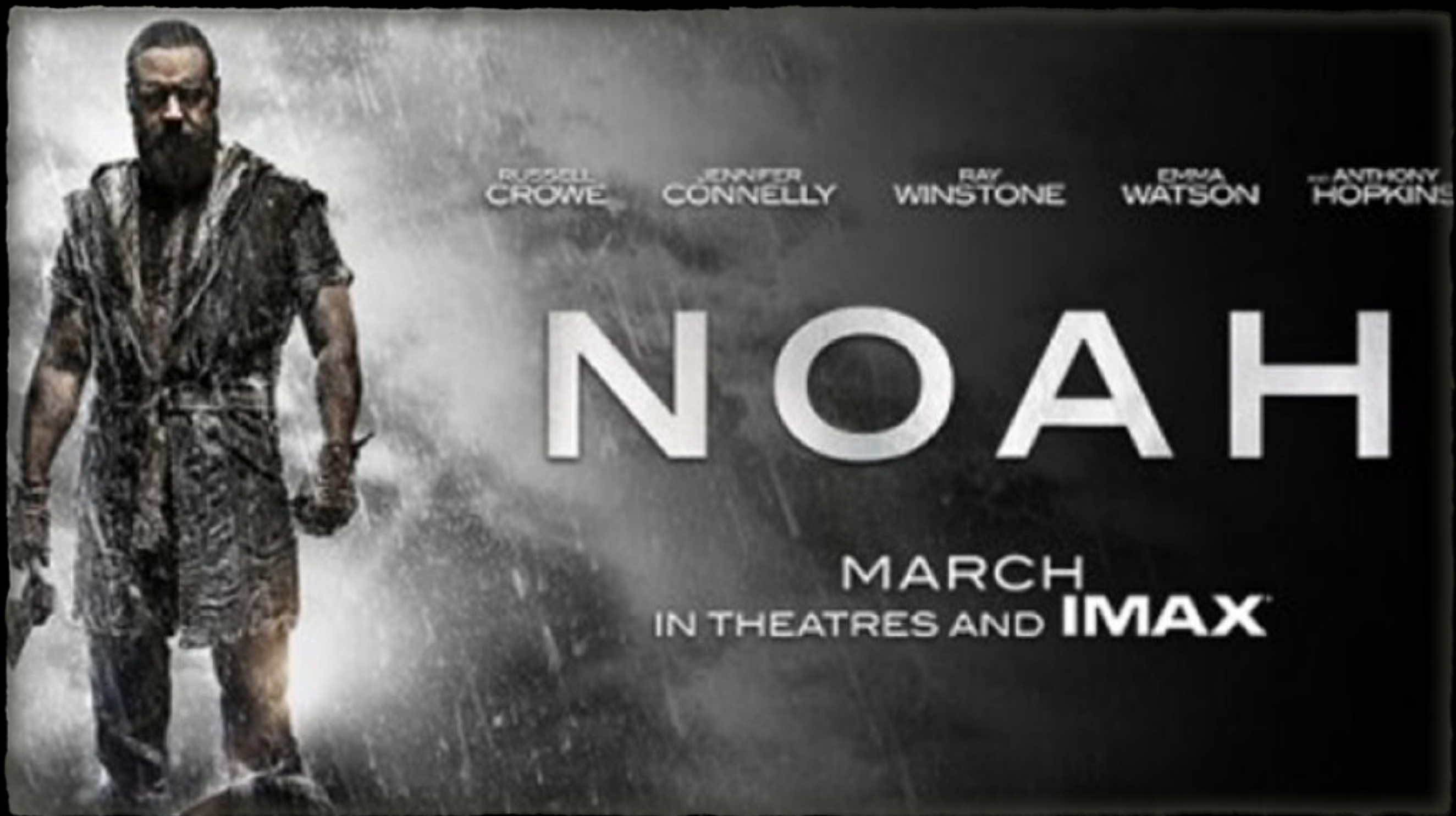


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A big difference between the Biblical
Noah & the Hollywood Noah!

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**Noah was a
righteous man, and
walked with God
(Gen. 6:8-9; 7:1).**

**He stood in stark contrast
to the world around him
(Gen. 6:5-7, 11-13).**

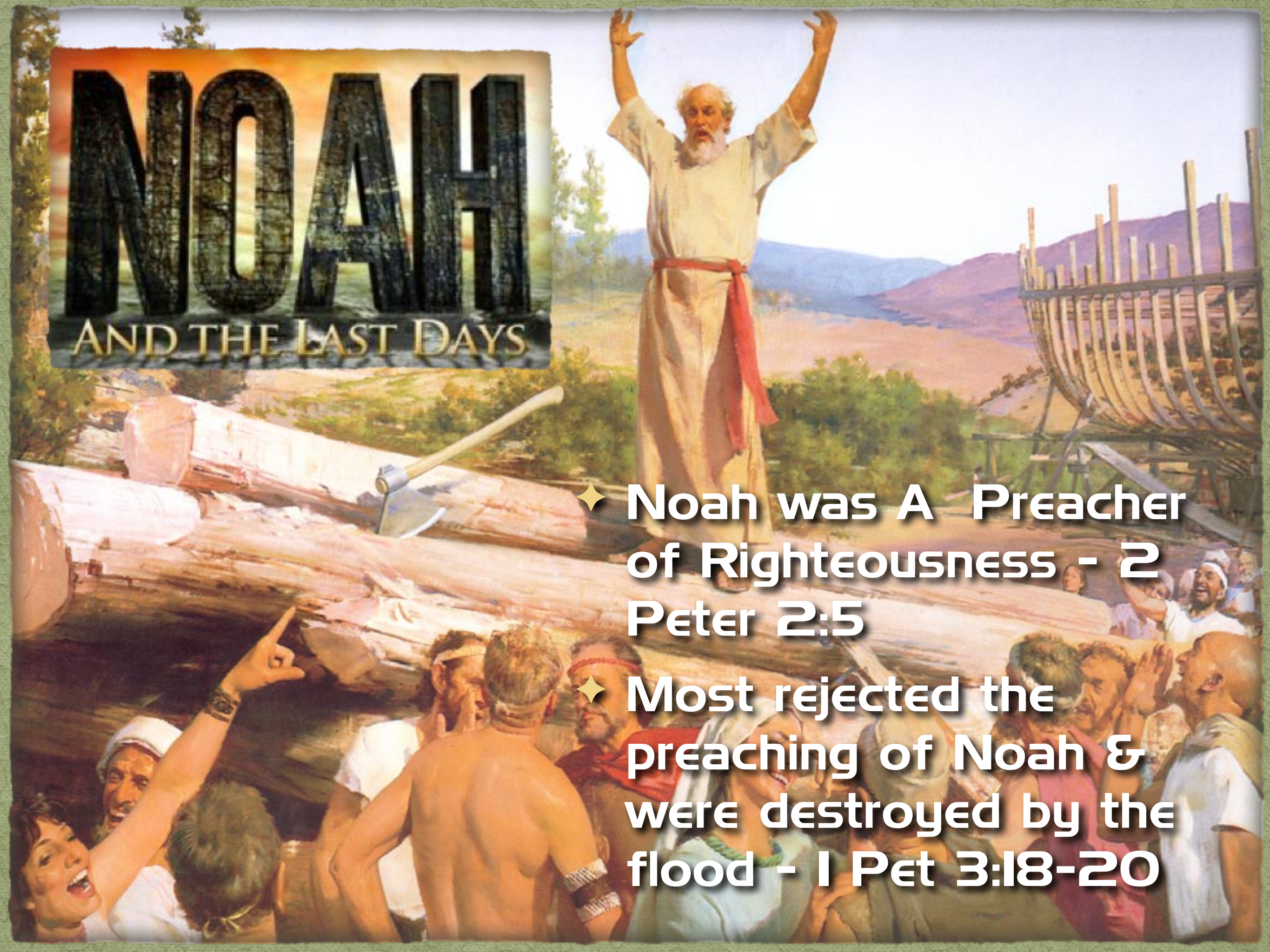
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“By faith Noah, being warned by God about things not yet seen, in reverence prepared an ark for the salvation of his household, by which he condemned the world, and became an heir of the righteousness which is according to faith” (Heb. 11:7).

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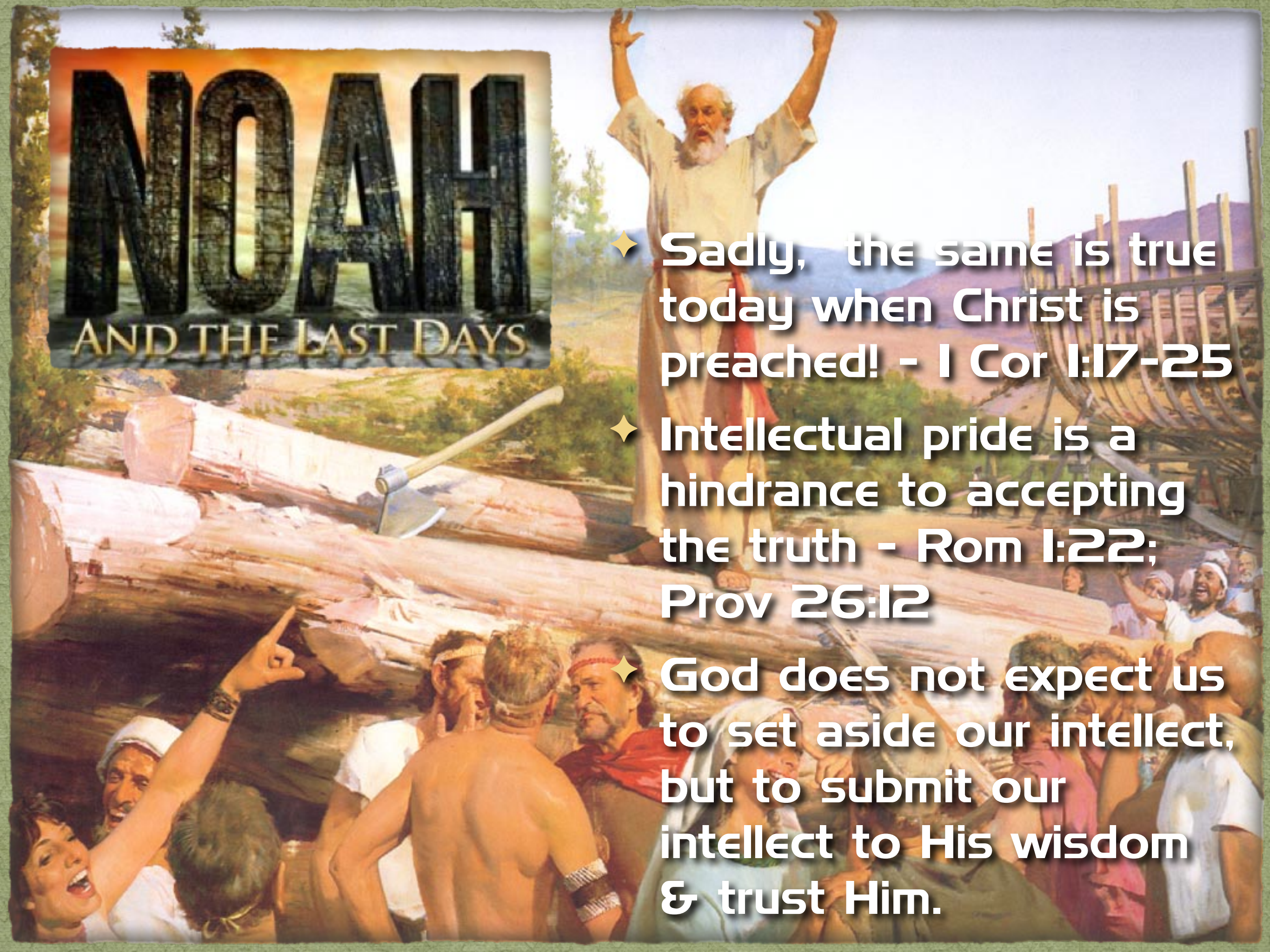


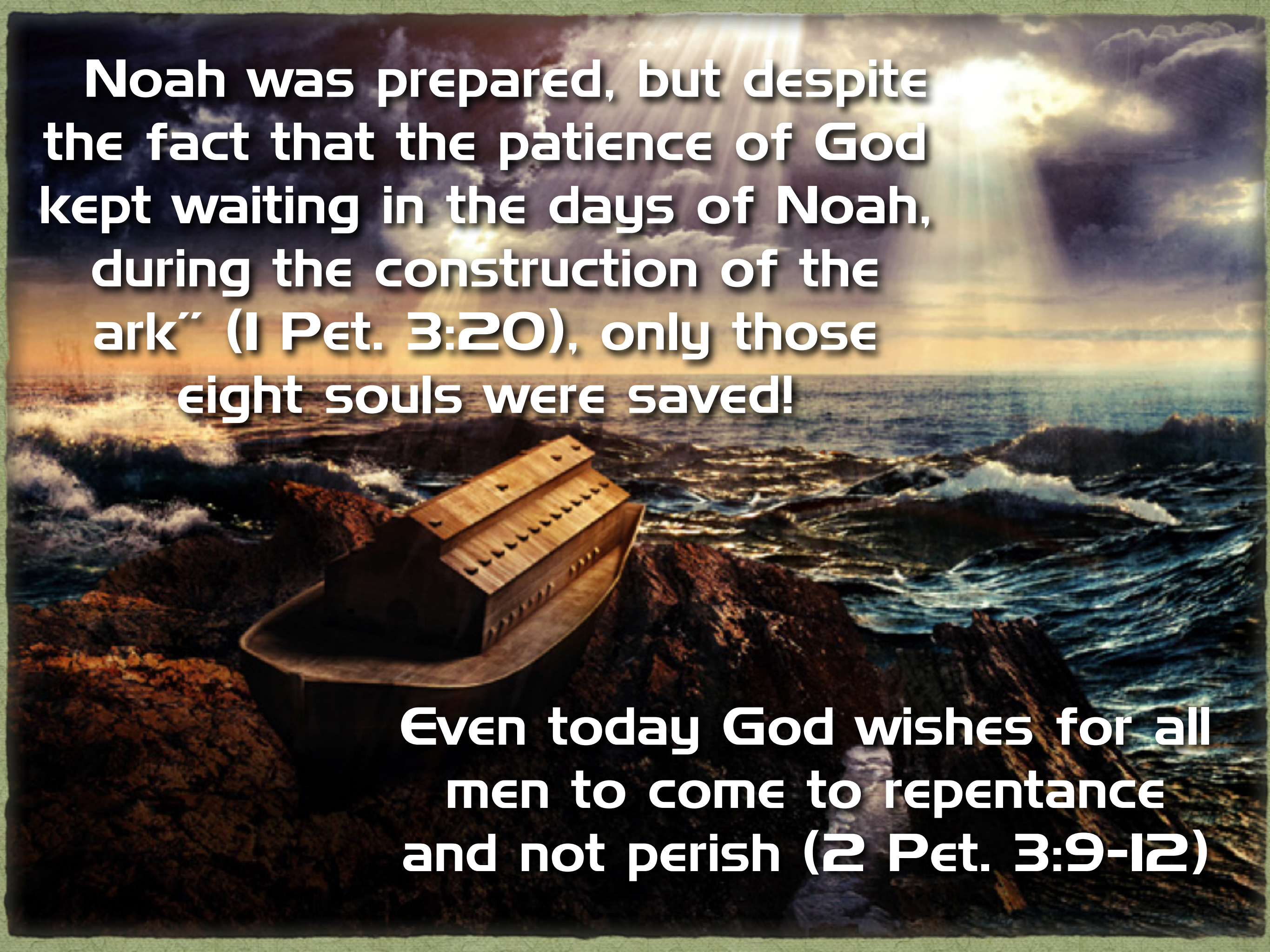
◆ Noah was A Preacher of Righteousness - 2 Peter 2:5

◆ Most rejected the preaching of Noah & were destroyed by the flood - 1 Pet 3:18-20

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- ✦ Sadly, the same is true today when Christ is preached! - I Cor 1:17-25
 - ✦ Intellectual pride is a hindrance to accepting the truth - Rom 1:22; Prov 26:12
 - ✦ God does not expect us to set aside our intellect, but to submit our intellect to His wisdom & trust Him.



Noah was prepared, but despite the fact that the patience of God kept waiting in the days of Noah, during the construction of the ark" (1 Pet. 3:20), only those eight souls were saved!

Even today God wishes for all men to come to repentance and not perish (2 Pet. 3:9-12)

**Noah's faith was an
obedient faith!**
**He did what God told him
to do & saved his family!**



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Noah As An Example For Us



- Courage in the face of opposition & ridicule - 2 Tim 3:12; Acts 14:22
- We are to remain pure regardless of how wicked & corrupt the world around us may be - (Phil. 1:27-28; 2:15-16; 1 Pet 2:11-17).

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- We need to follow God's word as it is - that is what faith does - (James 2:14-26; Heb 11:1-40)
- As Noah had to be in the ark to be saved (Gen. 7:1), people must be "in Christ" to be saved today (Rom.6:23; 8:1; Gal. 3:26-27; 1 Peter 3:21).

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1 Peter 3:18-22 (NKJV)

¹⁸ For Christ also suffered once for sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive by the Spirit, ¹⁹ by whom also He went and preached to the spirits in prison,

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I Peter 3:18-22 (NKJV)

20 who formerly were disobedient, when once the Divine longsuffering waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water.

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I Peter 3:18-22 (NKJV)

2¹ There is also an antitype which now saves us--baptism (not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God), through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,

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I Peter 3:18-22 (NKJV)

²² who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, angels and authorities and powers having been made subject to Him.

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1 Peter 3:20 (NKJV)

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1 Peter 3:21 (NKJV)

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- Christians are not to compromise the truth, but “speak the truth in love” (Eph. 4:15).
- We are to share our faith with others (Acts 8:4; 1 The 1:8; 2:2)

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**God will judge
wicked men**

**God is gracious to
those who trust &
obey Him**

**The need to follow
God's pattern**

**God saves the
faithful**

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Matthew 24:36-39 (NKJV)

³⁶ "But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only.

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Matthew 24:36-39 (NKJV)

37 But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

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Matthew 24:36-39 (NKJV)

**³⁸ For as in the days before the flood,
they were eating and drinking, marrying
and giving in marriage, until the day that
Noah entered the ark,**

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Matthew 24:36-39 (NKJV)

³⁹ and did not know until the flood came and took them all away, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

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Judgment is coming -
2 Cor. 5:10

Jesus Died To Provide
Our Salvation -
Acts 20:28

Will you accept the
salvation that is only
found **IN CHRIST?** -
John 14:6; Eph. 3:21;
1 Pet 3:20,21

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2 Peter 3:1-9 (NKJV)

¹ Beloved, I now write to you this second epistle (in *both of* which I stir up your pure minds by way of reminder), ² that you may be mindful of the words which were spoken before by the holy prophets, and of the commandment of us, the apostles of the Lord and Savior, ³ knowing this first: that scoffers will come in the last days, walking according to their own lusts,



2 Peter 3:1-9 (NKJV)

⁴ and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming? For since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as *they were* from the beginning of creation." ⁵ For this they willfully forget: that by the word of God the heavens were of old, and the earth standing out of water and in the water, ⁶ by which the world *that* then existed perished, being flooded with water.



2 Peter 3:1-9 (NKJV)

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. ⁸ But, beloved, do not forget this one thing, that with the Lord one day *is* as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.



2 Peter 3:1-9 (NKJV)

⁹ 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.

