

# Men & Women of the Bible: *Noah*

**Lesson Seven:** *Noah, Father of the Nations*

**Lesson Text:** Genesis 6:1-22

**Lesson Aim:** Learn important lessons for life from the experiences of Noah.

**Memory Verse:** Genesis 6:22

## Lesson Readings

Genesis 6-9; 1 Chronicles 1:4; Isaiah 54:9; Ezekiel 14:12-23; Matthew 24:36-39; Luke 3:36; 17:22-27; Hebrews 11:7; 1 Peter 3:18-22; 2 Peter 2:4-10

## Fact Questions

1. What does Noah mean? Why was he given this name? (Genesis 5:29)
2. What was the condition of the world in the days of Noah? (Genesis 6:5-13; 2 Peter 2:5)
3. What great men had an influence on Noah's life? (Genesis 5:5,8,23-29)
4. How is Noah described respecting his character? (Genesis 6:9)
5. What was Noah's principle occupation? (2 Peter 2:5)
6. What did God command Noah to do? (Genesis 6:14) How did Noah respond? (Genesis 6:22; 7:5; Hebrews 11:7)
7. What in the story of Noah indicates that he was a good husband and father?
8. Describe Noah with respect to his religious devotions? (Genesis 8:20; Hebrews 11:6,7; 2 Peter 2:5,9; 1 Peter 3:20; Ezekiel 14:14,20)
9. What sin did Noah commit? (Genesis 9:20,21)
10. What unique distinction does Noah have among all men? (Genesis 9:19; 10:1,32)

## Thought Questions

1. Noah is pictured as one of the three greatest men to have lived in Ezekiel 14:14,20. In light of what happened in Genesis 9:20,21, how do you account for this appraisal of Noah?
2. In what sense is Noah a type of Christ? (Genesis 6:14; 7:1,23; 8:1)
3. How did Noah condemn the world? (Hebrews 11:7)
4. What would you regard as Noah's greatest accomplishment?
5. What is the one great lesson in Noah's life for you?