

Genesis 7 & 8

1. Given the unmitigated violence, pervasive corruption and heavy peer pressure surrounding Noah, what might Noah be thinking when God tells him to build the ark? What do you see as his biggest obstacle? How does he persevere when the going gets tough?
2. The phrase “actions speak louder than words” reveals true character in a person, if this is so what do Noah’s actions reveal about his character and his relationship with God?
3. How did Noah know the deluge was over? (Genesis 8:6-12)
4. Read Genesis 8:2-22. What was Noah’s first act after he disembarked? What was the Lord’s response to this act?
5. How does the Lord’s vow in 8:21 compare with the Lord’s reason for sending the flood in 6:5? How does the vow compare with the curse in 3:17?
6. How does God’s promise in Noah’s situation help in overcoming obstacles that you face?
7. Simply take some time to be silent and listen to God with this question, “Lord, where is one place you want me to step out in faith in my life?”