



Welcome To Open Bible Hour

Thank you for joining us on this Lord's Day!

Our desire is that you may grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ as we pursue an in-depth study of the book of Hebrews.

If you have a prayer request, for which you would like us to pray, please fill out a prayer sheet at the back table and give to Lyle.

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“BY FAITH NOAH PREACHED AND BUILT ”

Hebrews 11:7

February 9, 2014

HALL OF FAITH

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Abel

Enoch

Noah

Brought the right sacrifice

Walked with God

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Gen 6:9-8:1

- 9 These are the records of the generations of Noah. Noah was a righteous man, blameless in his time; Noah walked with God.
- 10 Noah became the father of three sons: Shem, Ham, and Japheth.
- 11 Now the earth was corrupt in the sight of God, and the earth was filled with violence.
- 12 God looked on the earth, and behold, it was corrupt; for all flesh had corrupted their way upon the earth.
- 13 Then God said to Noah, "The end of all flesh has come before Me; for the earth is filled with violence because of them; and behold, I am about to destroy them with the earth.
- 14 "Make for yourself an ark of gopher wood; you shall make the ark with rooms, and shall cover it inside and out with pitch.
- 15 "This is how you shall make it: the length of the ark three hundred cubits, its breadth fifty cubits, and its height thirty cubits.
- 16 "You shall make a window for the ark, and finish it to a cubit from the top; and set the door of the ark in the side of it; you shall make it with lower, second, and third decks.

- 17 "Behold, I, even I am bringing the flood of water upon the earth, to destroy all flesh in which is the breath of life, from under heaven; everything that is on the earth shall perish.
- 18 "But I will establish My covenant with you; and you shall enter the ark — you and your sons and your wife, and your sons' wives with you.
- 19 "And of every living thing of all flesh, you shall bring two of every kind into the ark, to keep them alive with you; they shall be male and female.
- 20 "Of the birds after their kind, and of the animals after their kind, of every creeping thing of the ground after its kind, two of every kind will come to you to keep them alive.
- 21 "As for you, take for yourself some of all food which is edible, and gather it to yourself; and it shall be for food for you and for them."
- 22 Thus Noah did; according to all that God had commanded him, so he did.

Chapter 7

- 1 Then the Lord said to Noah, "Enter the ark, you and all your household, for you alone I have seen to be righteous before Me in this time.
- 2 "You shall take with you of every clean animal by sevens, a male and his female; and of the animals that are not clean two, a male and his female;
- 3 also of the birds of the sky, by sevens, male and female, to keep offspring alive on the face of all the earth.
- 4 "For after seven more days, I will send rain on the earth forty days and forty nights; and I will blot out from the face of the land every living thing that I have made."
- 5 Noah did according to all that the Lord had commanded him.
- 6 Now Noah was six hundred years old when the flood of water came upon the earth.

- 7 Then Noah and his sons and his wife and his sons' wives with him entered the ark because of the water of the flood.
- 8 Of clean animals and animals that are not clean and birds and everything that creeps on the ground,
- 9 there went into the ark to Noah by twos, male and female, as God had commanded Noah.
- 10 It came about after the seven days, that the water of the flood came upon the earth.
- 11 In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, on the seventeenth day of the month, on the same day all the fountains of the great deep burst open, and the floodgates of the sky were opened.
- 12 The rain fell upon the earth for forty days and forty nights.

- 13 On the very same day Noah and Shem and Ham and Japheth, the sons of Noah, and Noah's wife and the three wives of his sons with them, entered the ark,
- 14 they and every beast after its kind, and all the cattle after their kind, and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth after its kind, and every bird after its kind, all sorts of birds.
- 15 So they went into the ark to Noah, by twos of all flesh in which was the breath of life.
- 16 Those that entered, male and female of all flesh, entered as God had commanded him; and the Lord closed it behind him.
- 17 Then the flood came upon the earth for forty days, and the water increased and lifted up the ark, so that it rose above the earth.
- 18 The water prevailed and increased greatly upon the earth, and the ark floated on the surface of the water.
- 19 The water prevailed more and more upon the earth, so that all the high mountains everywhere under the heavens were covered.

20 The water prevailed fifteen cubits higher, and the mountains were covered.

21 All flesh that moved on the earth perished, birds and cattle and beasts and every swarming thing that swarms upon the earth, and all mankind;

22 of all that was on the dry land, all in whose nostrils was the breath of the spirit of life, died.

23 Thus He blotted out every living thing that was upon the face of the land, from man to animals to creeping things and to birds of the sky, and they were blotted out from the earth; and only Noah was left, together with those that were with him in the ark.

24 The water prevailed upon the earth one hundred and fifty days.

Chapter 8

8 But God remembered Noah and all the beasts and all the cattle that were with him in the ark;



Asia Minor

Black Sea

Caucasus Mountains
Ararat Mountains
Mt. Ararat

Armenia

Araxes R.

Caspian Sea

Taurus Mountains

Mediterranean Sea

Lebanon Mountains
Canaan

Syria

Sidon
Tyre

Damascus

Jerusalem

Mesopotamia

Haran

Paddan Aram

Nineveh

Assyria

Euphrates R.

Tigris R.

Canaan

Media

Caspian Mountains

Arabian Desert

Babylon

Ur

Elam

Susa

Zagros Mountains

Egypt

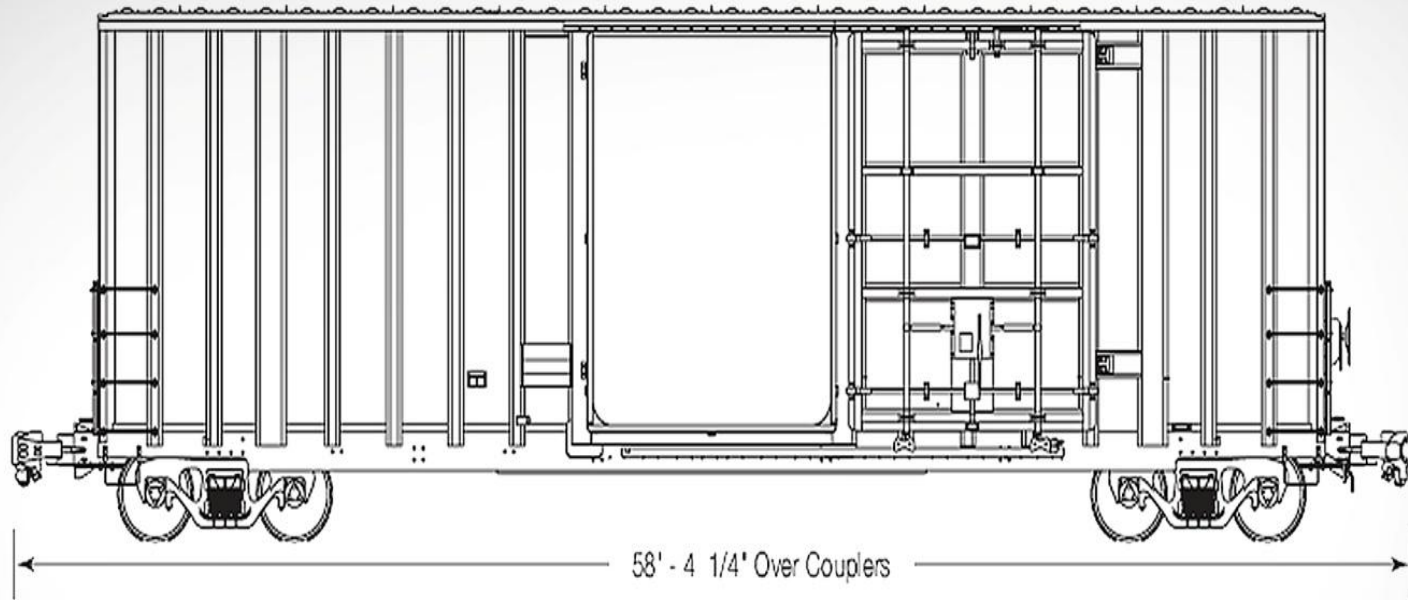
Mt. Sinai

Red Sea

**The
Old Testament
World**

Persian Gulf

Persia



THE SIZE
OF NOAH'S **ARK** = **522**
BOXCARS

THE ARK

450 feet in length, 75 feet in width, 45 feet high

3 decks

8,000 species X 2 = 16,000 species

Let's be generous and use 30,000.

522 boxcars divided by 3 = 174 boxcars per deck

174 X 240 sheep(average size animal) = 41,760
animals per deck



Santa Maria

Wyoming

Titanic

Queen Mary II

WOOD SHIPS

STEEL SHIPS





Dutchman Johan Huibers

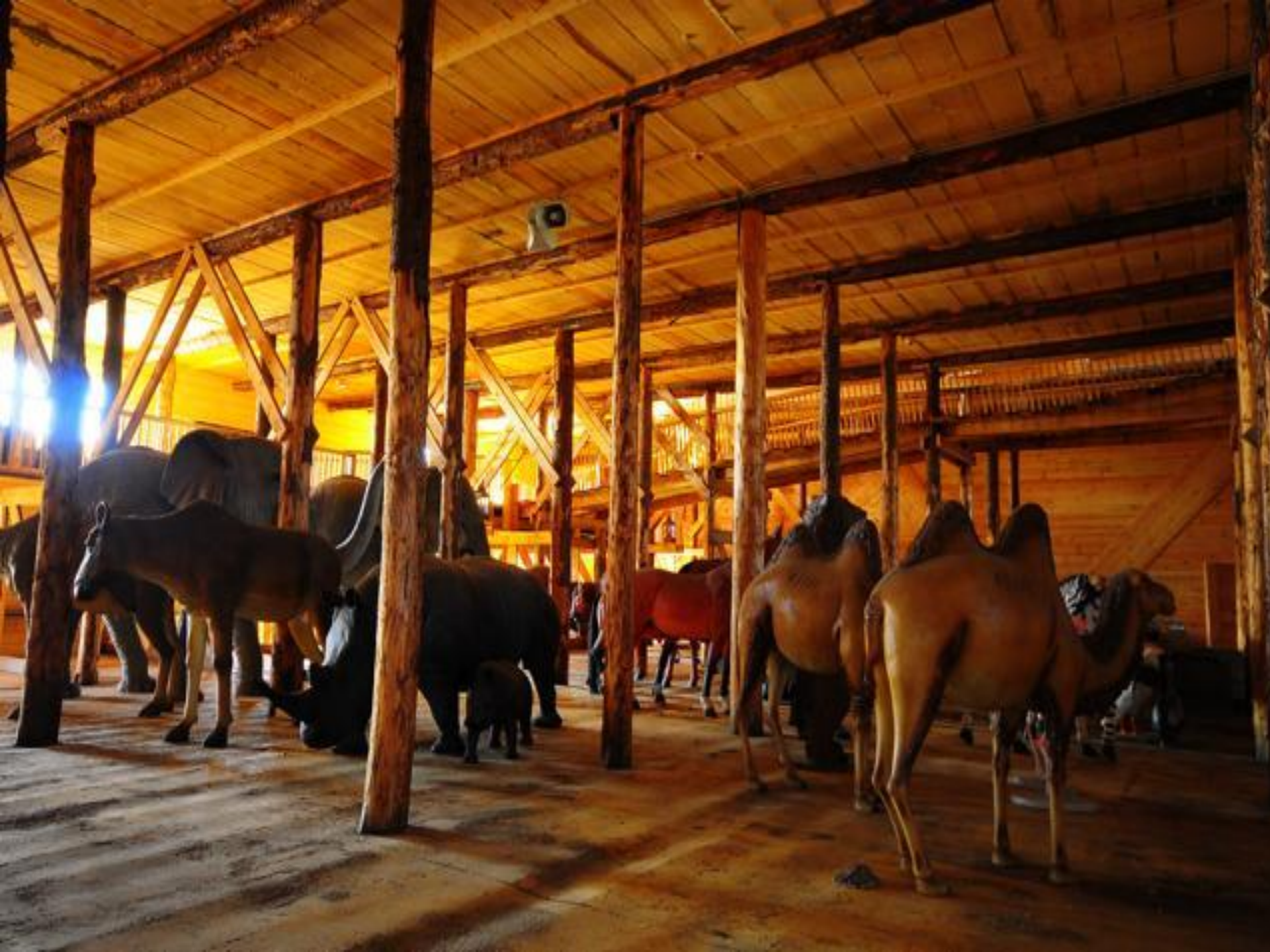






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Dutchman Johan Huibers









Turkey

**Mount
Ararat**



Mediterranean Sea

Cyprus



Israel

NASA Photo

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Objects of Salvation/Condemnation

The Ark

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Jesus Christ

John 3:17-19

"For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world might be saved through Him.

18 "He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.

Nature/Creation

Rom 1:19-20

19 because that which is known about God is evident within them; for God made it evident to them.

20 For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood through what has been made, so that they are without excuse.

Believers

2 Cor 2:15-16

15 For we are a fragrance of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing;

16 to the one an aroma from death to death, to the other an aroma from life to life.

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HOW DID NOAH EXERCISE HIS FAITH?

1. Faith that he heard the Word of God correctly.
2. Faith that there was really going to be a flood that would destroy nearly all of mankind.
3. Faith that he had the skills to build a ship of this size.
4. Faith that he could finish the task before the flood.
5. Faith that he would be able to withstand the ridicule and mocking.
6. Faith that the measurements were correct and that the ark could hold all of the animals.
7. Faith that he could get the animals in the ark.
8. Faith that the ark would float.
9. Faith that the animals wouldn't destroy each other.
10. Faith that the animals wouldn't get restless.
11. Faith that the animals could be taken care of (food, water, animal waste, etc.)
12. Faith that the family will get along.
13. Faith that he won't collapse of sheer fear at some point.
14. Faith that no persons or animals will get sick or die.
15. Faith that the ark will land safely.

1 Thess 5:24

24 Faithful is He who calls you, and He also will bring it to pass.

Matt 24:37-39

37 "For the coming of the Son of Man will be just like the days of Noah.

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

39 and they did not understand until the flood came and took them all away; so will the coming of the Son of Man be.





1 Peter 3:18-22

18 For Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, having been put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit;

19 in which also He went and made proclamation to the spirits now in prison,

20 who once were disobedient, when the patience of God kept waiting in the days of Noah, during the construction of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were brought safely through the water.

21 Corresponding to that, baptism now saves you — not the removal of dirt from the flesh, but an appeal to God for a good conscience — through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,

22 who is at the right hand of God, having gone into heaven, after angels and authorities and powers had been subjected to Him.