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Introduction

As I sought the Lord for this week’s sermon the Spirit made it perfectly clear that I was to preach about the coming flood of Noah. Jesus Himself said His second coming would resemble Noah’s day. I don’t think you can prepare for the hour of God’s coming wrath without knowing what the Bible says about it. Come and learn beloved!

1. We Don’t Walk On Eggshells Around God

Isaiah 54:10

...My **steadfast love** shall **not depart from you**, and **my covenant of peace** shall **not be removed**,” says **the Lord**, who **has compassion on you**.

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2. Jesus Said Another Noah’s Day is Coming

Matthew 24

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

3. An Overview of Noah’s Day

Genesis 6

5 Then the Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intent of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. 6 And the Lord was sorry that He had made man on the earth, and He was grieved in His heart.

7 So the Lord said, “I will destroy man whom I have created from the face of the earth, both man and beast, creeping thing and birds of the air, for I am sorry that I have made them.” 8 But

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Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord. 9...Noah was a just man, perfect in his generations. Noah walked with God.

13 And God said to Noah, “The end of all flesh has come before Me, for the earth is filled with violence through them; and behold, I will destroy them with the earth. 14 Make yourself an ark of gopherwood; make rooms in the ark...

4. Judgment is Coming, Heal the Sick & The Homes

Mark 2:17

Jesus said to them, “It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.”

5. The Scholars have Prophesied This Too

Rick Joyner – The Call

The First Witness

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(Lot:) "You have been chosen to live in difficult times just as I was chosen. As Abraham interceded for Sodom, you must do the same... you must use your faith to intercede for the wicked, & you must also witness the judgement of God coming upon the earth.

You must not be like me -- you must not be silent. I thought that I would be a warning just by being different. Being different is not enough! The people of the earth are blind. They will not see if you simply try to be a witness.

The message of judgement must go forth in words. It is by seeing His glory that His people will be changed... When they see His glory, they will rejoice in all of His ways, even in His judgements."

The Second Witness

(Jonah:) "The judgement of God is about to be revealed on the earth. Even so, 'Mercy triumphs over judgement. 'The Lord always extends mercy before judgement. If you will warn the people that His judgements are near, His mercy will save many.

When you understand the Lord's judgements, you understand

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His way. However...the Lord also wants you to agree with Him. I had tried to flee from His presence. I had come to understand the responsibility that comes from being close to Him. In His presence, all wood, hay & stubble is consumed.

The closer that you get to Him, the more deadly hidden sin can be. You can come boldly before His Throne of Grace at any time and for any need, but rarely do you come. Yearning for His presence is not enough.

You must come to Him. If you draw near to Him, He will draw near to you. Why do you not do it? You are always as close to Him as you want to be. Your Savior weeps for you; He intercedes for you continually.

When He weeps, all of heaven weeps. Like me, the church has run to Tarshish, desiring to trade with the world more than sitting before His glorious throne. Great storms are coming upon the earth.

I slept when the storm came upon the ship that I was in while running from the Lord. The church is also sleeping. I was the prophet of God, but the heathen had to wake me up. So it is with the church. The heathen have more discernment than the

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church at this time.

They know when the church is going the wrong way, & they are shaking the church, trying to wake you up so that you will call on your God. Soon the leaders of the world will cast you overboard, just as the men in that ship had to do to me. They will not let you keep going in the way you are headed.

This is the grace of God to you. He will then discipline you with a great beast that comes up out of the sea. It will swallow you for a time, but you will be vomited out of it. Then you will preach His message. Some are already in the belly of the beast.

Some are about to be cast overboard, and some are still sleeping, but almost all have been on the ship going the wrong way, seeking to trade with the world. However, you can judge yourself and He will not have to judge you.

If you will wake yourself up, repent and go the way that He sends you, you will not have to be swallowed by the beast. The church is running from the presence of the Lord... to seek the treasures of the sea, while the greater treasures -- the treasures of heaven -- few are seeking.

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The sin of wanting to trade with the world has entangled the church, just as I was entangled in the belly of the beast... The cares of the world have wrapped themselves around the mind of the church. Their minds are so entangled with the world, and they have fallen to such depths, that many have no hope of getting free.

You must run to the Lord instead of away from Him. He can untangle any mess, and He can bring you up from the greatest depths. Run from Him no longer! Run to Him!"

(Lot:) "The Lord had mercy (for Niniveh) because Jonah preached. He did not live among them & try to be a witness: He preached the Word of God. Power is in the Word. There is no darkness so dark that the Word cannot penetrate it. Many will repent and be saved if you will go to those to whom the Lord sends you & give His warning."

6. Who Carries This Warning Mantle?

7. We Will Get You In Order

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8. Are You in The Ark?

Luke 21

Watch and pray always to be counted worthy to escape....