

# NOAH BUILDS AN ARK

## *Genesis 6:1-22*

### **Genesis 6**

<sup>1</sup>When men began to increase in number on the earth and daughters were born to them, <sup>2</sup>the sons of God saw that the daughters of men were beautiful, and they married any of them they chose. <sup>3</sup>Then the LORD said, “My Spirit will not contend with man forever, for he is mortal; his days will be a hundred and twenty years.”

<sup>4</sup>The Nephilim were on the earth in those days—and also afterward—when the sons of God went to the daughters of men and had children by them. They were the heroes of old, men of renown.

<sup>5</sup>The LORD saw how great man’s wickedness on the earth had become, and that every inclination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil all the time. <sup>6</sup>The LORD was grieved that he had made man on the earth, and his heart was filled with pain. <sup>7</sup>So the LORD said, “I will wipe mankind, whom I have created, from the face of the earth—men and animals, and creatures that move along the ground, and birds of the air—for I am grieved that I have made them.” <sup>8</sup>But Noah found favor in the eyes of the LORD.

<sup>9</sup>This is the account of Noah.

Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked with God. <sup>10</sup>Noah had three sons: Shem, Ham and Japheth.

<sup>11</sup>Now the earth was corrupt in God’s sight and was full of violence. <sup>12</sup>God saw how corrupt the earth had become, for all the people on earth had corrupted their ways. <sup>13</sup>So God said to Noah, “I am going

to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with violence because of them. I am surely going to destroy both them and the earth. <sup>14</sup>So make yourself an ark of cypress wood; make rooms in it and coat it with pitch inside and out. <sup>15</sup>This is how you are to build it: The ark is to be 450 feet long, 75 feet wide and 45 feet high. <sup>16</sup>Make a roof for it and finish the ark to within 18 inches of the top. Put a door in the side of the ark and make lower, middle and upper decks. <sup>17</sup>I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth to destroy all life under the heavens, every creature that has the breath of life in it. Everything on earth will perish. <sup>18</sup>But I will establish my covenant with you, and you will enter the ark—you and your sons and your wife and your sons’ wives with you. <sup>19</sup>You are to bring into the ark two of all living creatures, male and female, to keep them alive with you. <sup>20</sup>Two of every kind of bird, of every kind of animal and of every kind of creature that moves along the ground will come to you to be kept alive. <sup>21</sup>You are to take every kind of food that is to be eaten and store it away as food for you and for them.”

<sup>22</sup>Noah did everything just as God commanded him.



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POSSIBLE POINTS	MY POINTS	QUESTIONS
5		1.) How did God feel about the people he had made? (Verse 6)
5		2.) What did the Lord decide to do with the people? (Verse 7)
5		3.) Who was God pleased with in the story?
5		4.) Why do you think God chose Noah to help him?

POSSIBLE POINTS	MY POINTS	MEMORY VERSE
10		"For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer..." 1 Peter 3:12

POSSIBLE POINTS	MY POINTS	HOME CONNECTION	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE
5		<i>I have read, or been read, the passage of scripture for this week.</i>	
5		<i>I have answered the questions aloud to an adult at home this week.</i>	
10		<i>I have recited the memory verse out loud to an adult at home this week.</i>	

TOTAL POINTS	CLUB CONNECTION
	LEADER'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE ___/___/___

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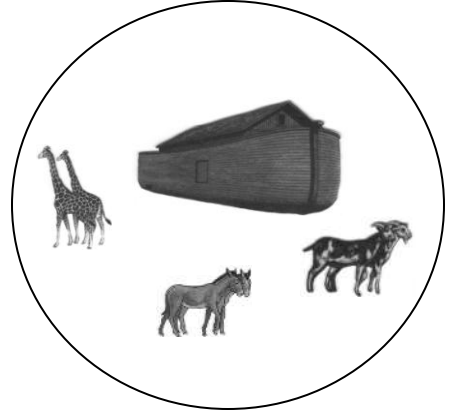
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## CRAFT/ACTIVITY: ARK SCENE

Students will make an ark scene to remind them of how Noah built an ark.

### MATERIALS

1. White 67 Lb. Cardstock
2. Ark Scene Pattern
3. Scissors
4. Tape or Glue
5. Crayons, Markers, or Colored Pencils
6. Paper Plates
7. Blades of Grass



### DIRECTIONS

1. Make a copy of the “Ark Scene Master” onto 67 lb. cardstock for each student.
2. Have students color the animals and the ark.
3. Instruct them to cut out the animals and ark on the solid black lines, and fold on the dotted lines.
4. Use tape or glue to affix the tabs to the paper plate.
5. Students may glue blades of grass to the bottom of the paper plate or color the paper plate to look like grass.

### FOR DISCUSSION

While the students are making their “ark scenes”, help them realize that Noah found favor in the eyes of God in the midst of evil all around him. God wanted to wipe out mankind do to the wickedness in their hearts. There is still wickedness around *us* today. If we receive Christ as our Lord and Savior, God views us as righteous, and He hears our prayers, as our memory verse indicates.

### TIME NEEDED TO COMPLETE:

Approximately 15 minutes

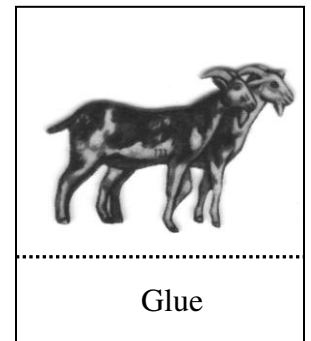
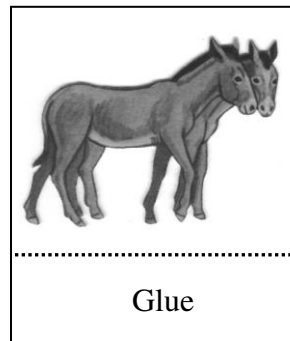
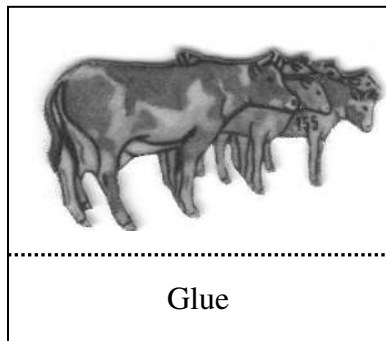
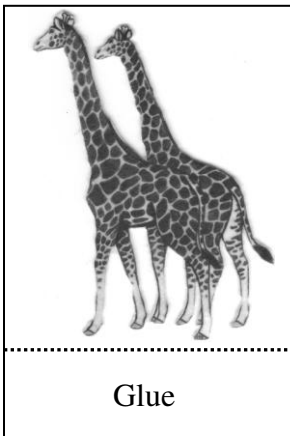
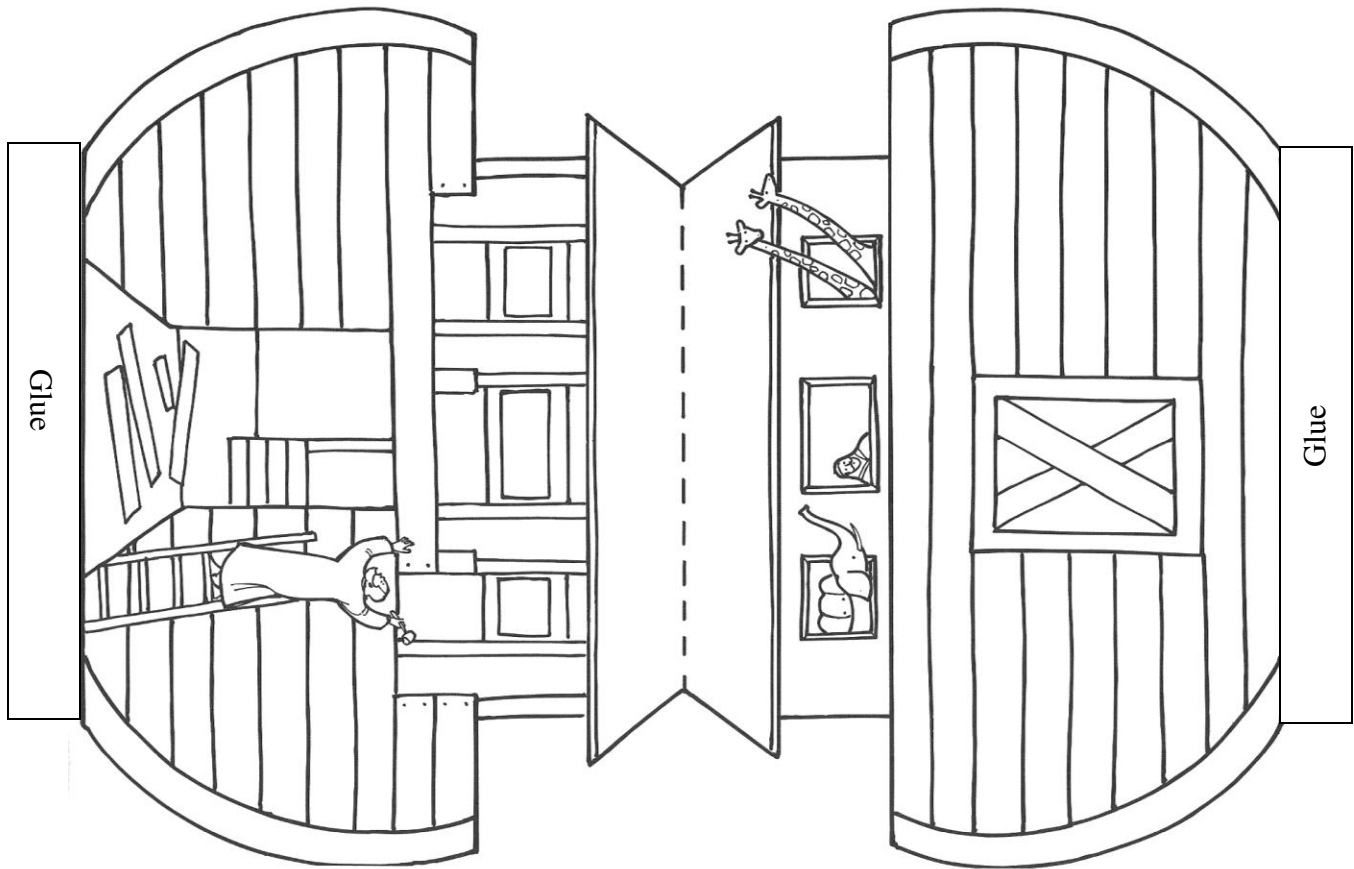
### MEMORY VERSE

*“For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer...” 1 Peter 3:12*

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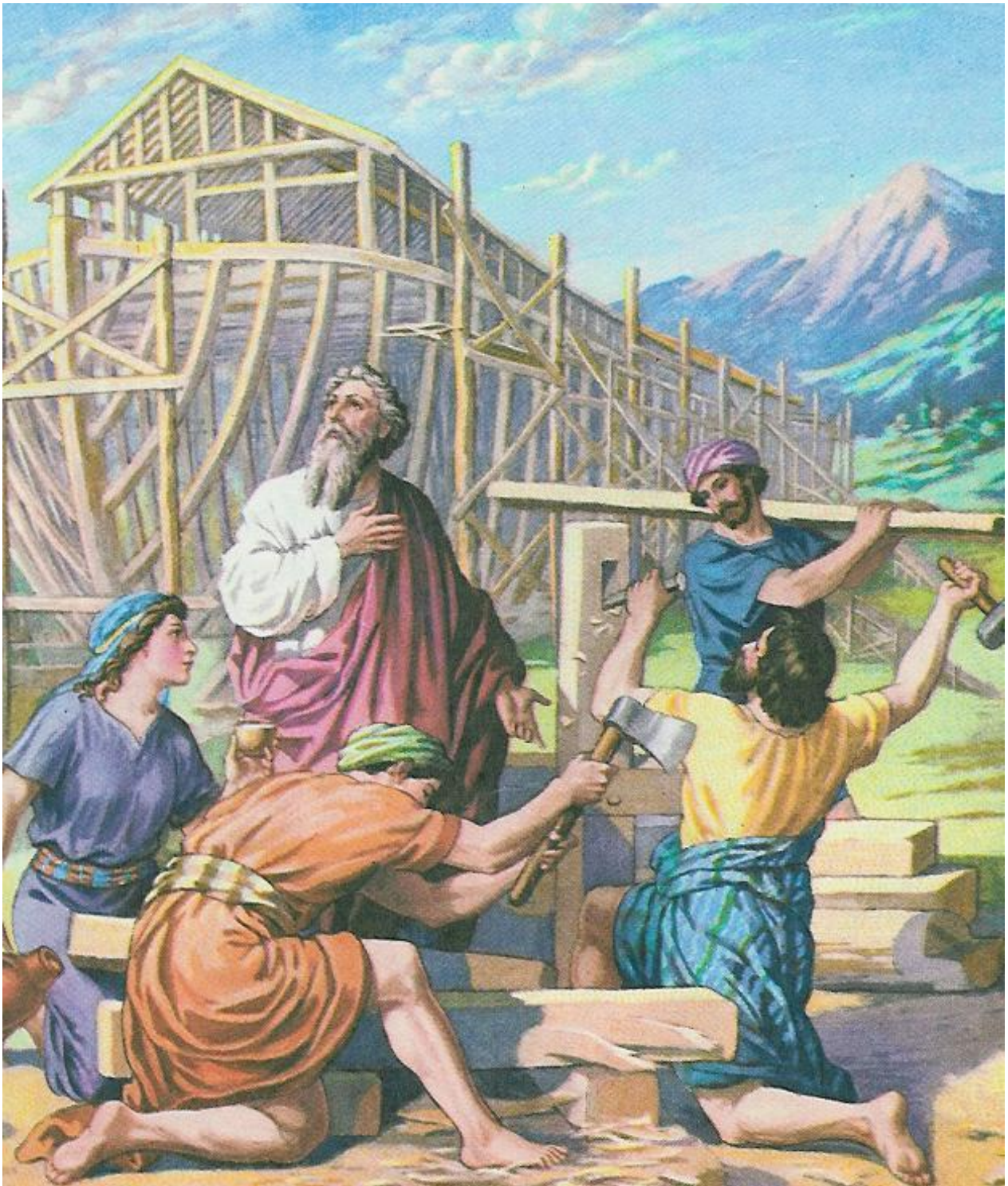
## ARK SCENE PATTERN





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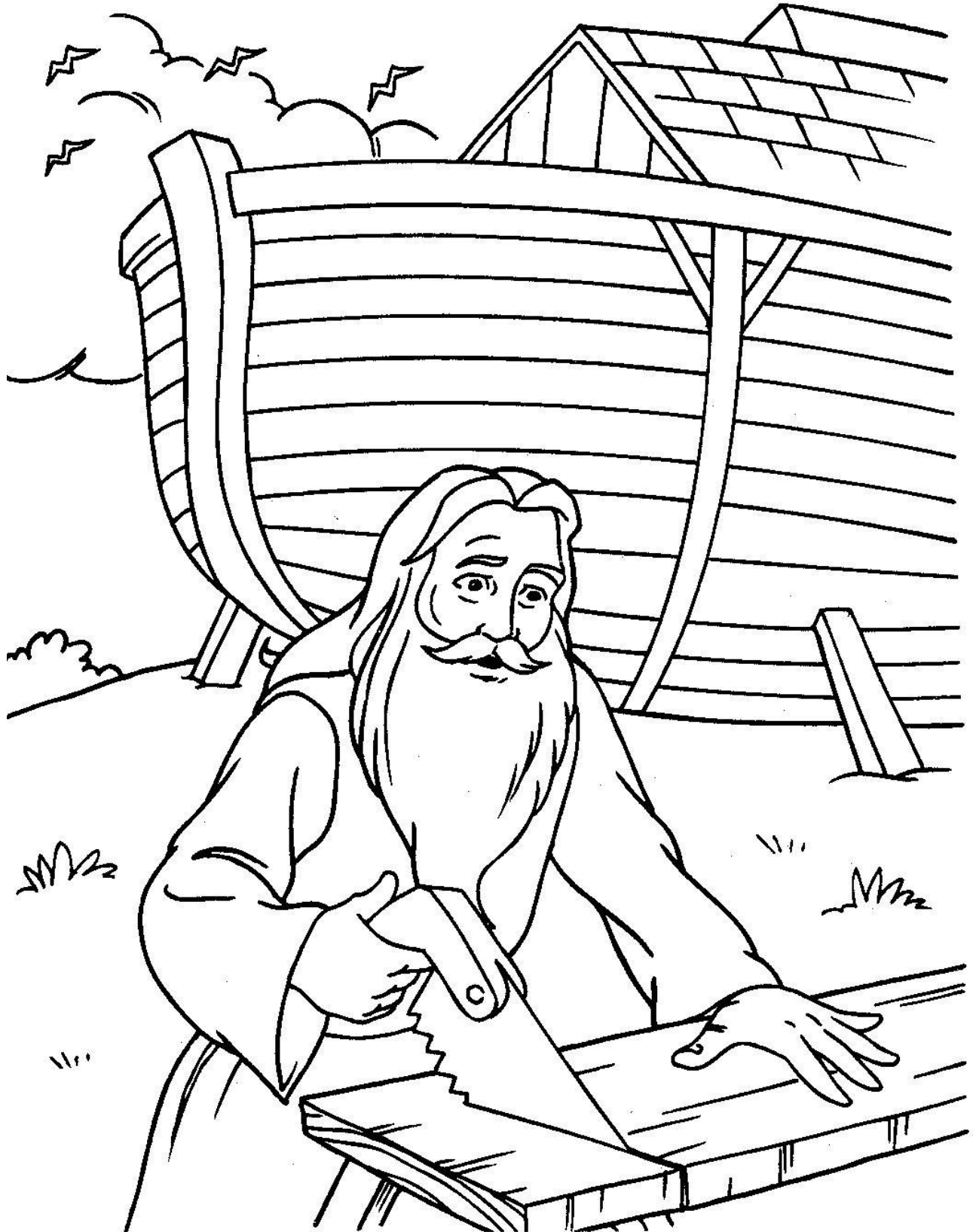
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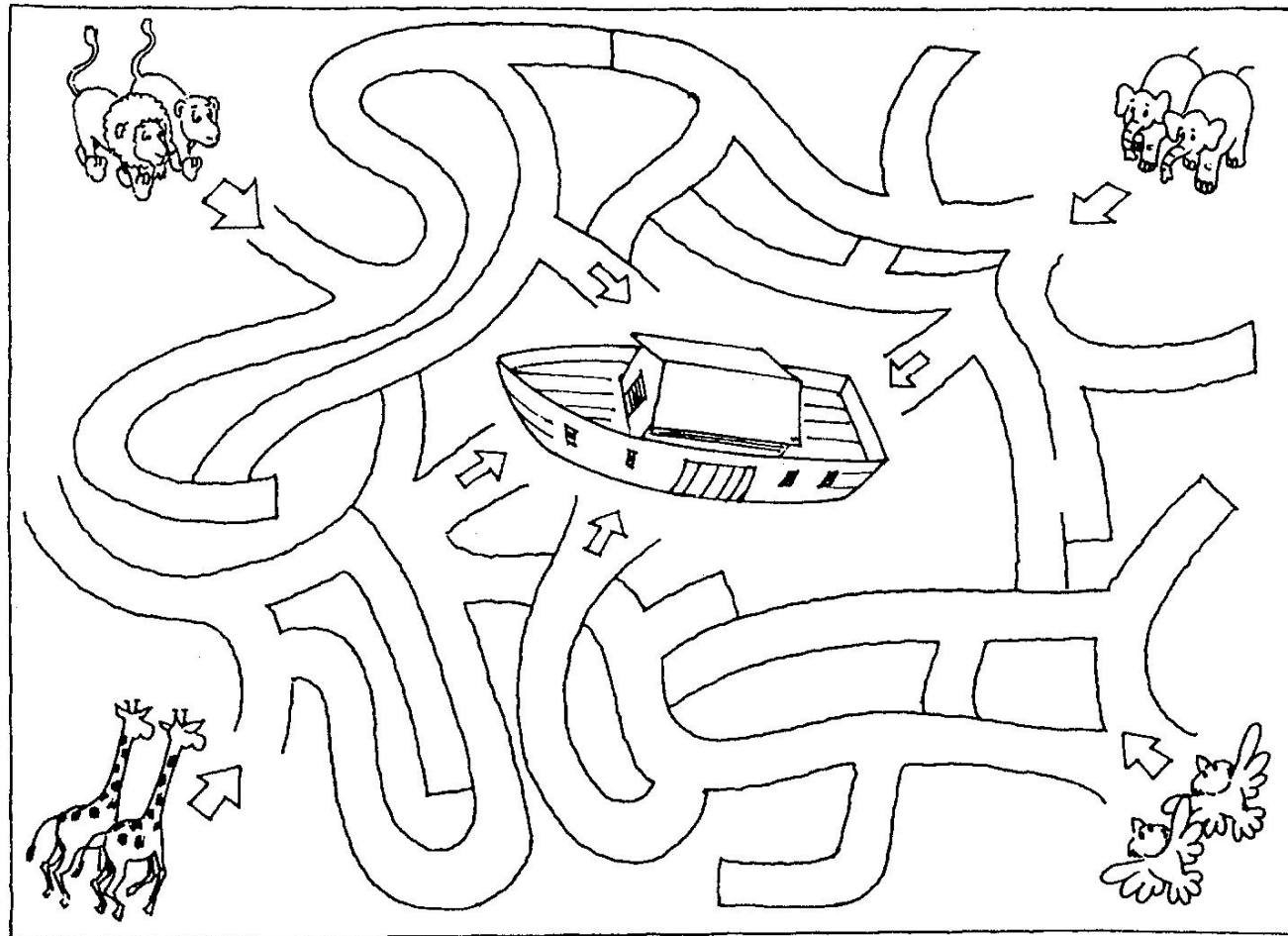


*Noah begins to build the ark*

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**Help the  
animals  
find their  
way to the  
ark.**



God told Noah that a big flood was coming. He wanted Noah to be safe, so God told him to build a big boat, called an ark. Then God sent two of every kind of animal to go inside the ark with Noah and his family. The Noah family and all the animals would be safe from the flood.

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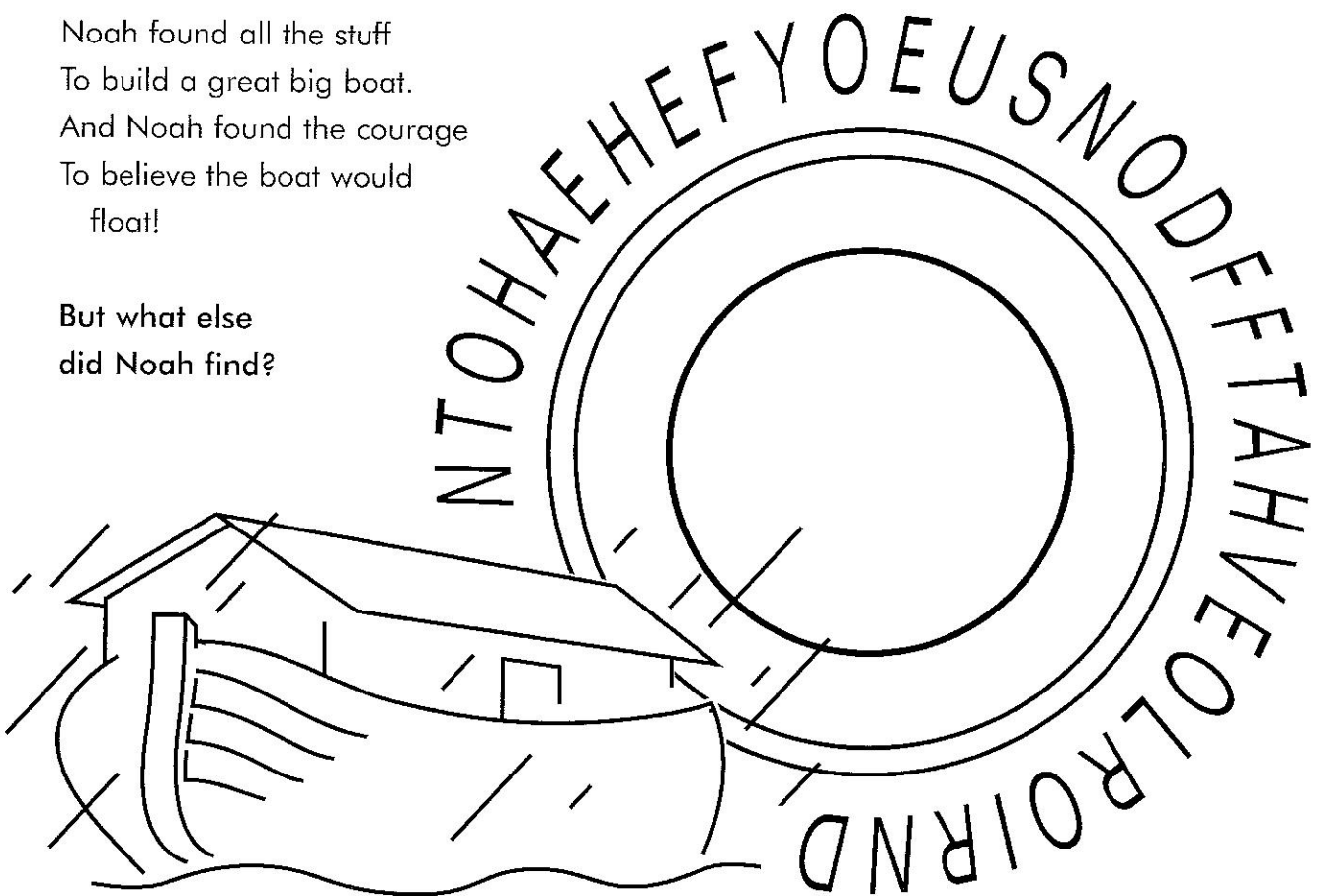
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## What Did Noah Find?

To unwind this puzzle, start at the arrow. Moving clockwise, write down every other letter from the circle's edge on the answer line. Cross out the letters on the circle as you use them. You will read around the circle twice to complete your answer.

Noah found all the stuff  
To build a great big boat.  
And Noah found the courage  
To believe the boat would  
float!

But what else  
did Noah find?

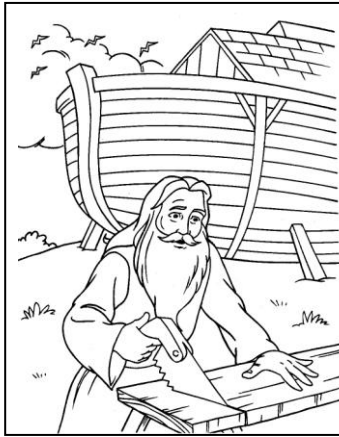


Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

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animals that He had created.

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For additional details about this story, please read Genesis 6:1-22 in your Bible.

## QUESTIONS

1. Why was the Lord upset with man?
2. What was God planning on doing?
3. What did God ask Noah to do?
4. Why do you think God chose Noah to build the ark?

## MEMORY VERSE

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## FINISH THE PICTURE

