

Tuesday Bible Study: Week 10

# Genesis 8:1-19



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1. Opening icebreaker: Is there anything that surprised you in this part of the ark story?
  
2. Scripture often calls us to remember God's acts. Why do you think this is important to a life of faith?
  - a. Why do you think we might forget (or fail to remember) God?
  
  - b. Are there things you do that help you remember God and his call in your life?
  
3. Noah and his family spend over a year in the ark. Noah's obedience is demonstrated in his patience. In what circumstances do you find it difficult to be patient? Are there situations where it is easy for you to be patient?

- a. Why do you think waiting is so difficult for us?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - b. Do you think patience a necessary part of Christian discipleship? Why or why not?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. Read Genesis 8:9. What do you notice about the way Noah treats the dove?
  - a. What does this tell us about the nature of God, and his relationship with his creation?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - b. What might this suggest about the way a righteous person is to care for those creatures (human or animal) who are vulnerable?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. Review Genesis 7:1-5, and then read Genesis 8:16. What similarities and differences do you see in these passages? What is being emphasized here?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
6. If you were Noah, what would you be most worried about? What would most excite you?