



*Faith Missionary Baptist Church*



**BIBLE STUDY**

[Tuesday & Wednesday]

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**LESSON 9**

**God Establishes His Covenant With Noah  
Genesis 9:1-29**

**Introduction**

Have you ever had to start all over again after a major catastrophe or a crisis? Starting all over again can be rough and tough. It is like picking up broken pieces that you don't know where they go. We know according to scripture that Noah was receiving direct instructions from God. We know that Noah was a faithful and just man. However, we also understand human nature. At our best we are subject to falter or stumble while we are waiting on God for the next move. Noah and his family had to start all over again. Can you imagine 40 days shut up in an ark full of animals? Compare it to the Covid 19 Pandemic business and social event shutdowns.

No matter what we go through in this life God is patient and understanding with us. Psalm 103:14 says, "For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust." In other words, God knows we are weak. Aren't you glad that God gives us time and space to get things right? Aren't you glad he gives us a fresh supply of mercy every day. Lamentations 3:22-23 says, "It is of the LORD'S mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness." Noah had to discover God's new mercy and God's steadfast faithfulness, as he attempted a new start after the flood. God will help us to start over and make things better the next time around.

*1<sup>st</sup> Reading-Genesis 9:1-4.....God Gives Noah Instructions for living in a new world*

- A. God says again, Be fruitful and multiply- Remember Genesis 1:28
- B. Every moving thing that lives shall be food for you: From vegetarian to Carnivorous diet
- C. Why? Your Response: \_\_\_\_\_
- D. The fear of you and the dread of you shall be on every beast of the earth
- E. **But you shall not eat flesh with its life, that is, its blood:**  
Why? Your Response: \_\_\_\_\_

*2<sup>nd</sup> Reading-Genesis 9:5-7.....Murder Forbidden and Capital Punishment Instituted*

- A. Surely for your lifeblood I will demand a reckoning:  
Question: When is killing permissible? Your response: \_\_\_\_\_  
Question: What is the difference between killing and murder? Your Response: \_\_\_\_\_

B. From the hand of every beast I will require it:

C. Repeat- Be fruitful and multiply:

*3<sup>rd</sup> Reading-Genesis 9:8-11.....God Establishes His Covenant With Noah and All Creation*

- A. I establish My covenant:
- B. Never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth:
- C. What is a covenant? Your response: \_\_\_\_\_

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**4<sup>th</sup> Reading-Genesis 9:12-17.....God's Covenant Shown By A Sign-The Rainbow**

- A. This is the sign of the covenant
  - B. I set My rainbow in the cloud
  - C. It shall be for the sign of the covenant between Me and the earth
  - D. I will look on it to remember the everlasting covenant:
  - E. Question: Has God ever given you a sign of confirmation? Your response: \_\_\_\_\_
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**5<sup>th</sup> Reading-Genesis 9:18-19 .....Introduction of The Sons of Noah-Ham, Schem, and Japheth**

**A. The sons of Noah who went out of the ark were Shem, Ham, and Japheth:**

Ham	Schem	Japheth
❖ "signifies burnt or black	❖ "Shem signifies name or renown;	❖ "Japheth signifies enlargement;
❖ a seafaring race	❖ Upper and Middle Asia	❖ posterity diverged eastward
❖ Egypt and Libya, in Africa.		

**B. The whole earth was populated from these three sons**

**6<sup>th</sup> Reading-Genesis 9:20-23.....Noah's Blunder and Ham's Folly**

- A. Noah began to be a farmer of vineyards
- B. He drank of the wine and was drunk:  
(See Proverbs 20:1, 23:29-33).
- C. First mention of drunkenness in the Bible.
- D. Alcohol is a depressant.
- E. Alcohol depresses your self-control, wisdom, balance, and judgment.
- F. Noah became uncovered in his tent:
- G. Saw the nakedness of his father:
- H. Ham's actions: told Schem and Japheth.
- I. Schem and Japheth covered Noah and refused to look

**7<sup>th</sup> Reading -Genesis 9:24-27.....Noah Curses Ham and Blesses Schem and Japhath**

- A. Noah Knew what his younger son (Ham) had done to him
- B. Cursed be Canaan Question: Why did Noah Curse his grandson? Your Response

**C. May Canaan be his servant**

**8<sup>th</sup> Reading -Genesis 9:28-29.....Noah's Last Days**

- A. Noah lived after the flood three hundred and fifty years
- B. All the days of Noah were nine hundred and fifty years:
- C. Remembered in the New Testament as: man of faith-Hebrews 11:7, and a preacher of righteousness (2 Peter 2:5). Not as a drunkard.

**Spiritual Applications of The Lesson**

1. Thank God for new starts in life.
2. Failures are not final.
3. God is still sending us rainbows of hope and promise.
4. God is a covenant keeping God.
5. We need some more modern-day Noah's.
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7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_



**MEMORY VERSES:** "And God said, This is the token of the covenant which I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for perpetual generations: I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth."----Genesis 9:12-13