



## GENESIS Chapters 6 – 8: The Flood

### Chapter 6

1 “men began to increase in number on the earth” - Possibly 3 billion people or more.

3-4 “Sons of God” - *be'el ebo'el*

#### Three Views:

1. Sethites marrying Cainites
2. Believers marrying based on physical attraction only.
3. Angels – See Job 1:6, 2Peter 2:4-6, Jude 6-7

**Nephilim** – “The fallen ones” - Giants

5-10 “Noah found favor” – Grace

“Blameless” - *if i' t'atam* - Uncontaminated

11-12 “for all the people on earth had corrupted their ways”  
World-wide

13-14 “Ark” - *āāz •tebab* - “a box.” Genesis 50:26 – Coffin

“Pitch” - *ōōkē* - “to cover.” “Atonement”

A symbol of Jesus

15-22 **Specifications** - The gross tonnage of the Ark would place it in the same category of an ocean going vessel of today. It displaced 19,940 tons with a deck area of about 95,700 feet. Equivalent to 20 standard college basketball courts. A carrying capacity equal to 522 standard freight cars. Enough for 125,000 animals. Only 35,000 were needed (See The Genesis Flood, 69)

### Genesis 7

1 “Go into the ark” - *āā boō*- “abide.” See John 15:4

2-12 “springs of the deep” - Not just rain

13-16 “Then the LORD shut him in” - God protected them.

17-24 “The waters rose and covered the mountains” – Universal

### Genesis 8

1-3 **Ararat** – 17,000'

**17<sup>th</sup> day of the 7<sup>th</sup> month** – The same day the Israelites were delivered through the Red Sea and Jesus rose from the dead. (7<sup>th</sup> month was changed to 1<sup>st</sup> month in Ex. 12:2)

4-7 “Raven” – 264<sup>th</sup> day.

8-14 Noah was in the Ark for 1 year and 10 days

15-22 Seasons now start

Fossils point to a universal flood: Ararat has marine fossils in its sediment. The Himalayas which rise to 20 thousand feet also have marine fossils. In Ohio, hundreds of sharks are buried under tons of sedimentary rock. Dinosaur fossils have been found in swimming positions etc. (See The Genesis Flood by John C. Whitcomb and Henry M. Morris.)