

The Blessed Hope!

“Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ;” –(Titus 2:13)

Diamond & Nugget #31-B

On September 20, 2020, Sayer Ji host of “Green Med Info”, interviewed Dr. Andrew Kaufman on the fraudulent study sold to the public about a dangerous life threatening virus. Virtually the entire world has been deceived into believing millions would die by claiming a virus from Wuhan China was another “Spanish Flu” virus. The tragedy is in the fact this still has the country paralyzed and will continue to do so until the criminals are exposed in the media. I’m not expecting that to happen.

Dr. Kaufman explores a new study published in ‘*NATURE*’ which claims to establish Covid-19 related pathogenicity in an animal model, but which does not fulfill Koch's postulates for germ theory, and may overtly misrepresent the truth. [Koch's postulates are the Gold Standard of pathogenic study]. This study, in fact, is not new, as many publications have claimed to have isolated Covid-19 or prove its role in causing animal and human deaths, yet none of them are actually capable of demonstrating this conclusively. Absolutely not a single study has legitimately validated their claim!

I wrote an article explaining how all of this was excrement of the stinking kind, and that there is no proof that Covid-19 was anything more than the common cold. There is evidence that an existing pathogen was weaponized, and released around the world through Chemtrails and people did die! I have no doubt that a second phase is coming as well. It may have begun as Chemtrail spraying have returned in earnest. Dr. Fauci and Bill Gates could not constrain their excitement to the coming event. There are reports right now of signs of a second wave in the UK and elsewhere in the world that suggests a second “Lock Down” will be occurring soon. The major network radio news keep calling it a Pandemic. As I am entering this as I listen to Rush Limbaugh, the news on the hour at the FOX radio station keep using that term pandemic. Its not a pandemic by any legal definition determined. The public continues to be scammed by the fake news media. But for now the second “Lock Down” that is a few weeks out on the calendar of their plan. The demonic Fauci/Gates duo were blatantly warning that we will regret not listening to them for their expertise on viruses.

To give you an idea of this hoax, my daughter-in-law sent me an email this morning with this story from a former local television station reporter. Since the “lockdown” in March, 2020, 345 deaths were recorded for Allegheny County (Pittsburgh, PA). 270 were residents or workers at nursing homes or living assisted. Only 66 died that were

claimed as Covid-19 victims. Allegheny County is the second largest populated county in PA (1.2-million residents). It was not a pandemic, it was not even close to the usual flu season fatality rate. The 2019/2020 flu season was mild from the previous two years. Then what the hell was it? What was so bad that the State's entire economy was brought to a stand still. Yelp reported that 97,966 businesses or 60% of closed businesses will never re-open. What justified the closing of religious places of worship, restaurants, small businesses, required social-distancing, face masks that actually hurt the person wearing them? Even sleepy senile Joe Biden made the crazy statement in a Philadelphia campaign address that 200,000,000 people in the U.S. had died from Covid-19. Simply put, it was all a global hoax! But hear me here, it was also a feint. A "Feint" is a fake attack or blow intended to distract the target from a real assault; or to make such a move.

Keep that in your memory. But back to Dr. Andrew Kaufman's take.

Sayer Ji asked hard hitting questions and together they explore the implications of this and other research to the ongoing weaponization of germ theory as a political weapon for mass control and surveillance in violation of basic human, civil, constitutional and medical rights.

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Andrew has conducted and published original research and lectured, supervised, and mentored medical students, residents, and fellows in all psychiatric specialties. He has been qualified as an expert witness in local, state, and federal courts, and held leadership positions in academic medicine and professional organizations.

Dr. Kaufman has gained tremendous popularity in recent months sharing a different perspective on the role of health and disease within the context of current pandemic fears. Follow him at: <https://www.andrewkaufmanmd.com/>

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Find many more of Dr. Kaufman's interviews, and other content related to: "Questioning Germ Theory, Contagion, and Viral Testing," visit Questioning Covid:

<https://www.questioningcovid.com>

or a related and alternative perspective on infectious disease related to COVID-19 and exosomes, watch Sayer's video on COVID-19: Is It Really About A Virus?

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What does Dr. Kaufman bring to the table that has anything to do with the forthcoming “Exodus” event that will bring you and I “Deliverance before Judgment”? What does it have to do with Ephesians 2:2 and the “Prince” of the Air? It might be possible for some of you to make the connections in this journey in solving this mystery. I will not let the reader wander off into some dead end. I will present both the hard questions and their answers as well. We will in this specific “Diamond & Nugget” #31 series focus on what a forensic cold-case investigator ought to be addressing.

Dr. Kaufman, and others such as Dr. Martin Pall, Dr. Judy Mikovits, Del Bigtree, Robert F. Kennedy, Jr., Dr. Leonard Horowitz, Dr. Barry Trower, Dr. Katherine Horton, and Dr. Joseph Mercola, all are trusted scholars and scientists that help establish credibility for the premise that I am suggesting in this series. In January, 2020, I called the then named Corona virus as a cover, a ruse, to hide the danger of 5G Wireless EMF toxic electricity known as non-ionizing radiation sickness. This was a global effort to hide a crime perhaps even worse than that of 9/11.

The media over-played their part in all this excrement by keeping people’s eyes focused on the number of infections, the faked numbers and the bogus statistics. The idiot politicians demanding and overstepping their constitutional bounds by forcing businesses and churches to shut down, and then the stupid useless face masks designed to traumatize and enforce submission, it all became so insane. I kept telling my wife as each news story came out and was broadcast to the nation, I could have wrote this script myself back in January. I saw all of it coming in spades. By April, I concluded that the country could not recover from this fast enough to avoid financial disaster that is in store for the world. The country is burnt toast and I say that because of the insanity of the Communist Democratic left that has politicized the Covid-19 for its mantra, and the media has lost its reason for being journalists to become prostitutes for the globalists.

We are living in the final vestiges of the Republic. Unfortunately, people as a rule do not face reality well, they first reject the truth, deny the facts, and close their eyes.

The public is being conditioned to what the World Economic Forum has planned in its 4th Industrial Revolution, which is nothing more than the overthrow of nationalism in its march to global government. The WEF reported in its daily news page, a list of things that they have learned from the “global pandemic” and I found it interesting that one of the things they learned from this pandemic shut down, the world had a huge increase in garbage in the form of food and beverage take-out containers.

At this point, I need to shift back to the central person of what underlies this mystery and how his Biblical story life provides us an insight to God’s own Master Plan, and what leads to the next “Exodus” event. I could have saved myself a lot of time and work by telling you what date seems most probable for the Rapture and do something else with my time. That would be far too easy for the person who just wants the bottom line answer. Noah and the Ark, 5G EMF Wireless, and the Rapture are inter-connected like you cannot imagine.

IS NO ONE ELSE SEEING THIS?



They create a virus. They lockdown the world. They go cashless. They install 5g. They make ID2020 RFID universal vaccine implants to work with 5g networks. They mandate the covid vaccine.

A hypothetical rapture date without something to support it is like taking two slices of bread and calling it a sandwich. Where's the beef, cheese, ham, and condiments what makes two slices of bread a sandwich?

Noah is the main player in our reaching our final destination in the "Exodus" event we know as the Rapture. I wanted so much to do a series of articles on Noah as a Biblical "Type". God in His omnipotence provides us so much confirmation of what He has done in providing a historical-grammatical-literal big picture of interpreting the Bible. The use of "Typology" transforms Scripture into a 3-D narrative perspective. Learning how God uses figurative language is as much part of the appreciation of the Word of God as is adding the perfect blend of spices and herbs as flavor to a 20-oz. Porterhouse steak!

"It repented the Lord that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart" -(Genesis 6:6). This defilement caused pain for God. To examine this pain, we note the adjustment from the pain and the agony in the pain.

"It repented the Lord that he had made man on the earth" -(Genesis 6:6). The defilement on the earth resulted in an adjustment of God's actions towards mankind on the earth. This is seen in the word ***"repenteth."***

The word translated ***"repenteth"*** has caused a lot of misunderstanding for Bible readers when it is so translated regarding God in our English translations. The Hebrew word translated ***"repented"*** is found over one hundred times in the Old Testament. It is translated "repent" or a similar repent word over forty times (such as in our text) and "comfort" or a similar comfort word over 60 times (such as "comfort ye, comfort ye" in Isaiah 40:1). The difficulty regarding the translating of the word "repent" when it speaks of God is twofold. First, Scripture says God does not repent -(1st Samuel 15:29). Second, we associate repentance with sinners repenting of sin. How can God repent since He is without sin? The answer to these difficulties is that the meaning of the Hebrew word not only includes comfort but also "a change of heart or disposition, a change of mind, a change of purpose or a change of one's conduct". When Scripture speaks of God's repenting, it is speaking anthropomorphically, which is a big word that says you are assigning to something unhuman a human attribute in order to explain the conduct of that which is unhuman - such as, Scripture speaks of God's hands and feet, etc. Furthermore, repentance in reference to God is like saying the sun sets and rises when it does no such thing but to the person on earth it looks like that is what it is doing. God's repenting here is the adjusting of God's conduct towards men because of men's sin. No longer will benevolence be God's conduct towards men but judgment will be His conduct. The word "repented" in our verse simply means that God's conduct towards men now reflects a change not because God is changeable (He is immutable) but because men have sinned and thus changed their position before God.

"Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord" -(Genesis 6:8). This sentence speaks of the conversion of Noah. All men are saved by grace, and it was this grace which saved Noah from Divine judgment. To further examine this grace from God for Noah, we note

four things about it. They include the source of grace, the sovereignty of grace, the sanctification from grace, and the sequence of grace.

The source of grace. **"Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord."** The word "found" does indicate that Noah was looking for grace and in looking for it was able to find it. Rather it indicates that Noah received grace from God. Thus God was the source of the grace. There was no grace in Noah, the grace was in the eyes of the Lord!

The sovereignty of grace. This is the first place in the Bible where this word translated "grace" occurs. And here "it clearly signifies the same thing as in Romans 4 and 5; Ephesians 2, Galatians 2, the gratuitous favor of God to sinful men". Grace is unmerited favor from God, which means grace is prompted by a sovereign act of God, not by our deeds. No man merits grace; it comes from God as God pleases, not as we deserve. We deserve judgment, not grace.

The sanctification from grace. This grace from God gave Noah high character which we will note more about later. *Noah was no different from any other son of Adam. If the grace of God had not restrained him, the evil in his heart, which was just as great as the evil in the other hearts that were destroyed, would have manifested itself in a wickedness as great as theirs.*

Here in the sanctification from grace, we have the sequence of grace. Grace for man is followed by the goodness of man. Goodness comes after grace, not before grace. Grace comes before we read of Noah being a **"just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God"** -(Genesis 6:9). We do not do good works then grace comes, rather, grace comes and then we do good works. It is first, **"By grace are ye saved"** -(Ephesians 2:8); then it is, **"We are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works"** -(Ephesians 2:10). Noah's goodness was a result of grace. Grace was not a result of his goodness. Man has a hard time learning this truth. He habitually thinks that if he acts better he will obtain more grace from God. He thinks if he is righteous, he will obtain grace from God for salvation. But it does not work that way. The sequence of grace is goodness - it is not the sequence of goodness is grace.

The sequence of grace. This declaration by God given to Noah was one of judgment upon the earth for sin. But in the order of God's reaction to the sinfulness of the world, God first sent grace to man before He sent judgment. Scripture records Noah receiving grace before it records Divine judgment upon man. We noted in our previous chapter that God extended grace to man before the flood judgment. Before judgment came upon man for their sin, God first in grace gave man one hundred and twenty years respite to repent -(Genesis 6:3). Do not criticize God for sending judgment. His grace is always sent first. God's judgment is not apart from God's grace. Some folk view God's judgment as the cruelty of God - these folks ignore the fact that before judgment God always sends grace. Judgment is deserved, but grace is not. And we can be thankful that in the order of God's actions, grace is sent to man before judgment. A corollary in

this line of thought analysis is “Deliverance before Judgment”. After about the second reading from Genesis to Revelation this word-picture begins to take hold.

"These are the generations of Noah" -(Genesis 6:9). By the phrase **"the centrality of Noah"** we refer to the fact that this record of the flood is primarily a record of Noah. He is the central human figure in it all. There certainly is plenty of evidence in the Scriptures that the flood story before, during, and after has Noah as the central human figure in it all. God's great declaration for him (the first part of which we are studying in this chapter) emphasizes this fact in what it says. And the mention of Noah in Genesis 6, 7 and 8 also emphasizes the centrality of Noah in this flood story. Noah's name is mentioned at least twenty-four times in these three chapters, and a pronoun referring to Noah is found over sixty times in these three chapters. Thus over eighty times in these three chapters there is a different reference to Noah which certainly underscores the centrality of Noah in the Biblical record of the flood. In fact, Noah is so prominent in the flood story that we often call the flood "Noah's flood."

The word translated **"generations"** is the key word in this understanding of the text. "The term never means 'generations' or 'origins.' It never tells how things or persons came into being. It tells what happened after such things or persons had appeared on the scene. Another rendering is 'history'... This is not the story of the Flood. It is Noah's story"

In the book of Genesis, the author divides the text up into ten sections, each with this word translated **"generation."** These ten sections are first, "generations of the heavens and of the earth" -(Genesis 2:4); second, "the generations of Adam" -(Genesis 5:1); third, "the generations of Noah" -(Genesis 6:9); fourth, "the generations of the sons of Noah" -(Genesis 10:1); fifth, "the generations of Shem" -(Genesis 11:10); sixth, "the generations of Terah" -(Genesis 11:27); seventh, "the generations of Ishmael" -(Genesis 25:12); eighth, "the generations of Isaac" -(Genesis 25:19); ninth, "the generations of Esau" -(Genesis 36:1); and tenth, "the generations of Jacob" -(Genesis 37:2). One time in the New Testament we have this thought appearing. It is significantly found in the first verse of the New Testament. **"The book of the generation of Jesus Christ"** -(Matthew 1:1). The New Testament is “His story”. It especially focuses on Jesus Christ, from which we get our word “history”.

In “Diamond & Nugget” 31A, I mentioned that the cruise industry is in a panic over this issue of 5G wireless, and they even suggested that passengers over 70 might require a physician’s examination certificate before booking a cruise! Princess Cruises may be joining the list of cruise lines shrinking in size. The California-based cruise operator on Friday told travel agents in Australia it soon would be disposing of two of its 18 ships — the 2,000-passenger Sun Princess and 2,000-passenger Sea Princess.

Both the vessels have been based recently in Australia and draw a significant number of Australians. Things are going to change now that Australia and New Zealand have gone into a deep “Lock Down” into a Fascist tyranny state. The Sea Princess and Sun Princess have been sold and will soon be leaving the line.

The news of the possible sale comes just three days after Princess Cruises' parent company, Carnival Corporation, revealed in a regulatory filing that its nine brands were in the process of removing at least 18 ships from their fleets. That's three more ships than the company had previously disclosed were on the way out. This is an indicator of how problematic 5G Wi-Fi EMF radiation sickness portends for the cruise industry. Built in 1995 and 1998, respectively, Sun Princess and Sea Princess are the oldest vessels in the Princess Cruises fleet. They're also among the smallest ships at Princess. Carnival Corporation's Holland America brand in July announced it would dispose of four vessels — Maasdam, Veendam, Rotterdam and Amsterdam. The company's Carnival Cruise Line brand also has announced the removal of four ships — Carnival Fantasy, Carnival Imagination, Carnival Inspiration and Carnival Fascination.

Carnival Corporation has been downsizing its fleets in recent months as it cuts costs and reorganizes in anticipation of a slow restart to cruising. Most cruise operations around the world have been halted since March due to the coronavirus pandemic. Cruise lines were enjoying record numbers of bookings at the highest prices seen before coronavirus arrived, analysts said. Demand for cruises, which had been growing steadily for the past decade, have now plunged 60% since January, said Harry Curtis of Nomura Securities.

The drop in demand accelerated once coronavirus cases surfaced in Italy, Curtis noted. *"What that showed was that it was global and it could spread to the cruise line industries' primary markets, where they have great financial success — Europe in the summer,"* he said.

The cruise industry will say and do nothing to acknowledge what lies behind this. Milan, Italy was the third major city to role out their "Smart" city 5G along with Wuhan, China, and Seattle, WA. The cruise industry is a \$53-billion dollar industry but it will never be that again. The cruise ships are "modulating" their 5G wireless at levels far below what they are designed for in service. Imagine having a house full of dimmer switches that you could not operate above the lowest level of illumination. To use as an analogy, 5G would be like attempting to read by the lowest level of dimmer lighting, useless but you do not dare modulate the dimmer switch to a brighter level knowing you are going to be radiated when turning up the lights. This is the plight of 5G.



Noah and His Family Enter the Ark. Noah and his family and all the animals enter the Ark seven days before it starts raining. This is the first date in Scripture recorded in Scripture. This is the first time the exact month and day of the month can be calculated from the Biblical text. Noah and his family would remain on the Ark for 382 days.

I am two hours south from Ken Ham's "Ark Encounter" located about two hours from me at Williamstown, KY south of Cincinnati, Ohio off I-75. I have been unable to visit the tourist attraction because I can not travel. My wife visited it with a church group shortly after it opened on July 7th, 2016. From what I have read and heard about the site, it is worth visiting and a learning experience. Nearby is the Creation Museum as well.



The story of Noah is well known in our culture (and well-commercialized). But we bet there are some things about this intriguing story documented in the Bible that you haven't heard before. Many of the things the Bible has to say about Noah border on the extreme; however, because the Bible does not lie, we can trust the text on faith!

Here are seven little-known facts about Noah's Ark:

1. Noah is a 10th generation descendant of Adam.

While Cain and Able are probably Adam and Eve's most famous (or infamous) kids, it's no surprise that the couple instructed by God to "be fruitful and multiply" -(Genesis 1:28) went on to have more children. One of these - and the only other child of Adam and Eve mentioned in the Bible by name - was Seth. In a passage of Scripture often referred to as the "Generations of Adam," Noah is listed among the tenth generation to be born from Adam and Eve, descendants of Seth.

2. Life for Noah got pretty interesting after his 500th birthday.

Shortly after turning 500, Noah became a father. While he was raising his family, God told him to build the Ark. Shortly after turning 600 Noah, along with his wife, sons, and daughters-in-law, entered the Ark as God literally opened the floodgates.

By the way, before the flood, people appear to have lived a very long time - many hundreds of years. In fact, Noah's grandfather Methuselah, who died in the same year as the flood, is the oldest man mentioned in the Bible at 969 years old!

Granted, Noah's life in his 600's was pretty interesting, too, since that's when he and his family spent about a year on the Ark then disembarked to a fresh new world. But we still think that raising three boys while single-handedly building a boat a third the size of the Titanic made for a memorable century in the life of Noah.

And speaking of the Titanic...

3. Noah's Ark was a third of the size of the Titanic.

The Bible records the measurements of the ark in cubits. At 300 cubits long, 50 cubits wide, and 30 cubits high, the volume of the ark is estimated at about 1.5 million cubic feet, which is about a third of the volume of the Titanic. (By the way, bet you didn't know that a cubit is not an exact measurement, but instead is the distance from a man's elbow to the tip of his middle finger, typically between 18 and 21 inches).

Some people argue that there's no way Noah's Ark could have held two of every kind of animal, but the numbers suggest otherwise. According to ark measurements, the big boat had about as much space as 250 railroad stock cars, which some folks have calculated can hold between 20,000 and 40,000 animals roughly the size of sheep.

4. Arphaxad was the first post-flood baby.

At least he's the first post-flood baby mentioned in the Bible. According to Genesis 11:10, Arphaxad, the son of Noah's son Shem, was born two years after the flood.

5. Nearly 300 cultures agree there was a catastrophic flood.

According to scientist Dr. Duane Gish, there are more than 270 stories about a catastrophic flood from cultures around the world. Most of these stories bear similarities to the biblical story of Noah and the ark.

Eight humans survived the flood and provided eye-witness accounts to future generations. So how did there come to be so many similar versions of the biblical account of the flood? It makes sense when you consider that in addition to the passage of time, language was confounded during the building of the Tower of Babel a couple hundred years after the Great Flood. These two factors undoubtedly contributed to the development of variants of the story.

6. The Bible tells us where Noah's Ark landed. Sort of.

According to Genesis 8:4, the ark came to rest on the mountains of Ararat, a mountain range in Turkey. Many expeditions have searched for the ark on Mount Ararat itself, while other expeditions have focused on nearby mountains in Iran.

References to sightings of an ark in that region of the world go way back. In fact, in his book, *The Travels of Marco Polo*, Marco Polo wrote: "In the heart of the Armenian mountain range, the mountain's peak is shaped like a cube (or cup), on which Noah's Ark is said to have rested, whence it is called the Mountain of Noah's Ark. It [the mountain] is so broad and long that it takes more than two days to go around it. On the summit the snow lies so deep all the year round that no one can ever climb it; this snow never entirely melts, but new snow is forever falling on the old, so that the level rises."

Bob Cornuke, president of the Bible Archaeology Search and Exploration (BASE) Institute, cites Scriptures that support the idea of the Ark settling in the nearby Elborz Mountains, which stretch from the borders of Armenia to Afghanistan. In fact, during an expedition there in 2007 Cornuke and his team discovered an unusual rock formation on the side of a hill, 14,000-feet above sea level, that has the appearance of fossilized wooden beams. The formation is about 400 feet long, which fits the size of the Ark as described in the Bible. In addition, Cornuke's team discovered sea life around the object—including thousands of clams—which suggests that the object was once in the ocean.

7. People who have searched for Noah's Ark include historians, an astronaut, and a former SWAT team member. Expeditions to find Noah's Ark have been underway since times of antiquity and have included people from many professions and walks of life.

For example, did you know that former American astronaut, James Irwin - the eighth man to have walked on the moon - led two expeditions to find the ark in the 1980s? During the 1982 expedition, Irwin was badly injured by falling rocks and was carried to safety on a donkey.

Cornuke, mentioned above, is a former SWAT team member and police investigator.

People who claim to have seen the Ark firsthand include an army sergeant based in Iran during WWII, and Armenian Georgie Hagopian who claims to have visited the Ark as a child on two occasions with his uncle.

Whether the mysteries of Noah's Ark are fully revealed to us this side of heaven, the story will undoubtedly continue to capture our imaginations and attention as the search for remnants of the historic ship continues.

So what do you think? Did you learn anything new? Had you heard that an American astronaut was among those who have searched for Noah's Ark? What are your thoughts about the Ark being able to hold two of every kind of animal? What do you

think about the fact that thousands of ancient clams have been discovered around a boat-shaped formation in the mountains of Iran?

The Noah narrative seems for many people to get lost with the endless questions that are raised by the kinds of questions asked. Since people are looking for something to bring doubt to the narrative they soon forget the basic story of Noah, his family, and the Ark, the Great Flood, etc. The Noah story is loaded with substance that rarely is studied or revealed. It's almost as if Satan takes our focus of the essence of Noah, his centrality in the Genesis narrative. It does not take very long before being overcome by the doubt that takes over the topic. Yea, hath God said?

One thing we should always keep in mind is that the Word of God is hidden in the Scriptures. Do you understand what I mean by that? If we only relate to the surface content, we will miss a great deal of what God wants us to receive of His Life and nature: ***“Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these you might be partakers of the divine nature...”*** -(2nd Peter 1:4). It is not the historical information that is most important, but the divine Life that the Holy Spirit can minister to us through them if we allow Him to do so. Paul said, ***“The letter kills, but the Spirit gives Life”*** -(2nd Corinthians 3:6).

Recently, I read of a striking image that was circulated on Facebook. It is a depiction of Noah's Ark being tossed by the waves in a storm with the statement “first quarantined family.” If you know the biblical account of Noah's Ark, then you will know that Noah and his family, eight people total, were chosen by God to be saved from His judgement on the earth. This judgement came in the form of a flood, and Noah and his family were “quarantined” inside the Ark.

Most of us can begin to relate to what Noah must've felt quarantined inside of the Ark. Just as we are sheltering in place to preserve human life, God quarantined Noah and his family, along with two of every kind of living creature, inside the Ark to save their lives. There are many parallels that can be created from the Biblical account of Noah to our present time in quarantine:

- Noah and his family were separated and isolated
- Noah and his family's lives were threatened and the way to stay safe was to go into the Ark and into “quarantine”
- Noah tried to save the lives of others through his actions and lifestyle
- Noah and his family placed their trust in the Lord despite the circumstances
- Noah and his family experienced the separation that comes from death and would experience grief
- Noah and his family worked during their “quarantine” caring for the animals, the Ark, and each other knowing they would eventually leave the Ark
- Noah and his family praised the Lord for His goodness and love when the waters receded, and they were able to leave the Ark

The parallels are certainly interesting to think about but we cannot overlook the fact that God, a loving and merciful God, does bring judgement upon those who oppose him - (James 4:6), but he always provides a way for the righteous to escape -(Psalm 55:16). Perhaps the greatest parallel we can see in our current situation is the significance of 1st Peter 3:18-20:

“For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which he went and proclaimed to the spirits in prison, because they formerly did not obey, when God’s patience waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were brought safely through water.”

From the time man was breathed into existence, Satan attempted to corrupt all of mankind, separating them from their loving Creator, God. Satan did this through deception, leading man astray from God’s truth and into sin. Why? Because sin separates us from God. This separation is so great that the prophet Isaiah tells us that our sins have hidden God’s face from us, so that God cannot even hear us -(Isaiah 59:2). Sin had corrupted man in Noah’s time so deeply that the Lord was sorry he had made man -(Genesis 6:7). ***“The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of his heart was only evil continually”*** -(Genesis 6:5). In other words, man had fallen so far from God that his intentions were evil all of the time. Sin had almost completely corrupted the culmination of God’ creation, man. But Genesis 6:8 tells us that ***“Noah found favor in the eyes of the Lord.”***

For 120 years, at the command of God, Noah labored to build the Ark. The Ark provided a means of escape for Noah and his family who sought to serve God, instead of falling into the binding and destructive chains of sin. This Ark-building was Noah’s ministry. Noah warned others of the impending judgement and invited them to be saved by boarding the Ark with him. Sadly, Scripture tells us that no one, aside from his family, accepted his invitation to salvation. Only eight people were saved from the flood through the ark -(Genesis 7:7).

There have been many warnings to the people of the world, but each warning tends to make those without "eyes that see" more dull. The people of the world have been put to sleep. We have been watching the worldwide trainwreck occur in slow motion now for so long that many people have lost patience to watch and wait.

“Just as it was in the days of Noah, so also will it be in the days of the Son of Man. ²⁷People were eating, drinking, marrying and being given in marriage up to the day Noah entered the ark. Then the flood came and destroyed them all.” -- (Luke 17:26-27).

The very last time Peter is mentioned in the New Testament is in 2nd Peter 2:5: ***“And spared not the old world, but saved Noah the eighth person, a preacher of righteousness, bringing in the flood upon the world of the ungodly;”*** In the King James Bible spells the name **Noah** 52X times, and 5X times his name is spelled **Noe**.

Is there some-thing we are missing in this fact? Not really! In Hebrew, his name is “**Noach**” and in six occasions it is spelled “**Nuach**”. It is more a result of Dutch, English, or French background ethnic use.

For millennia in the West, the flood story was simply an accepted, solid truth, as part of the turbulent world’s ancient history. Indeed, it has suffered alongside all things Biblical since anti-Christian progressives and secular humanists took over Western education, indoctrinating their students with a new materialism worldview.

In response, today many Bible-believers feel compelled to shy away from publicly affirming the story, and others share it solely as metaphorical lessons, as opposed to an actual historical event. This may sound discouraging, but in a sense this has been helpful to Judeo-Christianity, not only by compelling believers to undergo deeper biblical study and scientific investigations, but also by opening believers to consider new questions, such as, Are there deeper prophetic and symbolic meanings behind the peculiar measurements and times given within the flood account?

Noah’s Ark can be perceived as a real ship with measurements that could have sustained it in an oceanic storm, Chuck Missler recalls how as a Midshipman at the U.S. Naval Academy, its measurements were tested for its sea-worthy qualities, with surprisingly excellent performance.

We fail to remember that Moses lived as a prince in ancient Egypt for forty years, with access to the best libraries of the ancient world; thus, even those who do not believe that God guided him in his writings should believe that he would have more accurate knowledge of the great flood in the ancient world.

The Seven Feast events of Leviticus 23 are referred to as **Moedim** “appointed times” God met with His people **moedim**. מועדים. **Moedim** is a plural Hebrew word meaning "appointments" or "appointed times". Leviticus 23 contains significant references to God's appointed times. This word is sometimes translated as "holidays" or "festivals" but is better understood as Divinely commanded appointments.

Nonetheless, when the **Moedim** paradigm is drawn-out of the flood account, readers will perceive an undeniable link between the *Genesis* account and the moedim feasts and observances that the Israelites were instructed to keep after the Exodus. This is proof of God orchestrating ancient history for prophetic signs. Hence, the Jewish scribes during the Babylonian Captivity could not have written it, for they clearly did not discern the **Moedim** paradigm in which I am about to correlate with the *Genesis*’ flood account. In fact, the scribes did not know the meaning to most of the ancient mysteries that they copied and passed down. There is abundant evidence to the affect that God dictated to the scribes, letter by letter, word by word.

That being written, there are similarities between the *Epic of Gilgamesh* and *Noah’s Ark* which are profound. Whereas in *Genesis* God relented of making mankind because of their violence and evil, and their perpetually evil thoughts, the *Gilgamesh Epic* explains

that the gods were angry with the *noise* of war and bustling humanity, and thereafter decided to destroy all people on Earth. Both heroes were commanded to build an ark to save the world's animals. In the *Gilgamesh* account, *Ishtar* gave the rainbow after the flood, whereas in *Genesis*, God did. In both stories the rainbow served as a token or promise that God(s) would not destroy the world again by a flood. Yet for many historians the most striking of the shared features is that both heroes sent out a raven and a dove to see if the water was abated.

If there is hidden knowledge in the *Gilgamesh Epic*, which may have begun as an oral exegesis of the historical account, it begs for comparison with what the flood of Noah foreshadows. For example: Noah's flood is clearly prophetic of tribulations that will come upon Jerusalem. The question becomes, does the *Epic of Gilgamesh* also describe a ship that relates to Jerusalem? I will explain after showing that the apocalyptic account of Jerusalem relates to the foreshadowing story of Noah's Ark.

Isaiah 54:9-17 explains that the nations will gather against Jerusalem before the Lord glorifies the city at the coming of the Messiah. Jerusalem has been tossed about as was the Ark of Noah, but God will establish His covenant of peace with her in the future, just as He shared His covenant of salvation with Noah -(cf. Genesis 6:18; Psalm 89:2-4). This is why Christ said, "**As in the days of Noah, so shall be the coming of the Son of Man.**" So the New Covenant of Messiah is comparable with the covenant of salvation that was given to Noah. The Ark tossed about in the flood is comparable to Jerusalem being tossed about in tribulations before the Lord comes to save the people and the city during the Apocalypse.

In the story of Noah's Ark we have a prophetic similitude that God designed to profess Jesus Christ. First, consider Noah: The details given about him fully parallel the Messiah. Noah, whose name means "rest", was born as a promised Saviour who would relieve the ancient world of its cursed Earth. His parents prophesied that he would become a "comforter" who would grant his people rest, just as the Messiah will bring His elect family into the Great Sabbath rest:

"And he called his name Noah, saying, "This one will comfort us concerning our work and the toil of our hands, because of the ground which the LORD has cursed"." -(Genesis 5:29)

Noah mirrors Jesus Christ, who said, "**Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.**" Noah's generation awaited rain to fall from heaven, but Christ promised an endless fountain of water, saying, "**Whoever drinks of this water will thirst again, but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him will never thirst. But the water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of water springing up into everlasting life.**" Noah walked with God, and God considered him "**perfect in his generation**" -(Genesis 6:9). Those who entered into his work of salvation (into the Ark) were saved, because he found grace in God's eyes. The world was saved through Noah's covenant, and a new world was born. All these things mirror the covenant of God's perfect Messiah and those who are saved by His work in

relieving a cursed Earth. True salvation comes through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ and the grace afforded us through it.

If we interpret the story of Noah as foreshadowing, it is clear that it pictures the storms of tribulations that are coming to the world during the Tribulation. The water of the Word is sent down from heaven to bring the cursed world into the Great Sabbath of rest and relief. This water of the Word separates those who trust in the promised Saviour and those who will not enter His work of salvation. The water of the Word is like a sword that separates; it is death to those who will not enter the covenant of salvation and life to those who enter in by the grace of Noah. Jerusalem's troubles are like the Ark of Noah, which was tossed around and afflicted until the storm was over.

Noah was the captain of his ship, but the Messiah is the Captain of the salvation of all who have ever lived and who enter His covenant. Messiah is the Commander who calls His people near Jerusalem to enter at the appointed time (see Isaiah. 55:4-6). In "Diamond & Nugget 31C", we will unpack further the deeper meaning of Noah as it reveals our answer about the coming Rapture.

But before closing this segment, read some of the hints pointing us in a specific direction. In this thread we shall examine certain aspects of the story of Noah's Ark and how it relates to Christ. Noah's Ark is often considered as a children's story, a Hollywood blockbuster movie, or a story to defend Creationism and prove the demise of the dinosaurs. However if we fail to see Christ in the story of Noah's Ark, we miss the point.

Christ does not want us to be slow or ignorant concerning the revelation of Him in the Old Testament -(Luke 24:25-27). The whole Bible is about Jesus Christ, all of the Scriptures point to Jesus Christ. This is because Jesus Christ is the WORD and everything -(John 1:1, Colossians 3:11, Philippians 3:8). Christ is the fulfilment of the Old Testament -(Matthew 5:17-18) and the Old Testament testifies of Jesus Christ - (John 5:39, Luke 24:25-27, 37), that Jesus is the Messiah. Of course this doesn't mean that every verse is exclusively about Jesus Christ. However the revelation of Jesus Christ is found in many passages in the Old testament with direct link to the New testament. The purpose of God giving us the Old Testament in our Bibles is to point us to Jesus Christ.

Noah Himself: Noah is a type of Christ, being the man-saviour of his family and all the living creatures. The word Noah means rest or comfort. Jesus Christ is our comfort and rest -(Hebrews 4:4-11).

The Building: Noah built the Ark according to God's revelation, not his own wisdom or imagination -(Genesis 6:15). This is symbolic of Jesus Christ and His workers, building the church according to God's plan and not their own plan -(Matthew 16:18, John 6:38, 1st Corinthians 3:10-15, Ephesians 2:20-22).

The Wood: The Ark was made out of a kind of resinous wood which withstands water - (Genesis 6:14). This is not only good engineering, but signifies Jesus Christ who cannot be harmed by the waters of death (Acts 2:24, John 14:6). Of course, the wood, also symbolizes the cross of Christ, which stands between us and God's judgement (the flood water).

The Covering: The Ark was covered within and without by pitch -(Genesis 6:14). The covering of pitch symbolizes Christ's blood. The internal covering of pitch is for our inward peace with God via purification of our conscience -(Hebrews 9:14, Genesis 3:8, Colossians 1:20). The external covering of pitch is for protecting from God's wrath - (Romans 5:9), as also symbolized by the external application of blood to the houses in Exodus 12:13.

The Dimensions: The dimensions of the ark was 300 cubits long, 50 cubits wide, and 30 cubits high -(Genesis 6:15). Some English Bible translations have converted cubits into feet and inches or meters, and if so, the meaning will be lost. The numbers 3 and 5 are the same numbers used in construction of the altar of burnt offering which signifies the cross of Christ -(Exodus 27:1, Hebrews 13:10).

The number 3 signifies the Trinity -(Matthew 28:19). The number 5 signifies the creation (four, Revelation 4:6-9) plus God (one). Four is creation in weakness, 5 (four plus one) is creation in God, or strengthened creation. God created men with 5 fingers, 5 toes and 5 senses (hear, see, smell, taste, touch). 5 is the number of Grace. If we lose just one finger, one toe or one sense, we become weaker. Similarly, mankind without God is weak. The number 10 or 100 signifies completion. The dimensions of the ark signifies none other than Jesus Christ who is the perfect and complete person being both God and perfect (and strong) man. It also signifies the complete and perfect dwelling of God and man together -(Revelation 21:3), even the union between God and man -(1st Cor 6:17).

The Window and Door: The Ark had only one window at the top of the Ark, facing Heaven, which was an opening for light -(Genesis 6:16). That there was only one window opening to Heaven signifies that there is only one way to Heaven which is through Jesus Christ (John 14:6). Christ is the window which opens up to Heaven to allow the light of God to shine through into our hearts -(2nd Corinthians 4:6, 2nd Peter 1:19, Ephesians 5:14).

The Ark had only one door for entrance into the Ark -(Genesis 6:16). The door signifies Jesus Christ -(John 10:9) and that Christ is the only way to saved -(John 14:6).

The Levels of the Ark: Noah's Ark had 3 levels -(Genesis 6:16). This signifies the Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. This signifies that when we abide in the Ark, which represents Jesus Christ, we experience the complete Trinity -(Colossians 2:9, John 14:23, John 14:16).

Entering and Remaining in the Ark: The Lord's coming back is likened to the days of Noah -(Matthew 24:37). The Ark is very large, it is an Ark not a canoe - it is intended to hold a great number. Remaining in the Ark is symbolic for abiding in the Body of Christ, the Church, for our salvation and protection during the Tribulation period -(1st Peter 3:20-21, 1st Corinthians 12:12). As individuals we cannot hope to stand strong during the tribulation period, we need the church. Noah's Ark represents the Body of Christ, which as represented by the woman in Revelation 12:6, is protected for 1,260 days (3 and a half years) during the tribulation period -(Revelation 12:6).

Remaining in the Ark is symbolic for abiding in Jesus Christ for our salvation from judgement, and for our protection -(John 15:4, Psalm 91:1). Like Jesus Christ, the Ark was for the salvation of all living things, not just mankind -(Colossians 1:20).

The Flood: The purpose of water is two-fold - judgement, and salvation. The water of the Red Sea judged the Egyptians and saved the children of Israel from their captivity - (Exodus 14:26:30). The waters of baptism signifies Christ's death -(Romans 6:3), which judged Satan and the world -(John 12:31, Hebrews 2:14), and which also saves believers -(Galatians 6:14).

Similarly, the flood represents God's judgement, cleansing and separation (sanctification). It signifies baptism into Christ, baptism into his death, burial and resurrection (1st Peter 3:21). Our salvation is by passing through the waters of death to our old self and being resurrected unto new life. The flood also signifies separation and rescue from the old creation unto the new creation -(Galatians 1:4), as the flood caused all of the old things to go away and the coming of the new -(2nd Corinthians 5:17).

God Shutting The Door: In Genesis 7:16 says God shut the door of the Ark. This signifies that once we enter the Ark, once we enter Christ, we are saved forever, our salvation is secure -(John 10:28-29, 2nd Corinthians 1:22).

In sharing some of the many examples of Typology, the reader should begin to realize that the surface text contains an embedded message subtle but poignant enough so as to not dismiss the deeper message. I long ago dubbed these examples as being the "diamonds & nuggets" of the Word of God! Think of it as peeling the onion! Each layer yields Divine Truth!

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