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NOAH

FLOOD

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RAINBOW

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Lesson 3:

Noah and the Flood

Today's Story:

Today we learn about a time on earth after Adam and Eve sinned and left the Garden of Eden. People's hearts had become dark, hateful and violent. Everyone was disobeying God's word, hurting each other and doing evil. God's heart was sad as He watched this.

However, there was one man, Noah, who obeyed and loved the Lord God. God saw Noah's love and obedience and instructed Noah to build an ark. The ark, a very large boat, was to be big enough to carry two of every animal and Noah's family. God was going to send a flood that would destroy the wickedness on earth. Noah was obedient and did all that God asked him to do, and God rescued Noah, his family, and the animals. After the great flood, God placed a rainbow in the sky. The rainbow is a sign of God's covenant, which means His promise, to never again destroy all living things on the earth with a flood.

This story points forward to how God rescues us from sin. We are saved from sin when we are "in" Jesus, just like Noah was saved in the ark. That means we trust that Jesus died and rose again for our sins and are baptized in his name.

Bible Memory Verse:

"So God said to Noah, The rainbow is the sign of my covenant." Genesis 9:17a NIRV

My Art Response:

