

Get Into the Ark - Jesus Christ

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Genesis 7; Mt 24

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1. God's Judgment on Earth is a Fact

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- b. God has promised a future universal judgment
- it will come suddenly but NOT without warning
Jn 5:24; 2 Pt 3:9; Acts 17:30-31; Mt 24:3-44

2. God Reveals What is Necessary for Salvation

- a. God gave plans for ark before the flood 6:13-18; 7:1,7,13,16,23
- b. God reveals Christ to His to us before the judgment to come 2 Cor 4:6; Heb 9:27-28

3. We Must take the Means of Escape God Provides

- a. God Provided Noah & family the ark for escape Gen 7:1,15,23
- Only 1 means of escape - the ark/Jesus
 - There was only 1 door
 - It was not enough just to know about the ark
- b. God Provides Jesus Christ as our Refuge
- Jesus = only way Jn 14:6
 - Jesus = narrow gate Mt 7:13
 - Knowledge is NOT enough James 2:19; Rev 22:17-20

4. God Provides Refuge from Judgment Before it Comes

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- b. God provides Jesus Christ as a refuge from the judgment to come Rev 13:8

What about you?

Christ is God's Ark (covering/refuge) for YOU for the coming judgment.

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- a remembrance of protection - Flood, Passover, etc.
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