

Before the Door Closes, Part 2

Genesis 7:11–16

Main Idea: God is the righteous _____, AND the only true _____.

Faithful Refuge

God's Warning Becomes Reality

God said judgment would come. The flood is His _____.

“The Lord sits enthroned over the flood.”

Psalm 29:10

God speaks, and His Word comes true.

Outside And Inside The Ark

Two things happen at the same time:

Outside the ark: God brings _____.

Inside the ark: God preserves _____.

Genesis 7:16 says: “And the _____ shut him in.”

Don't Ignore God's Word

Jesus said the people in Noah's day were eating, drinking, marrying, and living normal lives until the flood came.

Being focused on ordinary life makes it easy to ignore God's _____.

Jesus says His return will also come during ordinary life.

2 Peter 3:11-12 says:

“what sort of people ought you to be in lives of holiness and godliness, waiting for and hastening the coming of the day of God”

How can I live like God's promises and warnings are actually true?

Where Is Our Refuge?

If God is the Judge, where can sinners go? We run to _____.

Nahum 1:7 says:

“The Lord is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; he knows those who take refuge in him.”

God is both: **J**_____ and **R**_____

God does not save us by ignoring our sin.

At the cross, Jesus took the judgment sinners _____.

Romans 3 says God is both: “**just and the** _____ **of the one who has faith in Jesus.**”

Christ Is Our Refuge

Our refuge is _____ alone.

When we sin, we do not hide or make excuses.

We run to _____.

Think About It

What do you usually run to when you feel guilty, afraid, or insecure?

What does “The Lord shut him in” teach you about how God cares for His people?

Final Thought

We cannot run **from** God’s judgment.

But God has provided someone we can run **to**.

Christ is our true _____.