

## STUDY SEVEN

# GOD REMEMBERS HIS COVENANT

## Genesis 8

### Introduction

Imagine Noah and his family as they waited in the ark for many months. Imagine the excitement when they sent out the raven and then the dove, and when they finally discovered dry land. God always keeps his promises but not always at the time we want.

### Questions For Discussion

1.a) What kinds of thoughts were going through Noah's mind as he waited in the ark?

b) How do you feel when God does not answer prayer soon?

c) How should we feel? (See Lk. 18:1-8)

2.a) What do we learn about God in v.1?

b) Had God forgotten them?

c) How did he show that He remembered?

d) What are some of the things that we should remember?

e) What should we forget?

3. Compare v.1 with Ephesians 2:2-5.

a) How are they similar?

b) What spiritual principle can we learn from this?

4.a) After leaving the ark what did Noah do (v.20)?

b) Why did he offer sacrifices?

c) How may we offer sweet sacrifices to God? (See Ps. 51:16-17, Ro. 12:1-2 & Eph. 5:2)

5.a) What can we learn about children in v.21?

b) Can we see this principle in children today?

c) How should this principle affect the way we try to teach and disciple our children?

6. What can we learn about God from this story?

### **For Further Thought And Action**

What difference does God make in your life?

### **Memory Verse**

He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever.

Psalm 111:5