



## Hebrews 11:7 NIV

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## Genesis 6:9 NIV

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This is the account of Noah and his family. Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked faithfully with God.



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## Hebrews 11:1 NIV

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Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see. This is what the ancients were commended for.

Previous Scripture: Hebrews 11:7;

Genesis 6:9



## 1 Samuel 15:20-24 NIV

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20 “But I did obey the LORD,” Saul said. “I went on the mission the LORD assigned me. I completely destroyed the Amalekites and brought back Agag their king. 21 The soldiers took sheep and cattle from the plunder, the best of what was devoted to God, in order to sacrifice them to the LORD your God at Gilgal.”

22 But Samuel replied: “Does the LORD delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as much as in obeying the LORD? To obey is better than sacrifice, and to heed is better than the fat of rams. 23 For rebellion is like the sin of divination, and arrogance like the evil of idolatry. Because you have rejected the word of the LORD, he has rejected you as king.”

24 Then Saul said to Samuel, “I have sinned. I violated the LORD’s command and your instructions. I was afraid of the men and so I gave in to them.

**Previous Scripture: Hebrews 11:1;**

**Hebrews 11:7; Genesis 6:9**



# I. God Invites Us To Say Yes

Hebrews 11:7a NIV



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# I. God Invites Us To Say Yes



Genesis 6:14-18 NIV

14 So make yourself an ark of cypress wood; make rooms in it and coat it with pitch inside and out. 15 This is how you are to build it: The ark is to be three hundred cubits long, fifty cubits wide and thirty cubits high. 16 Make a roof for it, leaving below the roof an opening one cubit high all around. Put a door in the side of the ark and make lower, middle and upper decks. 17 I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth to destroy all life under the heavens, every creature that has the breath of life in it. Everything on earth will perish. 18 But I will establish my covenant with you, and you will enter the ark—you and your sons and your wife and your sons' wives with you.

**Previous Scripture: Hebrews 11:7a;**

**1 Samuel 15:20-24; Hebrews 11:1**



# I. God Invites Us To Say Yes



Genesis 6:19-22 NIV

19 You are to bring into the ark two of all living creatures, male and female, to keep them alive with you. 20 Two of every kind of bird, of every kind of animal and of every kind of creature that moves along the ground will come to you to be kept alive. 21 You are to take every kind of food that is to be eaten and store it away as food for you and for them.”

22 Noah did everything just as God commanded him.

Previous Scripture: Hebrews 11:7a;

1 Samuel 15:20-24; Hebrews 11:1





# I. God Invites Us To Say Yes



Genesis 2:5-6 NIV

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5 Now no shrub had yet appeared on the earth and no plant had yet sprung up, for the LORD God had not sent rain on the earth and there was no one to work the ground,  
6 but streams came up from the earth and watered the whole surface of the ground.

Previous Scripture: Genesis 6:14-22;

Hebrews 11:7a; 1 Samuel 15:20-24



## II. God Uses Holy Fear To Motivate Us Hebrews 11:7b NIV



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## II. God Uses Holy Fear To Motivate Us Psalm 2:11 NIV



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Serve the LORD with fear  
and celebrate his rule with trembling.



## II. God Uses Holy Fear To Motivate Us Psalm 112:1 NIV



Praise the LORD.

Blessed are those who fear the LORD,  
who find great delight in his commands.



## II. God Uses Holy Fear To Motivate Us Psalm 128:1 NIV



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Blessed are all who fear the LORD,  
who walk in obedience to him.



# III. God Uses Our Faith To Reveal Unbelief Hebrews 11:7c NIV



By his faith he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness that is in keeping with faith.



# III. God Uses Our Faith To Reveal Unbelief



Joshua 24:15 NIV

But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD.”

Previous Scripture: Hebrews 11:7c;

Psalm 128:1; Psalm 112:1



# III. God Uses Our Faith To Reveal Unbelief



2 Peter 2:5 NIV

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if he did not spare the ancient world when he brought the flood on its ungodly people, but protected Noah, a preacher of righteousness, and seven others;





# III. God Uses Our Faith To Reveal Unbelief



Matthew 24:38-39 NIV

38 For in the days before the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark; 39 and they knew nothing about what would happen until the flood came and took them all away. That is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man.

**Previous Scripture: 2 Peter 2:5;**

**Joshua 24:15; Hebrews 11:7c**