

Genesis Study Guide

READ

Genesis 6:1-8

SUMMARY

In Genesis 6, man continues to multiply on the face of the earth, and so does the corruption of sin. There is a lot of controversy over the identity of the sons and daughters of man in this passage, but what is apparent is the increasing depravity of the human condition. But despite man's growing rebellion and wickedness, God shows his grace and favor to the line of Adam through a man named Noah.

REVIEW

How have you seen God's grace in your life this past week?

DISCUSS

- The sons of God saw that the daughters were attractive and took them as they chose. Compare this with Genesis 3:6. What are some similarities that you see and how are they significant?
- Genesis 6:5 shows us that God is not only concerned with our behavior but with the intentions of our heart. How can you surrender your mind and heart daily to the will of God?
- Read Isaiah 63:7-10. What does it mean that our sin grieves the heart of God? How does knowing this about our sin help us to fight against it?
- Read Ephesians 2:1-5. Christ died so that we, like Noah, could have favor in God's eyes. How is God's grace good news for us in light of this passage?

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Who Were the Sons of God? (Article)
- The Nephilim (Article)
- Why Does God Regret? (Podcast)
- Until the Son of God Appeared (Article)

