

ARK ANGEL

Genesis 6 - 9

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What floats your boat?

I love boats.

My first cruise



What floats your boat?

**I love animals
(BC: Before Colour)**



What floats your boat?

**What could be
more fun than a
boatload of
animals?**



When God was sorry

Gen. 6:5 **the LORD regretted making human beings on the earth, and his heart was grieved.** (NABRE)

Violence & mixed mates



Floods



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When waters rise



A few survivors



I promise

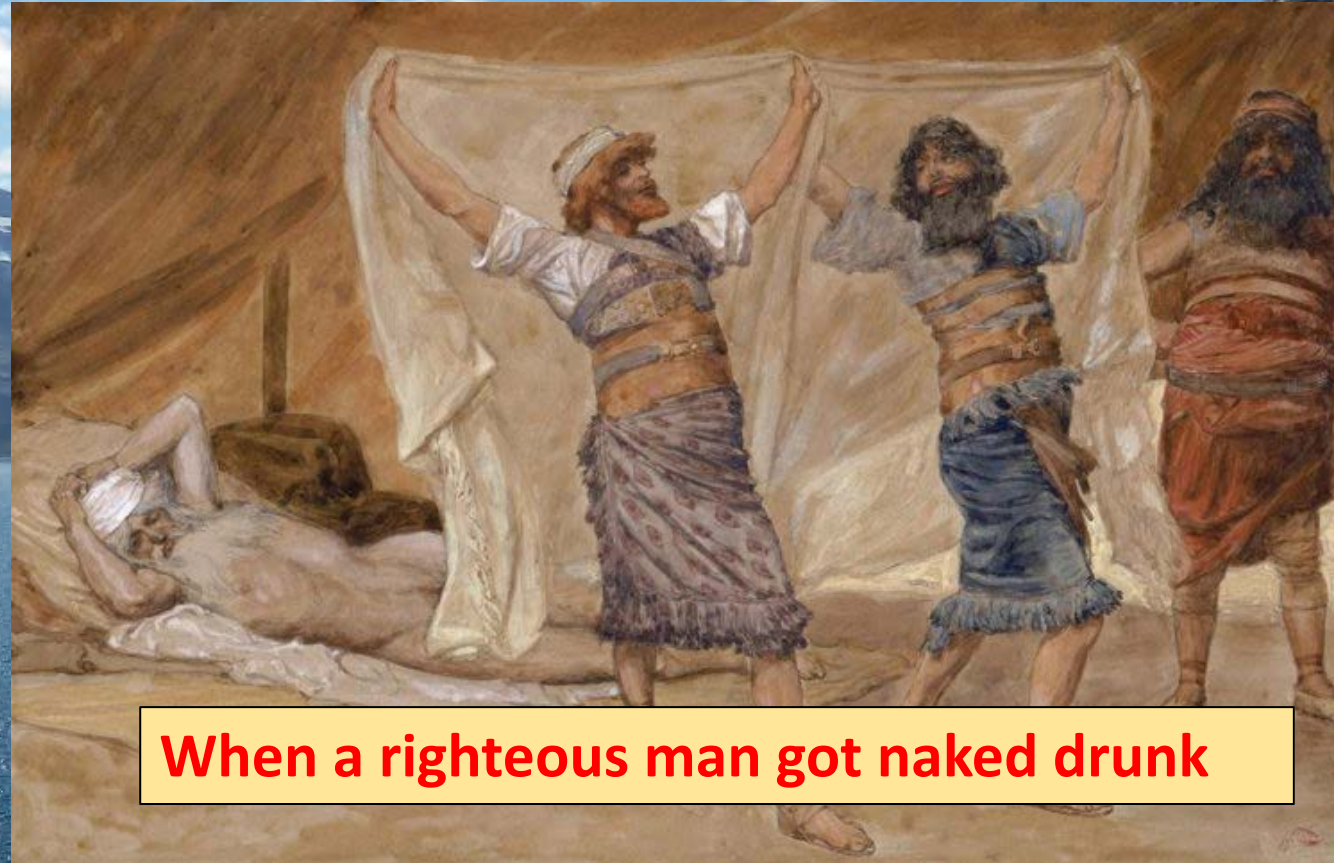


I set My bow in the cloud...
Gen 9:13



Noah & Ham: An intents experience

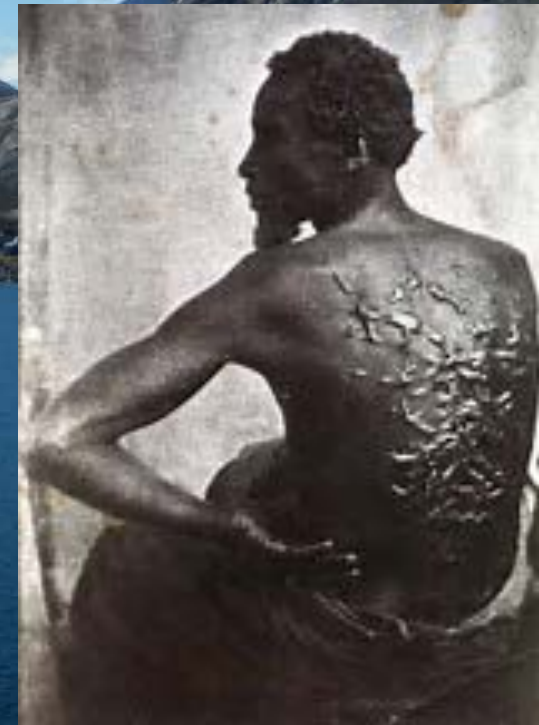
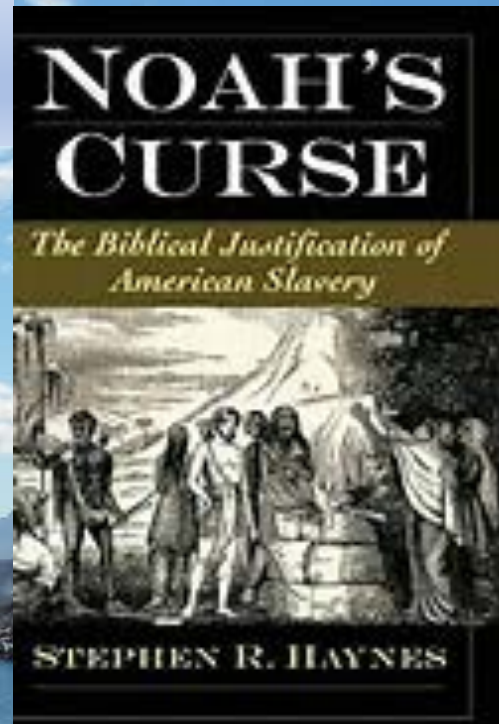
Gen. 9



When a righteous man got naked drunk

Cursed Gen. 9:25


So he said,
“Cursed be Canaan;
A servant of servants
He shall be to his brothers.”





“All hurricanes are acts of God, because God controls the heavens,” John Hagee on Katrina ([CNN](#))

“I really believe that the pagans, and the abortionists, and the feminists, and the gays and the lesbians who are actively trying to make that an alternative lifestyle, the ACLU, People For the American Way, all of them who have tried to secularize America, I point the finger in their face and say, 'You helped this happen,'” Falwell said on Pat Robertson’s “700 Club” program about 911 ([CNN](#))



A day after Haiti's devastating 2009 earthquake, U.S. Christian broadcaster Pat Robertson said the disaster was provoked by the Haitians' "pact to the devil."

The "700 Club" host said Haitians had entered that pact to gain independence from French rule in the early 1800s. "They said, 'We will serve you if you will get us free from the French.' True story," Robertson said. "And so, the devil said, 'OK, it's a deal.' "

"Ever since," Robertson continued, "they have been cursed by one thing after the other." The magnitude 7.0 earthquake claimed more than 200,000 lives. [CNN](#)

When I became a man, I



learned lessons from disasters...

- **Justice is a matter of perception.**
- **Righteous people can be flawed.**
- **Bad things happen to good people.**
- **Disasters reveal heroes and villains.**
- **Punishment won't correct human nature.**

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- Drugs, sex, & cursing are common responses to disaster.
- Old narratives did and do serve political purposes.
- Some disaster survivors say: “God saved me for a purpose.”
- Theologies don’t handle evil very well.
- Evangelical theologians don’t seem to like the idea that God has regrets or a change of mind in response to events.

Discussion

