Sermon: "Noah: God Said It; I'm Doing It; That Settles It"

Text: Genesis 6:5-14 and 22 (Page 5 in the pew Bible)

Jesus the Savior... from what?

Matthew 24:37-39

37 For as were the days of Noah, so will be the coming of the Son of *Man.* 38 For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day when Noah entered the ark, 39 and they were unaware until the flood came and swept them all away, so will be the coming of the Son of Man.

II. The opposition to Noah's faith (all who ignored God and perished).

A. Noah's message ridiculed

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2. The reliability questioned

B. Noah's message rejected

I. The obedience of Noah's faith (Noah heard God and heeded)

Genesis 6: 13-14 "God said to Noah, "I have determined to make an end of all flesh, for the earth is filled with violence through them. Behold, I will destroy them with the earth. Make yourself an ark.."

Genesis 6:22 "Noah did everything just as God commanded him."

III. The ongoing application of Noah's faith

Hebrews 11:7 "By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith."

A. Jesus is the ark of salvation from the wrath of God which is coming on the unbelieving and unrepentant Acts 4:12 "There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

> B. Abel – what is means to *worship* God by faith Enoch – what it means to *walk* with God by faith Noah – what it means to

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