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Noah's Ark Family Home Evening Packet



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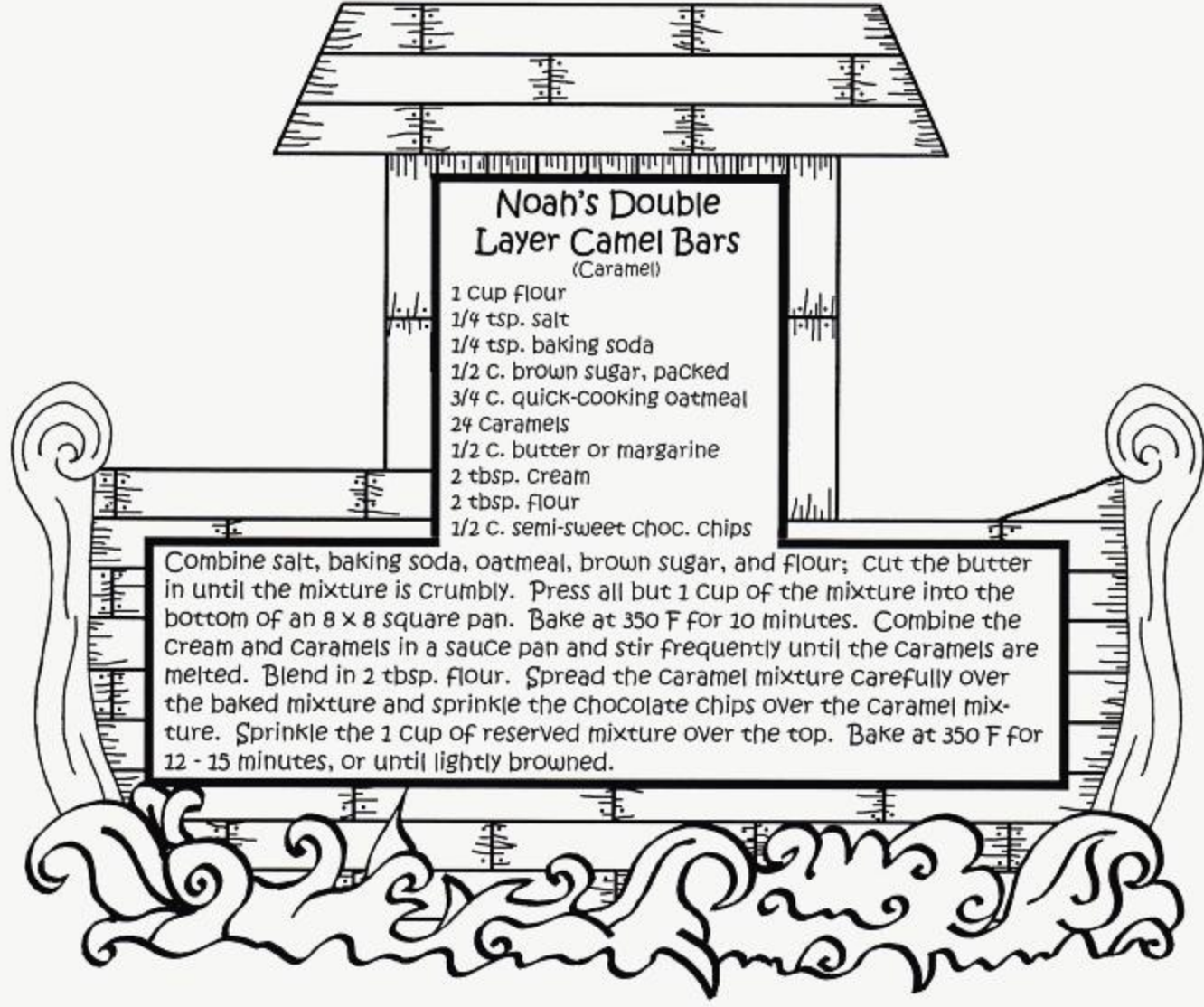
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Suggested Songs: "Keep The Commandments", pg 303
"Rain is Falling All Around", p 241
"I Will Follow God's Plan", p 164

Scriptures: Genesis 7:9, or Ether 12:6

Story: Color graphics with markers, colored pencils, chalks, etc. Use flannel, or laminate and cut out and place magnets on back of graphics, etc. The windows can be cut out of the ark if so desired.

Game: Color, laminate and cut out each individual card. To play, shuffle cards, turn cards face down. Choose a player to go first and then rotate turns clockwise. Allow player to flip over a card and then try and flip over a matching card. If player is successful in making a match, that player can continue his turn. If he/she was not successful, then the next player begins his turn. When all cards have been matched the game is over. The player with the most cards wins.





And It Rained Forty Days And Forty Nights



Way back, in the early days of the bible, there lived a great prophet named Noah. Noah was a mighty prophet and trusted the Lord in everything he did, so when God instructed him to warn the people of the land, he did what he was told.

Noah traveled far and wide to tell everyone that they must repent and become better people or the Lord would send a great flood of water to destroy them all, but no one listened. They had become too evil and they had no time for a prophet.

Finally, the Lord's patience wore thin and Noah was told to build a huge ship, an ark, that could hold all of Noah's family and all the animals and critters of the earth. It was a hard task, especially back in those days when tools were hand-made and supplies were hard to obtain, but Noah and his sons built the big boat.

The people of the land mocked Noah, and laughed at his foolishness, but Noah had faith in the Lord, and he knew he was doing the right thing. And then it started to rain. And it rained and it rained and it rained, and soon water began to cover the entire earth.

Noah was sad as he watched everything he had known being covered with water. Noah and his family had prepared the Ark with great care. It was filled with food, water, clothing and all the supplies they would need for a very long trip.

Every animal and beast that was found on the earth at that time was loaded on to the ark in pairs - a female and a male. Can you imagine what it must have looked like and smelled like on that boat? Just cleaning up after the animals every day would have been an awful job.

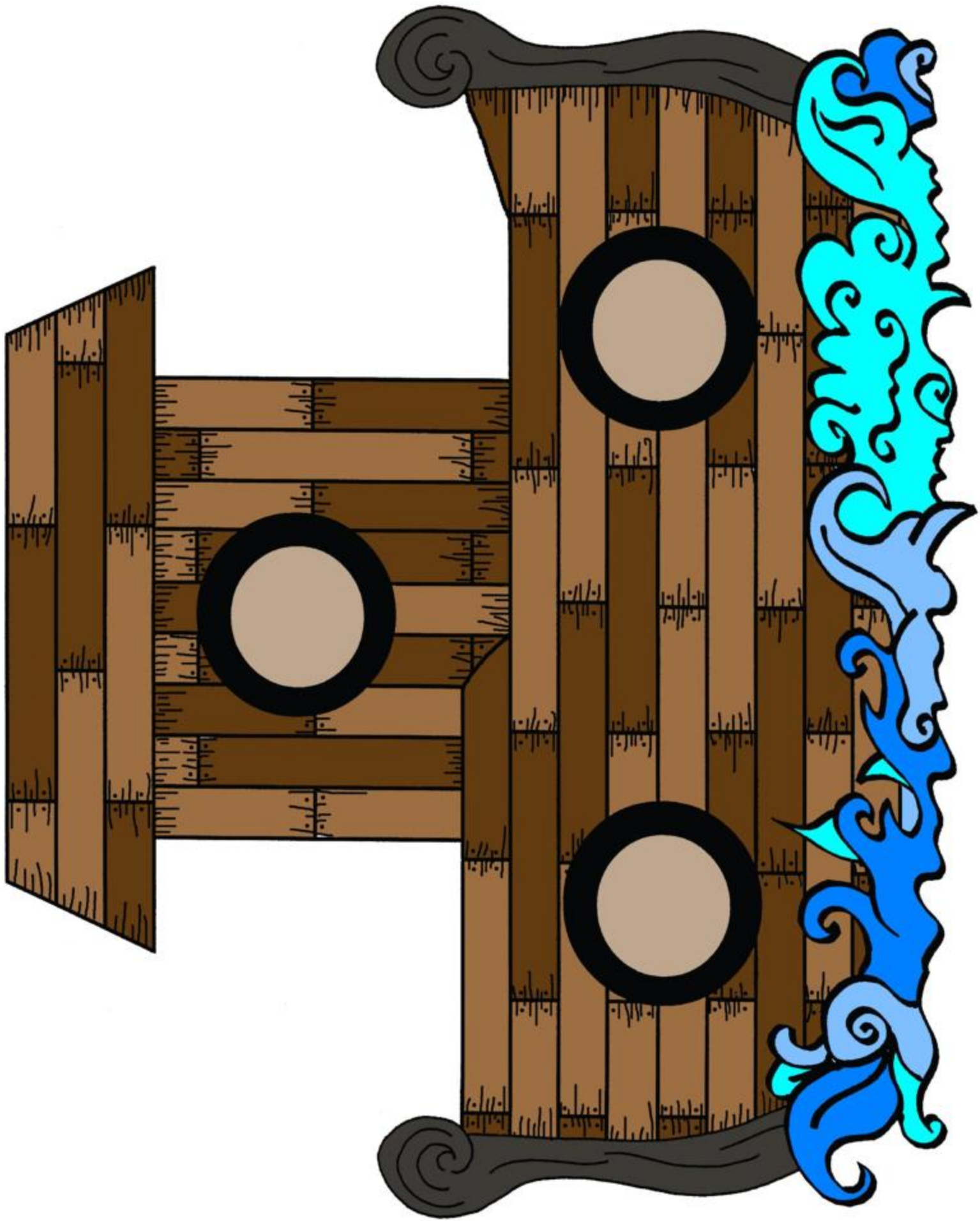
Noah, his wife, his sons Japheth, Shem and Ham and their families, all boarded the ark for their long journey. And the rains kept coming until the entire earth was covered with water. It was a scary time for Noah's family. They didn't know where they were going or how long it would take and it took a long time. The rains came for forty days and forty nights.

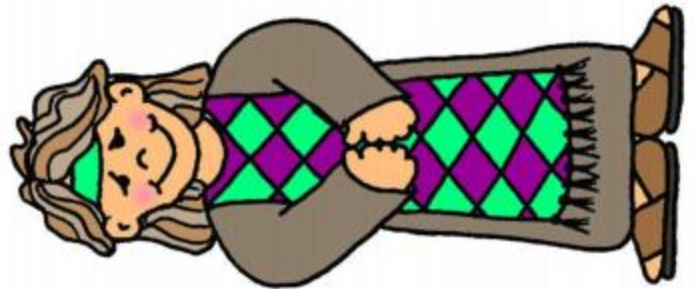
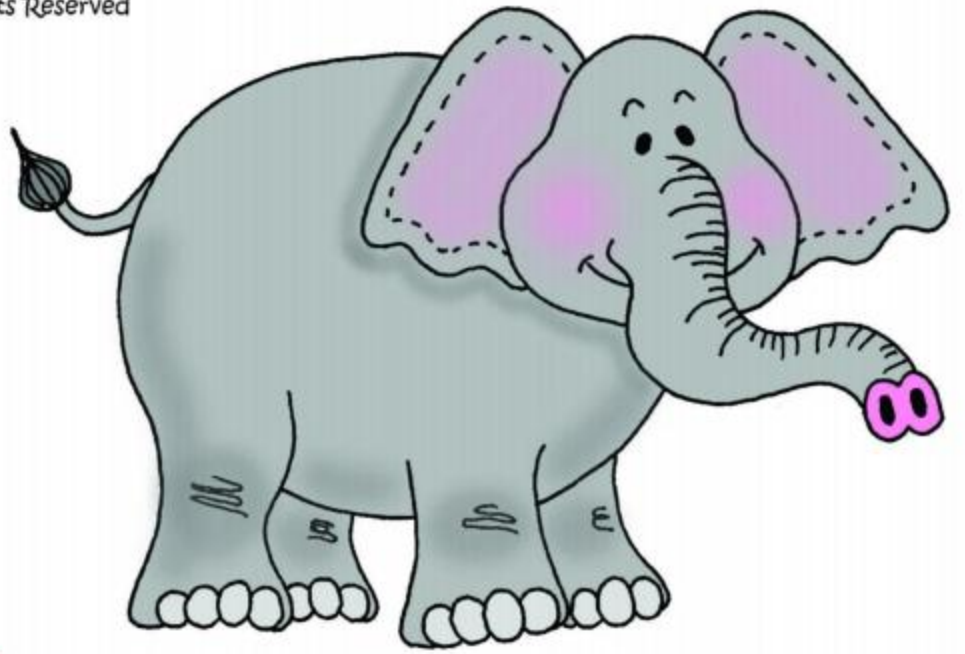
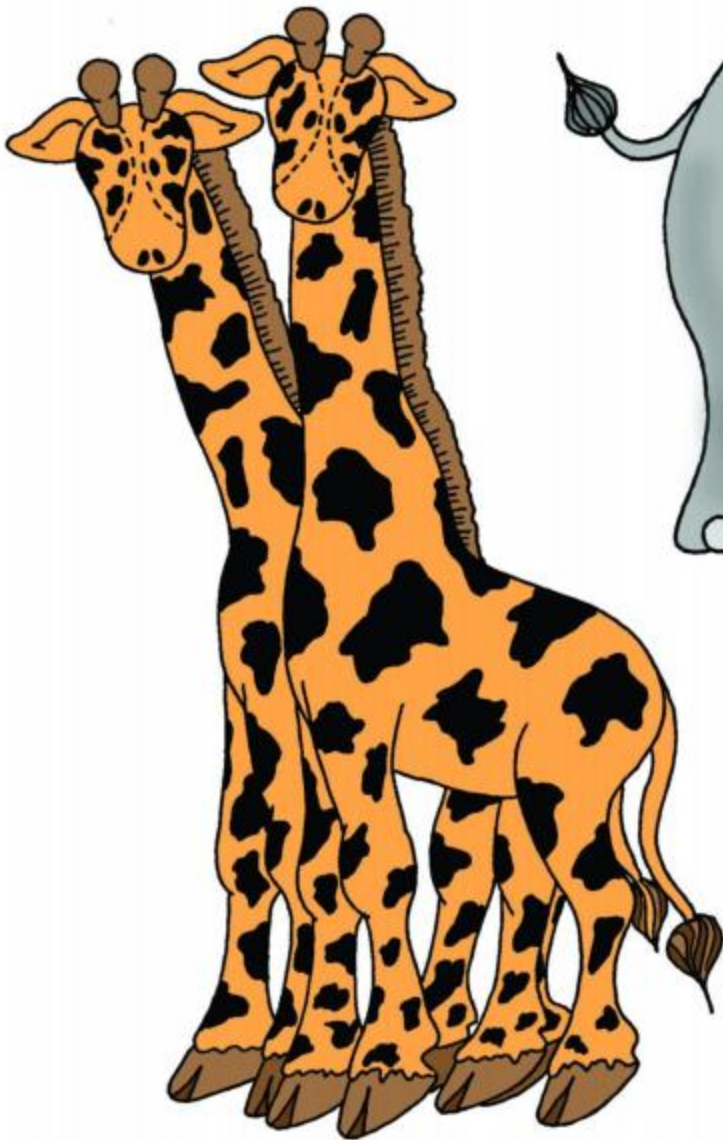
Periodically, Noah would send one of the doves out from the ship to search for land, but it would come back with nothing. Then, after all those days and nights on the ark with all of those animals, the dove came back with an olive branch in its mouth. Noah was happy beyond words, for he knew that land was close. He sent the dove out again, and it never came back, so Noah knew that the bird had found a place to build a nest and that they had been saved.

Noah had great faith in God and Jesus Christ. He knew that they would not fail him and he trusted them to lead him right. Because of Noah's great love for the Lord, he and his family were saved from the great flood.

DISCUSSION

- Do we have that kind of faith?
- Who can tell me an experience where they have had to have such great faith as Noah did?





Shem



Noah & Wife



Japheth



Ham

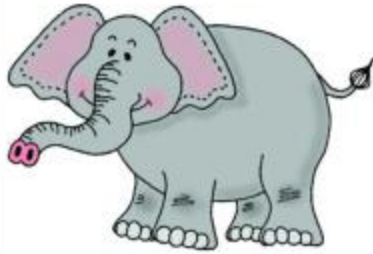


Cut out cards on dotted lines

Ham



Japheth



Shem



Noah & His Wife

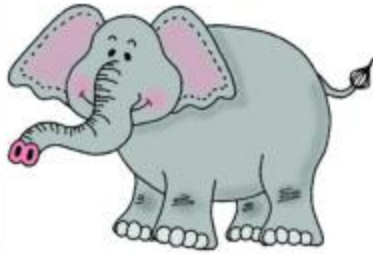


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Noah And The Ark

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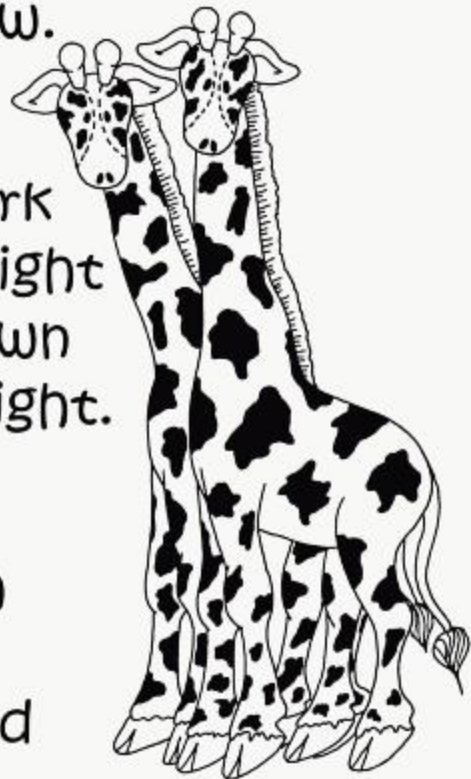
Noah showed great faith
When told to build an ark
He started in the morning
And worked until the dark.



Everyone made fun
And mocked him all day long
Noah kept his faith
For he knew he was not wrong.

The Lord sent all the animals
Coming two by two
Some that crawled, some that hopped
And even some that flew.

Noah put them in the ark
And sealed the door up tight
The rain came falling down
Noah knew he had been right.



I want to be like Noah
Faithful I can be
So if the Lord is in need
He will call on Me.



Genesis 7:9

“There went in two and two unto Noah into the ark, the male and the female, as God had commanded Noah.”

