



# GO BACK TO THE BEGINNING

GENESIS 6:5-8

## Sin Will Not Win

### I. God \_\_\_\_\_ the full extent of our sin.

*The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. v. 5*



**SINFUL DEPRAVITY OF HUMANKIND**

1. Sin is personal. (Rom 3:23)
2. Sin is all-consuming. (Eph 2:3)
3. Sin is enslaving. (Jn 8:34)
4. Sin is ultimately against God. (Ps 51:4)

»»»» DO YOU \_\_\_\_\_ YOUR SIN LIKE GOD SEES YOUR SIN?

### II. God \_\_\_\_\_ the perversion of His creation.

*And the Lord regretted that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him to his heart. v. 6*

»»»» DOES YOUR SIN \_\_\_\_\_ YOU LIKE IT GRIEVES GOD?

### III. God \_\_\_\_\_ to put an end to sin.

*So the Lord said, "I will blot out man whom I have created from the face of the land, man and animals and creeping things and birds of the heavens, for I am sorry that I have made them. But Noah found favor in the eyes of the Lord." vv. 7-8*

»»»» DO YOU \_\_\_\_\_ GOD'S PAYMENT TO BLOT OUT YOUR SIN?

... but God shows his **love** for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ **died** for us.  
Since, therefore, we have now been **justified** by his blood,  
much more shall we be **saved** by him from the wrath of God. ROMANS 5:8-9

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## DEVOTIONAL & HOME GROUP STUDY

Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal His truth and wisdom as you go through this lesson.

1. Read Genesis chapter 6, then read the following Scripture passages. In what ways is the world around you similar to the world in Noah's day? How might it be different?

Romans 1:18-32 *a world that refuses God*

Matthew 24:37-39 *a world not at all concerned about judgment*

2 Timothy 3:1-4 *the state of the world before Jesus returns*

2. Read 2 Corinthians 7:10. Describe the difference between worldly sorrow and godly sorrow. Does hearing about God's sorrow over sin help you articulate this difference more clearly?

**And no creature is hidden from his sight, but all are naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must give account.**

HEBREWS 4:13

"As long as your sin breaks your heart, as long as your disobedience makes you lie awake nights and wet your pillow in tears there is hope for you. But when you become contented with your wickedness, when you come to believe that it is the best possible for you, then you are in danger indeed."

CLOVIS CHAPPELL

"There is an essential difference between the decease of the godly and the death of the ungodly. Death comes to the ungodly man as a penal infliction, but to the righteous as a summons to his Father's palace. To the sinner it is an execution, to the saint an undressing from his sins and infirmities. Death to the wicked is the King of terrors. Death to the saint is the end of terrors, the commencement of glory."

CHARLES SPURGEON

"The cross is the lightning rod of grace that short-circuits God's wrath to Christ so that only the light of His love remains for believers."

A. W. TOZER

6. If you've accepted God's payment to blot out your sin, what disciplines do you have in your life that help you walk with God? What stumbling blocks that interfere do you need to remove?

### A WONDERFUL OFFER

Being a Christian isn't based on membership in a local church or keeping a set of rules. It involves a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and an understanding of who He is and what He has done to provide man with a way to experience God's love for us. Here's how to know Jesus Christ as your personal Savior:

1. Realize that you are sinful and separated from God. (Romans 3:23; Isaiah 53:6)

2. Recognize that the penalty for your sin is death—eternal separation from God and all that is good. (Romans 6:23; Hebrews 9:27)

3. Understand that Jesus Christ took the penalty for your sin by dying in your place and that He rose again. (Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21)

4. Receive the free gift of salvation by trusting in Christ alone as your Savior. (Romans 4:4-5; Ephesians 2:8-9)

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal life." (John 3:16 NASB) You can use this prayer to express your decision to God:

"Dear God, I know that I am a sinner. I believe that Jesus Christ died on the cross for me and rose from the dead. I trust in Him alone as the only way to get right with You. Thank You for the forgiveness of sins and the eternal life I now have. Amen."

## COMING UP AT CHRIST CHAPEL

Here's a glimpse at what you need to know for this week at Christ Chapel. If you'd like to find out even more, visit [www.ccbcfamily.org/events](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/events). That's a great spot to see what's coming up!



**JESUS IS ALIVE** and we're excited to celebrate this truth with you during Easter weekend! We'll be having worship services on Saturday, March 30, and Sunday, March 31, across all three of our locations. If you'll be gathering to celebrate with us, please visit [www.ccbcfamily.org/easter](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/easter) and let us know by setting up a Reservation Reminder.

**TENEBRAE**, which means "the darkening," is a moving Good Friday service recounting Jesus' life and death through music and communion. Join us on Friday, March 29 at 6 or 7:30 p.m. as we prepare our hearts and minds for Easter. Please note that we recommend children ages ten and under not attend due to the dramatic nature of the service. Learn more by visiting [www.ccbcfamily.org/easter](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/easter).

**LET'S ASK THIS EASTER!** Our prayer is for more people to come and see that Jesus is alive. So, let's ask! Invite someone to join the Easter celebration this year and watch what God does. One invite to Easter could be someone's start to knowing Jesus as Savior. If you invite someone and they have questions, let them know they can find all the details about our celebration at [www.ccbcfamily.org/easter](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/easter).

**KIDSCAMP IS COMING UP!** The gospel is for everyone—and that's why KidsCamp exists! We're on a mission to tell every boy and girl that God's invitation of forgiveness and love is for them! From the joy-filled games with friends to the discovery of God's words in the Bible, one week of KidsCamp could begin another chapter of deeper faith. Register today at [www.ccbcfamily.org/kidscamp](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/kidscamp).

**NIGHT OF WORSHIP** Across all locations, our church desires to prioritize intentional time in worship and the presence of God. For a few hours at our South Campus, our Women's Ministry will host a night for the women of Christ Chapel to gather, worship and direct their lives toward Jesus! Learn more at [www.ccbcfamily.org/worshipnight](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/worshipnight).

**MSM SUMMER CAMP** Join the MSM staff and your favorite leaders as we head to Carolina Creek Christian Camp from Wednesday, July 24, to Saturday, July 27. From learning more about Jesus and the gospel to hanging with friends and making memories, register today by visiting [www.ccbcfamily.org/msmsummer](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/msmsummer).

**NEXT GEN EXPERIENCE** Wonder what your kids are doing each Sunday? The Next Gen Experience is a perfect opportunity to see behind the scenes of a typical Sunday for your kids! Get a tour of all things Kids Ministry, find out what your kids are learning and how volunteers impact the next generation one life and one Sunday at a time. Join us on Sunday, April 14 at 9:15 a.m. Register at [www.ccbcfamily.org/nextgen](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/nextgen).



**LOOKING FOR THE CONNECT CARD?** Scan the QR code here to fill out a Connect Card. Our team will reach out this week to answer your questions and tell you more about Christ Chapel.

**IF YOU'D LIKE TO GIVE AN OFFERING TODAY, YOU CAN DO SO STRAIGHT FROM YOUR PHONE.** The process is quick and easy—text GIVE to 24253 to get started.