

Study Guide on Genesis 8:20-22 & 9:8-17
New American Standard Bible

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

Genesis 8:20-22 & 9:8-17

(Genesis 8:20) Then Noah built an altar to the LORD, and took of every clean animal and of every clean bird and offered burnt offerings on the altar.

(Genesis 8:21) The LORD smelled the soothing aroma; and the LORD said to Himself, "I will never again curse the ground on account of man, for the intent of man's heart is evil from his youth; and I will never again destroy every living thing, as I have done.

(Genesis 8:22) "While the earth remains, Seedtime and harvest, And cold and heat, And summer and winter, And day and night Shall not cease."

(Genesis 9:8) Then God spoke to Noah and to his sons with him, saying,

(Genesis 9:9) "Now behold, I Myself do establish My covenant with you, and with your descendants after you;

(Genesis 9:10) and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the cattle, and every beast of the earth with you; of all that comes out of the ark, even every beast of the earth.

(Genesis 9:11) "I establish My covenant with you; and all flesh shall never again be cut off by the water of the flood, neither shall there again be a flood to destroy the earth."

(Genesis 9:12) God said, "This is the sign of the covenant which I am making between Me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all successive generations;

(Genesis 9:13) I set My bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a sign of a covenant between Me and the earth.

(Genesis 9:14) “It shall come about, when I bring a cloud over the earth, that the bow will be seen in the cloud,

(Genesis 9:15) and I will remember My covenant, which is between Me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and never again shall the water become a flood to destroy all flesh.

(Genesis 9:16) “When the bow is in the cloud, then I will look upon it, to remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.”

(Genesis 9:17) And God said to Noah, “This is the sign of the covenant which I have established between Me and all flesh that is on the earth.”

Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?