



## *Choice And Consequences*

Series: Genesis, #5

Text: Genesis 6 – 9

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Theme: **"The wages of sin is death, but the gracious gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."**

### **The Wages Of Sin Is Death.**

1. The source of sin. (6:5, 12; 9:5-7)
2. The evidence of sin. (6:1-2; 9:20-27)
3. The consequences of sin. (6:6-7, 13, 17; 7:4, 13-24)

### **The Gracious Gift Of God Is Eternal Life.**

1. The source of the gift. (6:8, 18; 7:1; 8:1; 6:14 – 8:19)
2. The means to the gift. (6:8 – 9:22; 7:5, 7, 16; Hebrews 11:7)
3. The nature of the gift. (7:23; 8:15-19; 9:8-17)

## In My Life This Week

(As you use this daily guide, write out your observations and responses on a separate piece of paper and save them with this sheet for reference.)

**Monday.** The theme chosen for yesterday's look at Genesis 6 – 9 was Romans 6:23. Keep that verse in front of you as you go through these daily reflections. Read Genesis 6. Note and list the truths you find here about sin — it's source, evidence and consequences. What does this tell you about people then and now? It is clear that sin was, and is, very serious to God. Why?

**Tuesday.** Read Genesis 7. Why was Noah (and his family) spared? Go back to 6:13 and 7:21-23. Think again about how serious sin is to God as you reflect on the great consequences of mankind's sin recorded here.

**Wednesday.** Read Genesis 8:1-9, looking for and listing the evidences of God's grace. Even in great judgment, God's grace is evident. Where would you be without God's grace? Thank God for His grace to you, and the world.

**Thursday.** Read Genesis 8:20 – 9:29. We know that Noah found favor with God (6:8) and obeyed Him (6:22, 7:5). Hebrews 11:7 tells us the pivotal factor for Noah was his faith. He chose to love God with all his heart, soul and might and so trusted and obeyed God. *Choice and Consequences*. If you are a believer, review your choices so far this week with respect to loving God with all your being and so trusting and obeying Him.

**Friday – Saturday.** Sunday is the first Sunday of Advent. We will begin an Advent series "Jesus, Treasure From Heaven" based on Isaiah 9:6 (we will return to Genesis after Christmas). Read and think through Isaiah 9:1-7 in preparation for Sunday.