Building the Big Boat

Fall Unit 2: Noah Builds an Ark

Bible Verse: "We are God's masterpiece. He created us to do good things." Ephesians 2:10

God's Word & Me (Bottom Line): God helps us to do good things and obey Him.

Genesis 6:5-22



After God made the world, more and more people were born. After a long time, there were more people than you could count! But these people did not obey God. They did unkind things to each other, spoiling the beautiful world God had made. This made God sad.



But one man named Noah was different. Noah **loved** and obeyed God.

God told Noah, "I'm going to cover the world with water to stop all the bad things people are doing."

Then God told Noah, "Build a big boat. I will tell you how to build it."

God told Noah which wood to use to build the big boat. God told Noah how **tall** to build the boat. God told Noah how long to build the boat. God even told Noah where to put the door and window.

God told Noah, "When the water comes, you and your family will be safe in the big boat." Noah obeyed God. He started building the big boat.

Noah and his family began to **cut down** trees. Chop! Chop! Chop!

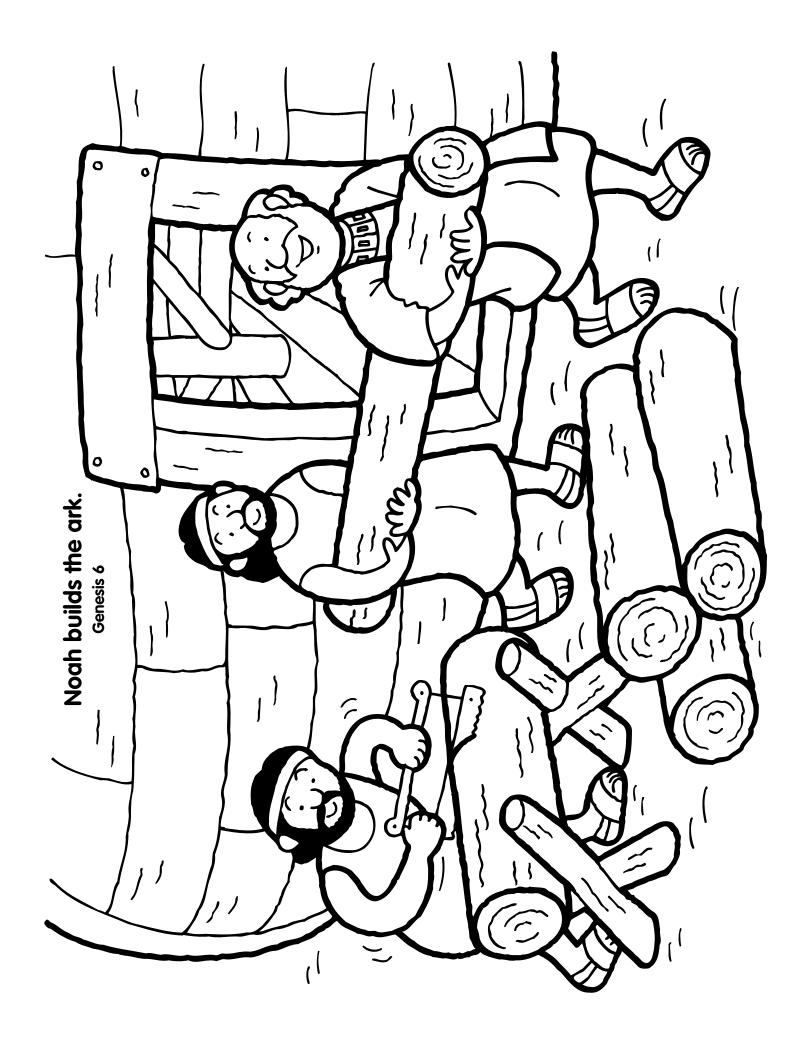
They sawed the wood into boards. ZZZ-zzz-zzz.

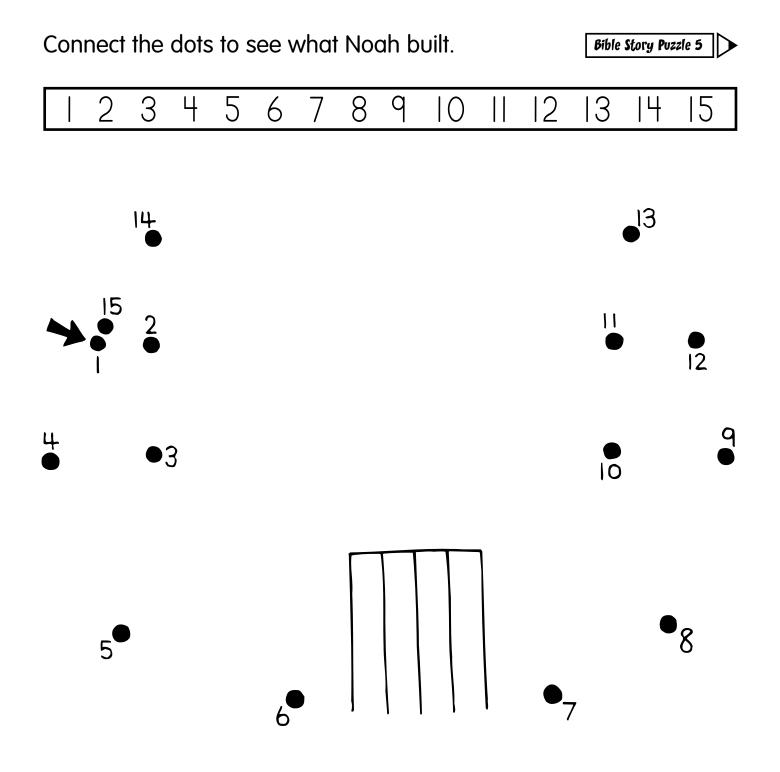
They **hammered** the boards together. Bang! Bang! Bang!

Finally the big boat was finished. It was tall and long.

Noah and his family were glad God helped them know how to build the boat. They knew God was taking care of them.







God told Noah to build a boat. Noah obeyed. We can do good and obey God, too. God will help us. The Bible says, "God made us to do good." (See Ephesians 2:10.)



Draw water for the ark to float on. Draw some animals in the ark.