



# Noah's World

Genesis 6:5-7; 11-13

- Evil spread throughout the world because evil spread throughout man's heart (Gen. 6:5)
- Evil is a heart problem
  - ✓ Romans 1:21; Psalms 58:1, 2; Isaiah 59:4; Jeremiah 22:17; Mk. 7:20-23



The Spread of Evil

## *What Makes For Perilous Times?*

<sup>1</sup> But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come: <sup>2</sup> For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, <sup>3</sup> unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, <sup>4</sup> traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, <sup>5</sup> having a form of godliness but denying its power. And from such people turn away!

2 Timothy 3:1-5

### Biblical Scenes of Violence

- Sodom (Gen. 19)
- Simeon & Levi (Gen. 49:5-7)
- Abimelech (Judg. 9:1-5)
- Gibeah (Judg. 19)
- Nob (1 Sam. 22)
- Bethlehem (Matt. 2:1-16)
- The Galileans (Lk. 13:1, 2)
- Jerusalem & Jesus (Matt. 26-27)

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### The Crucifixion of Jesus Christ

Despised—Isa. 53:3

Slandered—Isa. 53:4

Murdered —Isa. 53:8

Brutally treated—Isa. 53:5

From self-will—Isa. 53:6

## **Romans 8:31, 32**

31 What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?

32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?



**Jesus did not come to earth to make our lives easy, but to deliver us from this evil age!**

“Who gave Himself for our sins, that He might deliver us from this present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father” (Gal. 1:4)



## 2 Thessalonians 3:1-3

1 Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may run swiftly and be glorified, just as it is with you,

2 and that we may be delivered from unreasonable and wicked men; for not all have faith.

3 But the Lord is faithful, who will establish you and guard you from the evil one.

