

LESSON #29
“SALVATION IS IN THE CHURCH”

TEXTS: Ephesians 5:23; Colossians 1:18; Galatians 3:27

INTRODUCTION:

Many preachers in the denominational world teach that you do not have to be a member of a church in order to be a Christian, or even be saved.

Many teach that you can have a relationship with God and Christ, without the Church.

Man's response to the concept of the church varies. Some say it has no significance. Others believe it is imperative, yet they believe one is as good as another.

God has revealed His Will concerning the Church in the Scriptures.

LET'S LET THE BIBLE SPEAK?

We will prove that a relationship with God and Christ, without the church is impossible.

We will prove that membership in Christ's Church is essential to salvation.

We will show that Paul wrote that Christ would save the Church and that Christ would present the Church to Himself, and the Lord Himself added the saved to it.

GENESIS CHAPTER 6
(chart)

THE ARK and THE CHURCH

Gen. 6:13-22

BUILDER "NOAH"

ONE MATERIAL
ARK

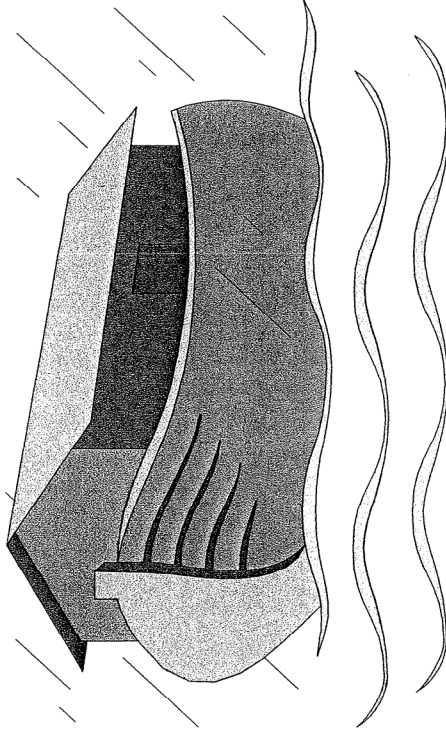
Gopher Wood

ONE HOPE

Life In New World

SAVED IN

Food etc.



ONE BUILDING
Ark

ONE FAMILY
Eight

ONE NAME
Noah

ONE ENTRANCE
Door

ONE LIGHT
Window

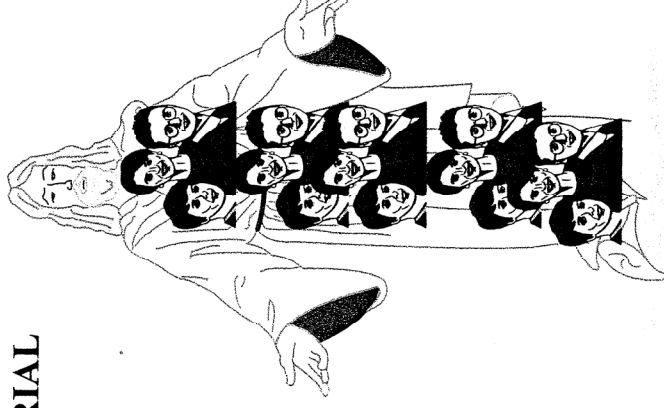
DESTRUCTION
All Outside

Matt. 16:18

BUILDER "CHRIST"

ONE MATERIAL
Lively Stones
I Pet. 2:5

ONE NAME
Christ's
Acts 11:26



ONE BUILDING
Church Eph 3:10

ONE FAMILY
Church Eph. 3:15

ONE ENTRANCE
Christ John 10:9

ONE LIGHT
Bible Psa. 119:105

SAVED IN CHRIST
Eph. 1:3; Eph. 4:4

DESTRUCTION
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