

DOING WHAT YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO DO

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Heb 11:7 It was by faith that Noah built an ark to save his family from the flood. He obeyed God, who warned him about something that had never happened before. By his faith he condemned the rest of the world and was made right in God's sight. NLT

Building the ark, ranks as one of history's largest and longest construction projects. It took Noah 120 years to build the ark. It was a boat 450 feet long, 75 feet wide and 45 feet high. That's a big boat!

Who builds a boat that big? Who builds a boat in the middle of the desert? Who builds an ark where there doesn't appear to be a need for an ark? Who banks their entire life and future on something that has never happened before?

Noah wasn't seeking 15 minutes of fame. He was seeking eternal glory. He didn't care about public opinion. Noah was listening for the applause of heaven.

Someone once said, "When your life is over, the world will ask you only one question; Did you do what you were supposed to do?"

That's not only a good question, that is the question! Did you do what you were supposed to do? Did you do what God called you to do?

Noah spent 120 years building the ark because that is what God told him to do. That was the reason that Noah was alive on planet earth.

Why are you alive? What is your purpose for living? What has God called you to do?

Doing what God calls us to do is an act of obedience. It is the means by which we worship God.

The Bible doesn't say that Noah questioned God. He doesn't say that he talked back to God. It doesn't say that he tried to reason his way out of doing what God told him to do. The Bible says, "Noah did everything exactly as God had commanded him."

Can the same be said of you? Are you living your life in complete obedience to the word of God? Are you doing what God has called you to do?