

Adult Impact Questions
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If possible, read the book of I Peter 3:19-20 from several translations. For additional insight and study go to www.studyLight.org.

1. Verses 19 and 20 are difficult verses to understand. Discuss your understanding of what it means that Christ preached to the “spirits in prison”. Why would Christ preach to spirits who are doomed to judgment with no hope of redemption?

What is this place where Christ preached?

Who are the spirits that He preached to?

How did they disobey? What is their punishment? (See II Peter 2:4; Jude 6-7)

What was the message he preached?

What does the reference to Noah have to do with Christ’s actions here?

2. What does it mean that God waited patiently in the days of Noah? What other verses speak of God’s patience? (For example: Psalm 86:15; Exodus 34:6-7a)
3. What is the significance of this section of Scripture?
4. Share your salvation story about how God waited patiently for you.

Next week: I Peter 3:21