## HEBREW BIBLE

**Isaiah 54.9:** This is <u>like the days of Noah to me</u>: Just as I swore that the waters of Noah would never again go over the earth, so I have sworn that I will not be angry with you and will not rebuke you.

**Ezekiel 14.13-14:** Mortal, when a land sins against me by acting faithlessly, and I stretch out my hand against it, and break its staff of bread and send famine upon it, and cut off from it human beings and animals, even if <u>Noah</u>, <u>Daniel</u>, and <u>Job</u>, these three, were in it, they would save only their own lives by <u>their righteousness</u>, says the Lord YHWH. (repeated, 14.20)

**Ezekiel 14.21, coda:** For thus says the Lord YHWH: How much more when I send upon Jerusalem my <u>four deadly acts of judgment, sword, famine, wild animals, and pestilence, to cut off humans and animals</u> from it!

**Revelation 6.8, the fourth seal:** I looked and there was a pale green horse! Its rider's name was Death, and Hades followed with him; they were given authority over a fourth of the earth, to <u>kill with sword, famine, and pestilence, and by the wild animals of the earth.</u>

**Tobit 4.12:** Remember, my son, that <u>Noah, Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob</u>, our fathers of old, all took wives from among their brethren. They <u>were blessed in their children</u>, and their posterity will inherit the land.

**Sirach 44.17-18:** Noah was found perfect and righteous; in the time of wrath he was taken in exchange; therefore a remnant was left to the earth when the flood came. Everlasting covenants were made with him that all flesh should not be blotted out by a flood.

## [SEE NOAH AND THE FLOOD IN INTERTESTAMENTAL LITERATURE FOR TEXTS FROM THIS PERIOD]

## New Testament

Matthew 24.37-39/Luke 17.26-27: For as <u>the days of Noah</u> were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away...

**Hebrews 11.7:** <u>By faith Noah</u>, warned by God about events as yet unseen, respected the warning and built an ark to save his household; by this he condemned the world and became an heir to the righteousness that is in accordance with faith.

**1 Peter 3.20-21:** when God waited patiently in <u>the days of Noah</u>, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you...

**2 Peter 2.4-5:** For if God did not spare the angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to chains of deepest darkness to be kept until the judgment; and if he did not spare the ancient world, even though he saved <u>Noah, a herald of righteousness</u>, with seven others, when he brought a flood on a world of the ungodly...