

The background of the image is a faded, light-colored illustration of Noah's Ark. The ark is shown as a large, multi-story building with a ramp leading to its entrance. It is surrounded by a body of water, and there are some smaller boats or structures in the distance. The overall tone is soft and illustrative.

FLOOD!

NOAH
SAILOR *SAVIOR*

The FLOOD attested or described elsewhere in the Bible.

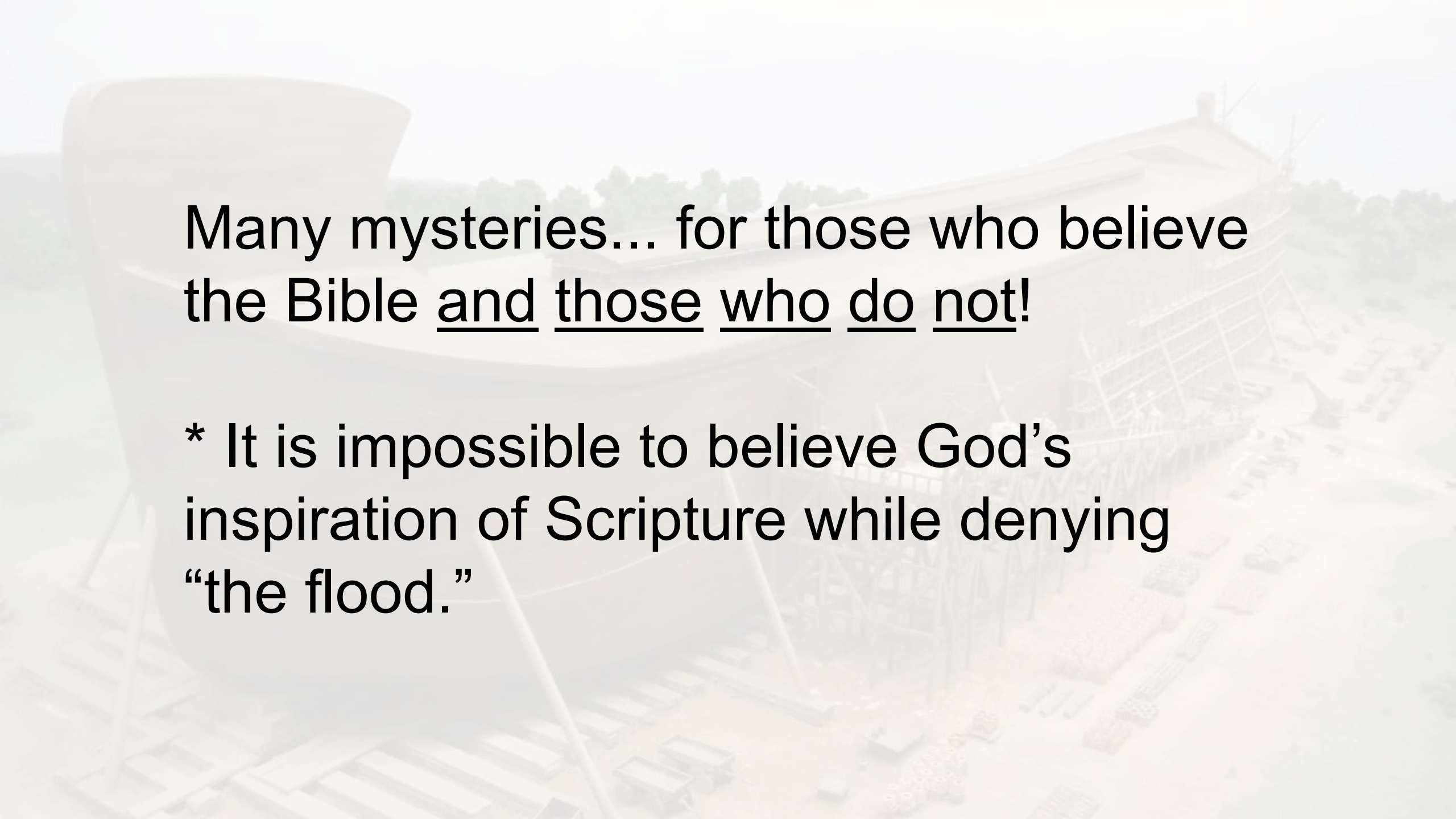
Isaiah 54 – God's oath not to cover the earth with water.

Matthew 24 (Jesus) – Noah, flood, and ark

1 Peter 3 – world destroyed by the deluge of water.

1 Peter 3 – Noah and family saved through water.

Hebrews 11 – Noah saved by obeying what God told him to do.



Many mysteries... for those who believe
the Bible and those who do not!

* It is impossible to believe God's
inspiration of Scripture while denying
“the flood.”



PURPOSE

**Annihilation of spiritual corruption,
which had thoroughly saturated human life.**

A large ship is shown under construction in a dry dock. The ship's hull is visible, and it is supported by a complex system of wooden scaffolding and cranes. The background shows a hazy landscape with trees and hills. The text "DURATION" is overlaid on the image in a bold, black, sans-serif font, underlined.

DURATION

One year (*round figure)

The background of the slide is a faded, high-angle photograph of a large ship's hull under construction in a dry dock. The ship is positioned on a series of supports, and the surrounding area is filled with various construction materials and equipment. The image is intentionally blurred and has a light, yellowish tint to serve as a backdrop for the text.

PROVISION

Seed stock to start it all over again.
(Assumption: marine life survived unaffected.)

PROMISE

“Never again!” (true)

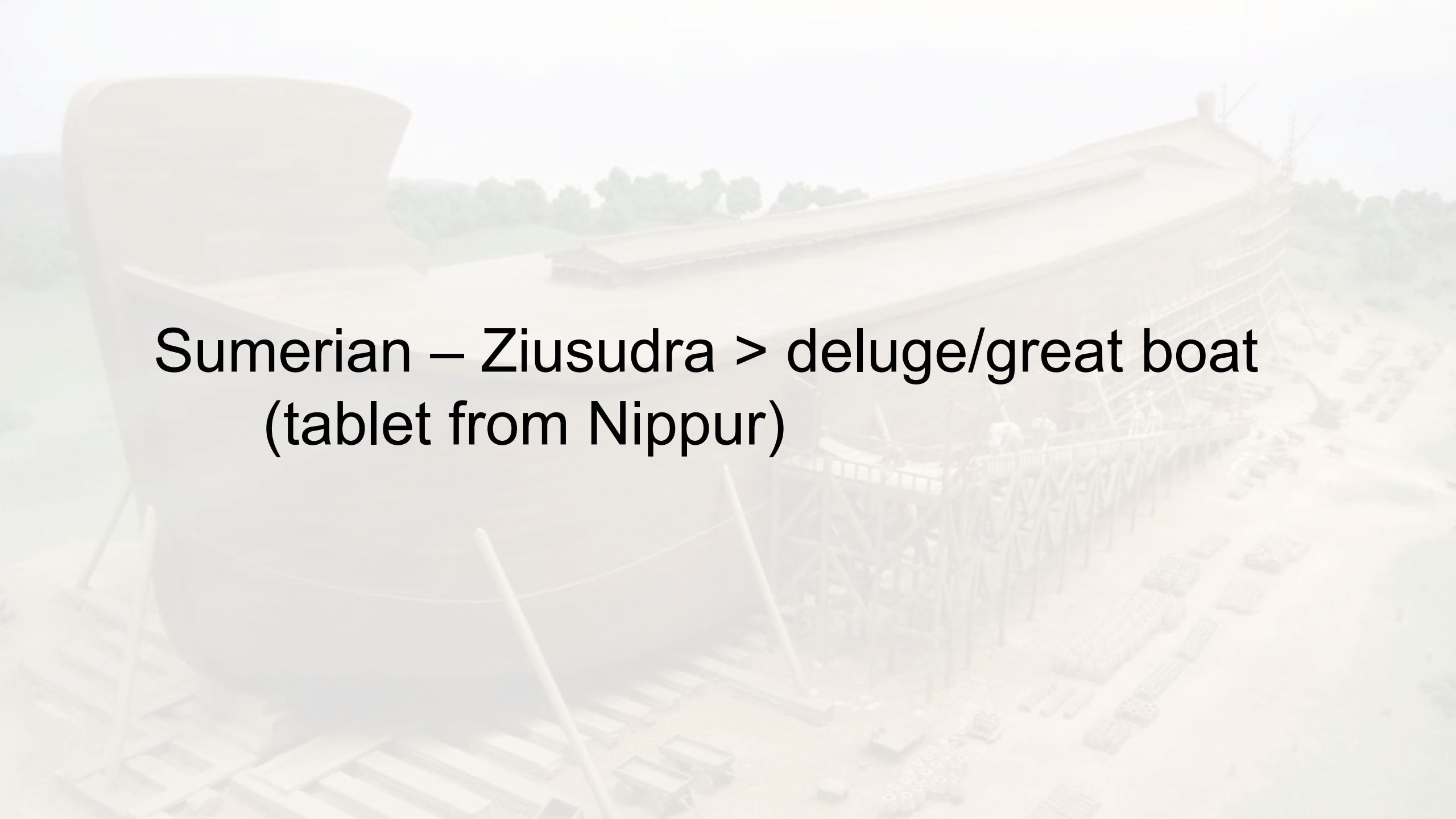
The next (true) savior of mankind would defeat the power of sin so that SINS could be forgiven rather than SINNERS being annihilated.

THEOLOGY

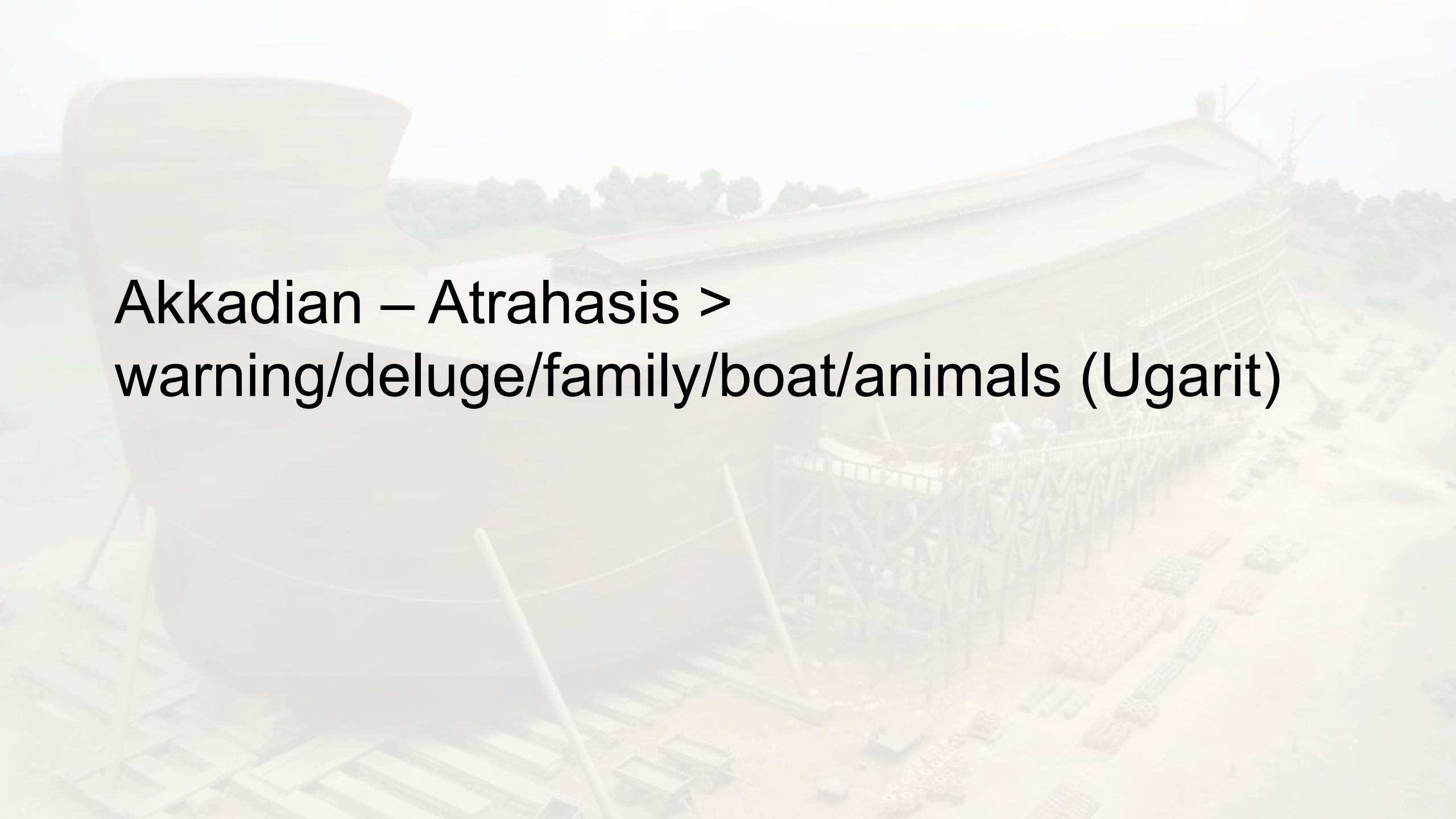
- God's power and freedom over his **entire creation.**
- God's deadly anger/judgment toward **defiance** and **wickedness**
- God's GRACE available... though it may manifest itself in **unexpected ways.**

A large, multi-story wooden ark is shown under construction on a grassy hillside. The ark has a complex structure with multiple levels and a large, curved roof. Scaffolding and construction materials are visible around the base of the ark. The background shows a line of trees and a clear sky.

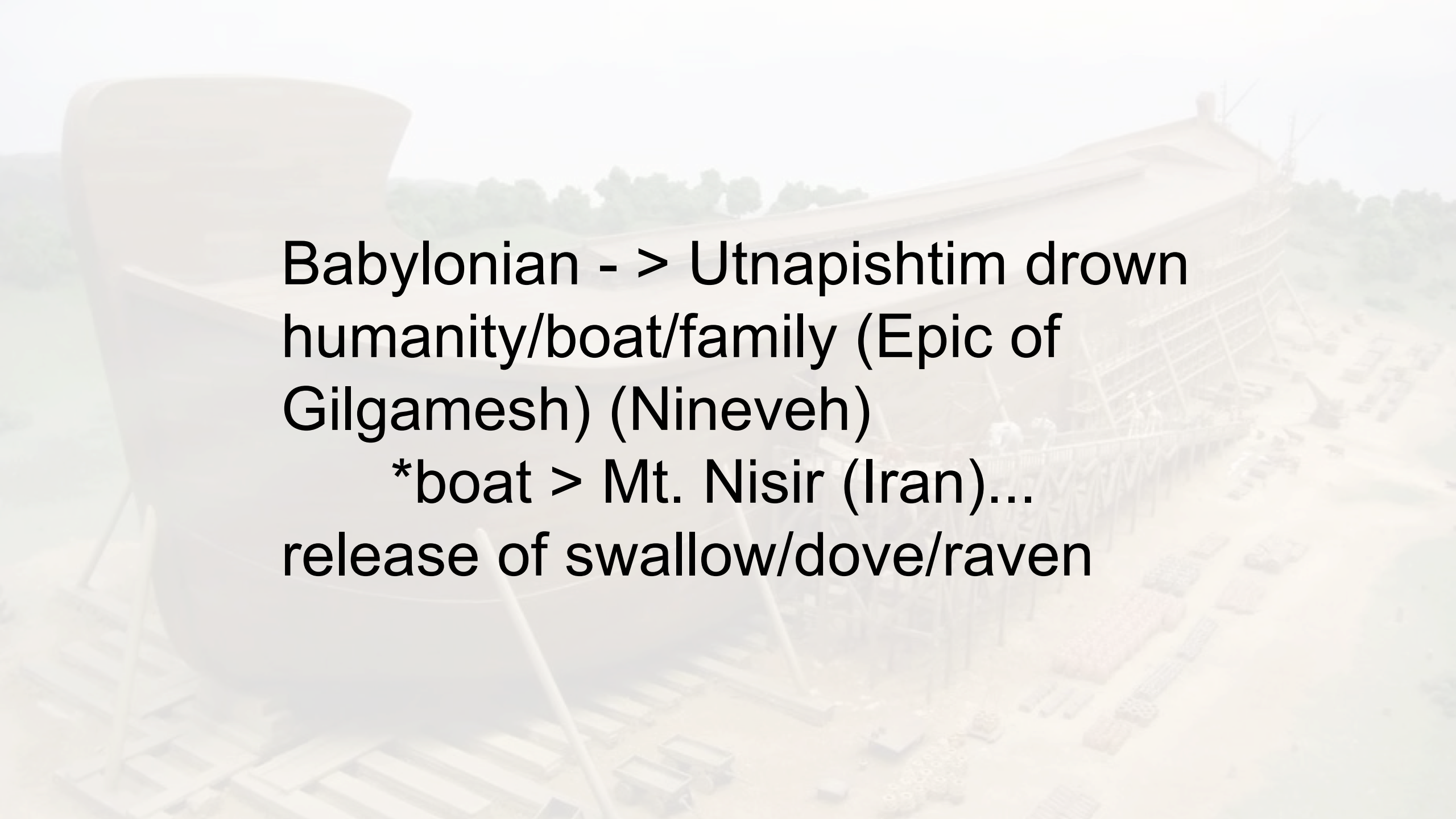
Hebrew – Noah > warning/flood/boat/family
(never lost)



Sumerian – Ziusudra > deluge/great boat
(tablet from Nippur)

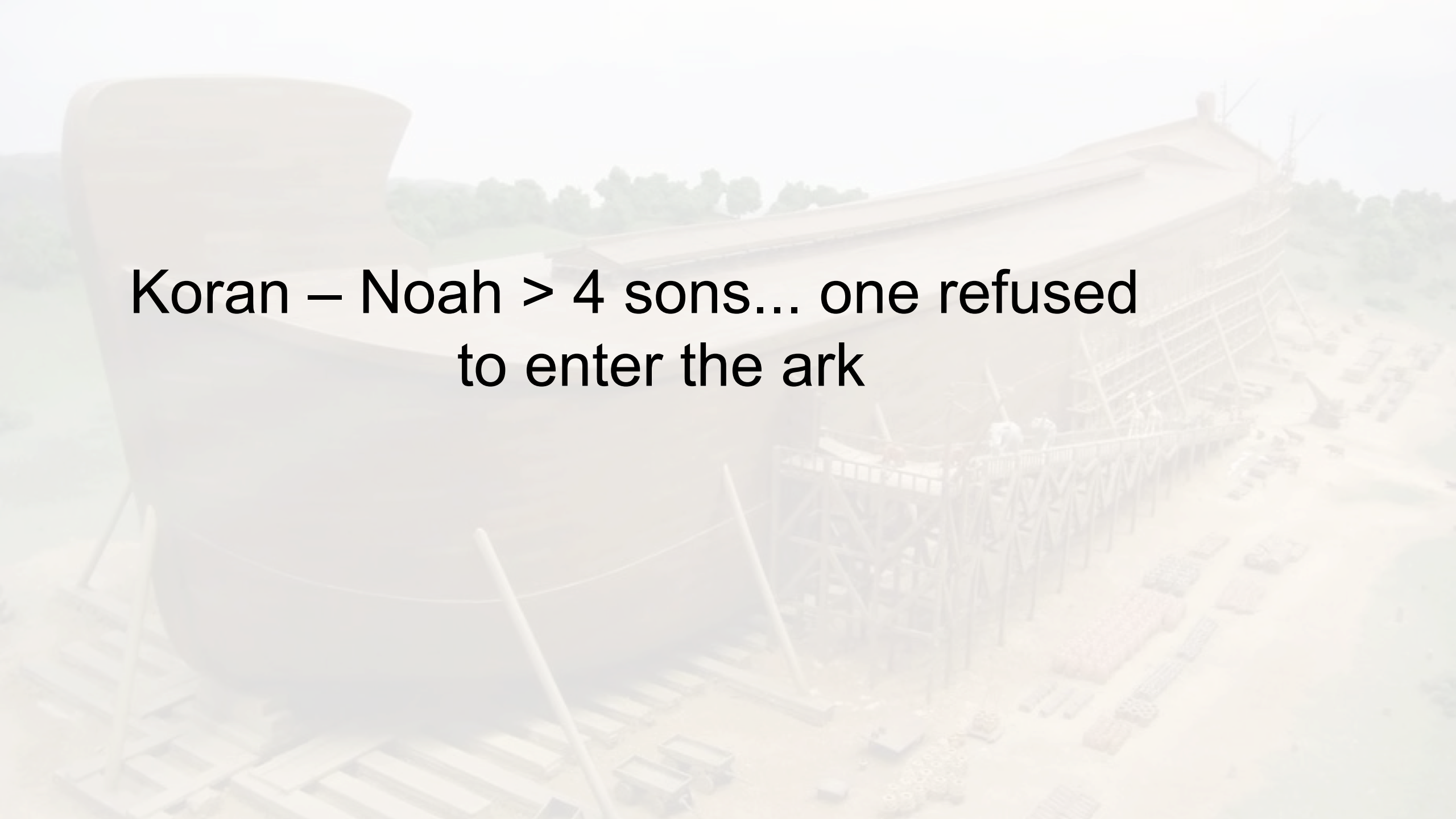
A large, ancient wooden ship is shown under construction on a dry-dock stand. The ship's hull is made of dark wood and is supported by a complex system of wooden beams and scaffolding. The ship is positioned on a dry-dock stand, which is a large, rectangular wooden structure. The background shows a hazy, mountainous landscape. The text "Akkadian – Atrahasis > warning/deluge/family/boat/animals (Ugarit)" is overlaid on the image.

Akkadian – Atrahasis >
warning/deluge/family/boat/animals (Ugarit)



Babylonian - > Utnapishtim drown
humanity/boat/family (Epic of
Gilgamesh) (Nineveh)

*boat > Mt. Nisir (Iran)...
release of swallow/dove/raven

A large, multi-story wooden ark is shown under construction on a hillside. The ark has a complex, multi-level structure with many windows and doors. It is surrounded by construction materials, including logs and planks, and several workers are visible on the structure. The background shows a hazy landscape with trees and hills.

Koran – Noah > 4 sons... one refused
to enter the ark

LIFE LESSON

- Evil manifests itself in our culture like a **comprehensive, overwhelming** flood.
- We can never **survive** simply by **swimming** in it.
- Our only hope is the **secure solution** (ark!) of Jesus Christ.