

# A TIMELY TALE

**What time is it? Once upon a time**, mankind wanted to know, but **in the meantime**, **summertime**, **wintertime**, and **seedtime** came and went and man thought, “**Sometime** I’ll get right with God, at a **more convenient time**.” He thought he had **plenty of time**. He didn’t **have time** for God.



**Eons of time** passed. Then in God’s **timing** came the flood.

Mankind started anew. He was given **extra time**, so he began to **waste time** having a **good time** and he didn’t **take time** for God or **use time as he** should. He would **waste time** having his **fun time**, and the **rest of the time** he’d **kill time** or give others a **bad time**.

Man needed a Saviour, so in the **fullness of time** God sent His Son, and His Gift was **timed right** because God has a **timetable**. **As time went by**, man again wondered how God’s **timer** is set, because he knows that when the **time is right**, Jesus will come again. But instead of taking **time out** for prayer, man nervously checks his **Timex**, because he is in a hurry to have **the time of his life**, so he will **spend time** most of his **lifetime**, punching his **time card**, working **overtime** for **time and a half**, keeping up with **Time magazine** during **standard time**, **daylight savings time**, **hard times**, and **good times**, hoping that he can get saved **in the nick of time**. He can’t read **the signs of the times** - that the **time is short** and he may have **little time** left when God will say, “**Time’s up, your time has come**.” He doesn’t know that now is the **right time** to accept Jesus and receive salvation, so that his **length of time** can be used to **redeem the time** and have a **happy time** in the Lord, because soon the **time of grace** will be over and the **timeless** Son of God will return, **in a moment of time** when God’s **timeclock** runs out. He’ll come for His own because **our time is in His hands**. Are you ready to be **transported in time**, to live with Him **time without end**?