

Story 26/27: God Destroyed Sodom

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Read this story in the Bible in Genesis 19:6-29

Wordsto Know

urged – tried to persuade; encouraged someone to do something

fiancé – a man engaged to marry a woman

Questions

1. Why wouldn't Lot give his two visitors to the men of Sodom?
2. What did the men try to do?
3. Who rescued Lot from the wicked men? How?
4. Why were the wicked men not able to break down the door?
5. What warning did the angels give Lot?
6. Who did Lot invite to leave the city with his family?
7. Why didn't they go with him?
8. How did Lot and his family get out of Sodom?
9. What warning did the angels give them as they left Sodom?
10. Where did Lot and his family go?
11. What happened to Sodom?
12. What happened to Lot's wife?

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