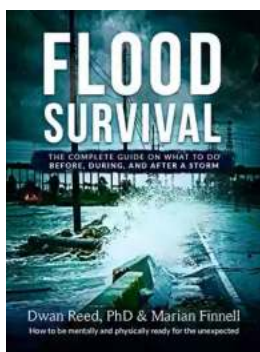


# The Complete Guide: What To Do Before, During, and After a Storm

Storms can be unpredictable and devastating. Whether you live in an area prone to hurricanes, tornadoes, or severe thunderstorms, it is crucial to be prepared and know what steps to take before, during, and after a storm hits. This complete guide will provide you with all the information you need to keep yourself and your loved ones safe.

## Before the Storm:

1. Create an emergency plan: Develop a comprehensive emergency plan that outlines evacuation routes, meeting points, and contact information for family members and emergency services. Share this plan with everyone in your household.
2. Prepare an emergency kit: Assemble a well-stocked emergency kit that includes essentials such as non-perishable food, water, flashlights, batteries, a first aid kit, and necessary medications. Make sure to include enough supplies for at least three days.



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3. **Secure your property:** Trim tree branches that are close to your house, clear gutters, and secure loose outdoor objects. Reinforce windows and doors, and consider installing storm shutters for added protection. Identify a safe room or area within your home where you can seek shelter during the storm.

4. **Stay informed:** Monitor weather forecasts regularly and heed any warnings issued by local authorities. Sign up for emergency alerts and have a battery-powered or hand-cranked radio to stay updated in case of power outages.

### **During the Storm:**

1. **Stay indoors:** Seek shelter inside a sturdy building, away from windows and exterior walls. If you don't have a safe room, find an interior room on the lowest level of your home.

2. **Avoid electrical equipment and water:** Unplug appliances and electronics to prevent damage from power surges. Do not use running water or electrical appliances during the storm.

3. **Stay away from windows:** Flying debris can shatter windows, posing a significant risk. Close curtains, blinds, or shutters to protect against possible glass fragments.

4. **Listen to emergency updates:** Keep tuned to a trusted local radio station or have a battery-powered device accessible to stay updated on emergency notices or evacuation orders.

### **After the Storm:**

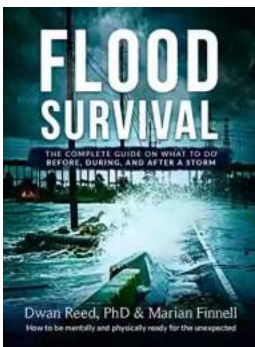
1. Assess the damage: Once it is safe to go outside, evaluate the extent of the storm's impact on your property. Look for any downed power lines, gas leaks, or structural damage. If you suspect any of these hazards, contact the appropriate authorities immediately.

2. Document any damage: Take photographs or videos of the damage for insurance purposes. Make a detailed list of all affected belongings and the extent of the damage.

3. Be cautious of hazards: Be aware of potential hazards such as slippery surfaces, fallen debris, and flooded areas. Use caution when cleaning up and wear protective clothing to prevent injuries.

4. Contact your insurance company: Notify your insurance provider as soon as possible to begin the claims process. Provide them with all the necessary documentation and follow their instructions regarding repairs or replacements.

Remember, safety should always be your top priority. By following this complete guide, you will be well-prepared to handle the challenges that come before, during, and after a storm. Stay informed, stay safe.



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According to FEMA, in the United States, you're more likely to experience a flood than any other natural disaster.

If you or someone you know has recently become the victim of flood damage, you know exactly how traumatic such an experience can be. Not only does it cause substantial emotional and mental stress, but a flood also causes significant physical damage to property, which can prove to be incredibly expensive to repair.

But did you know that there are still things you can do to protect yourself and your family when the water starts to rise?

This book is written to show you how to prepare for and survive floods. Within the pages of *The Complete Flood Guide*, the authors reveal the risk that a flood imposes on humans and their well-being, share powerful tips on storm preparation, and provide practical steps that will help you deal with the effects of floods.

The authors' combined professional expertise and personal experiences make *The Complete Flood Guide* a handbook that covers all the essential aspects of dealing with this life-altering situation.

Inside this handbook, you'll learn:

- Practical information for everyday living in a potential flood area

- How to prepare for floods and other natural disasters
- How to recover from the impacts of flooding
- How to keep your loved ones, pets, and belongings safe during a flood
- How to minimize emotional trauma in children and pets during and after a flood
- Real-life stories of rescuers and survivors of Hurricane Harvey and the devastating floods it caused
- And more!

With this guide, you'll be able to stay ahead of the game with your preparedness, and make your own plan for protecting yourself and your property during a flood.

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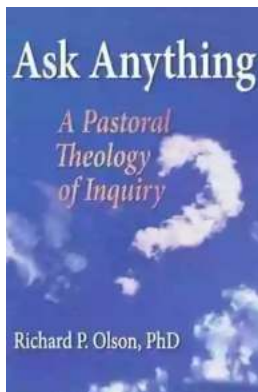
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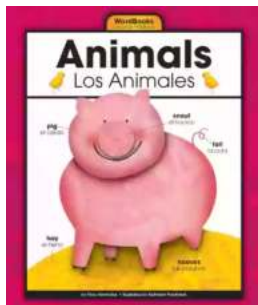
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