

The Abrahamic Covenant

And a Test of Faith

Genesis 12

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The “Toledoths”/Generations of Genesis

- 2:4 - Account of the heavens and the earth
- 5:1 - Book of the generations of _____
- 6:9 - The generations of _____
- 10:1 - The generations of _____
- 11:10 - The generations of _____
- 11:27 - The generations of _____
- 25:12 - The generations of _____
- 25:19 - The generations of _____
- 36:1, 9 - The generations of _____
- 37:1 - The generations of _____

Theme Statement: The LORD called out Abram to be a great nation, have a great name, to be blessed and protected, to be given a land to live in and to be the conduit through whom all nations would be blessed, specifically through the coming Redeemer Jesus Christ.

Introduction to Abram/Abraham - Genesis 11:10-32

1. Abram was of the generations of Shem
2. Abram was of the generations of Terah
3. Abraham is probably the _____ in the Bible, apart from the Lord Jesus Christ

The Covenants of the LORD - Edenic (Gen. 2:16-17), Adamic (Gen. 3:15), Noahic (Gen. 9:8-17), Abrahamic (Gen. 12:1-3, 7), Mosaic (Deut. 28), Palestinian (Deut. 30), Davidic (1 Sam. 17:11-14), New (Jer. 31:33); Ezek. 36:24-27)

The Abrahamic Covenant - Genesis 12:1-9

1. The LORD told Abram to _____ from his _____ family and country - v. 1
2. The LORD promised - “I WILL make you a _____” - v. 2
3. The LORD promised - “I WILL _____” - v. 2
4. The LORD promised - “I WILL make your _____” - v. 2
5. The LORD promised - “You SHALL be a _____” - v. 2
6. The LORD promised - I WILL _____ - v. 3

7. The LORD promised - In you all the families of the earth WILL BE blessed - v. 3

Luther - "Here we have the true promise which we should record in golden letters and publish in all the tongues of all peoples. This promise offers us eternal blessings and cannot be taken in a temporal sense. If this promise was to be bestowed upon all the peoples of the earth, as the words clearly declare, then there could be no other to impart it than the Son of God, our blessed Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ."

Genesis 22:18 - "In your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed, because you have obeyed My voice." (regarding the sacrifice of Isaac - pointing to Christ)

Galatians 3:16 - Now the promises were spoken to Abraham and to his seed. He does not say, "And to seeds," as referring to many, but rather to one, "And to your seed," that is, Christ.

Galatians 3:8 - The Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the Gentiles by faith, preached the gospel beforehand to Abraham, saying, "All the nations will be blessed in you."

John 8:56 - Jesus said, "Your father Abraham rejoiced to see My day, and he saw it and was glad."

8. The LORD promised - I WILL give _____ to your descendants - v. 7

9. Abram _____ the LORD and Abram _____ the LORD - v. 4-9

A Test of Faith - Genesis 12:10-20

1. Abram went down to Egypt because there was a _____ in the land
2. For his own _____, Abram asked Sarai to lie about their relationship
3. Pharaoh _____ Sarai and _____ Abram?
4. BUT the LORD struck the house of Pharaoh with _____ because of Sarai
5. Pharaoh _____ Sarai and sent Abram on his way

Implications