Life lessons from old testament heroes of the faith.



8 week church wide emphasis

- Weekly intro to O.T. hero of the faith
- Weekly suggested reading
- Weekly memory verse
- Weekly mid week Life Group discussion
- Weekly children's lesson
- Weekly Life Lesson



 Suggested reading - Genesis 11-25 - Romans 4 & 5 - Galatians - Hebrews 11 - James 2:14-24

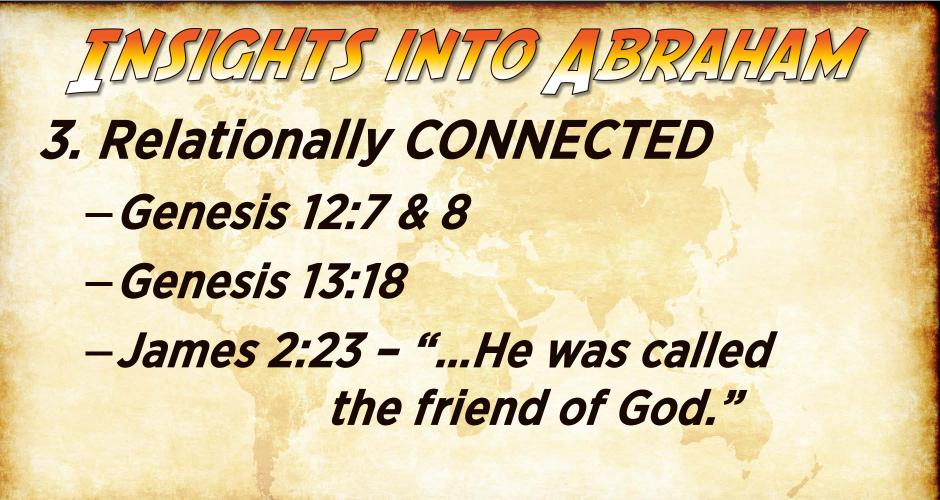


"And the scripture was fulfilled which says, Abraham believed God and it was accounted to him for righteousness and he was called the friend of God." - James 2:23



• O.T. is N.T. concealed...N.T. is O.T. revealed -James 2:23 -Romans 4 & 5:1 -Galatians 3:1-9

TRIGHTS INTO ABRAHAM 1. Undoubtedly CHOSEN -Genesis 12 & Matthew 1 2. Immediately OBEDIENT -Genesis 12:4 & Genesis 22:1-3 -Hebrews 3:18,19



TRAGHTS INTO ABRAHAM 4. Sacrificially RESPONSIVE -Altar = place of sacrifice - Genesis 8 & 22 When we are ready to give something before God asks, we are sacrificially responsive!

TRACHTS INTO ABRAHAM 5. Naturally FLAWED -Offered his wife to foreign kings -Agreed to have a child with Hagar -Ephesians 2:8,9

TRACHTS INTO ABRAHAM 6. Completely CONVINCED -Romans 4 & Hebrews 11 7. Faithfully COMMITTED -James 2:14-26



An active & thriving faith is the cornerstone of Christianity & the vital ingredient for living the life that God has designed for us to live, therefore we must "walk by faith and not by sight". - 2 Cor. 5:7