

Sunday May 13th
The Letter to the Hebrews
Part Forty Four
Study Questions

1). Heb 10:23 *Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful.* How is this scripture exemplified in the lives of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob?

a). What was the confession of their hope and how is it the same as ours?

b). What was it that Abraham, Isaac and Jacob had believed that enabled them to die in faith?

c). What does Job record about this same thing?

d). Read Hebrews 11:22 and Exodus 3:19 – What is set forth in the type seen here?

e). Who does the type point to?

2). Read Hebrews 6:17-18 – How does what is recorded in these verses impact our own faith to the saving of the soul?

3). Read Hebrews 11:6 – explain this verse in the light of what we have learned about Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, with respect to ourselves.

a). What commentary does Hebrews 6:11-12 give to this?

4). Read Hebrews 11:17-19 – How is Abraham’s faith exemplified once again in the event seen in these verses?

a). How does God prove Abraham’s faith?

b). What would we learn from this for ourselves? And can you remember a scripture that describes this?

c). How is that which we see in Hebrews 11:17-19 the same as that which we saw in Hebrews 11:4-8?

d). Where in Genesis do we find the events referenced in Hebrews 11:17-19 and what do these events form a type of?

e). Genesis Chapter 22 of course does not exist in a vacuum. Within what context must we view this Chapter and what is presented to us in the overall type seen in these chapters?

5). Read Genesis Chapter 21:1-3 – What is pictured in this type and how does it compare with what we see in the antitype?

a). What scriptures did we look at in connection with this?

6). Read Genesis Chapter 22:1-2 – What is pictured in what is described here?

a). In what sense is Isaac Abraham's 'only begotten son'?

b). What would we know of Mount Moriah from the scriptures, apart from Genesis, and how is this location worked out in the antitype?

c). Ge 22:4 *Then on the third day Abraham lifted his eyes and saw the place afar off.* What is significant about this verse?

d). What does Abraham call this place in Genesis 22:14 and what does this name teach us?

e). What do we know about Christ's crucifixion from 1 Peter 1:20 and Revelation 3:18?

f). What would this mean then for those involved in the events of the day of His crucifixion and what scripture did we look at in connection with this?

7). Read Genesis 22:5 – what is significant about this with respect to the antitype?

a). What does the wood that Isaac carried teach us?

b). What did Abraham carry?

c). What do the fire and the knife symbolize?

d). What would Abraham taking the fire and the knife teach us with respect to the actions of God?

e). What examples do we see in scripture of the symbol of fire?

f). What scriptures did we look at in connection with the knife?

g). In 2 of these scriptures judgment is seen to be taking place – who is being judged in each and when is this judgment taking place?

h). How did God judge sin at the cross of Calvary?

8). Heb 11:17 *By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac.....*

Are you now able to explain the enormity of what takes place here with regards to Abraham's faith?

a). What do we once again learn here concerning how God has constructed the scriptures?

9). Do you have any final thoughts or comments?