Little Hands, Big Hearts *Worship for the Family*

Week 18: The Faith of Abraham – Pt 15



This week we continue a multi-week study about Abraham and Sarah.

Getting Started

Encourage everyone to get their minds focused and prepared for studying the Bible. Consider singing a song or two. I have uploaded a teen songbook that we use at camp. Perhaps you will spot some songs that are familiar and you can sing together as a family. Click <u>here</u> to download the songbook.

Review

Last week we read about Abraham and his willingness to offer Isaac his son as a sacrifice. What was the most important part of this Bible event in your mind? Approximately how old was Isaac when this occurred? Did you put yourself in the shoes of Abraham, Isaac and Sarah? How do you think each one of them might feel about this event? What sacrifice does God ask of us today?

Devotional Thought

Today's devotional will bring our study of Abraham, Sarah and Isaac to a close. We have been looking at the life events of this family for some time now. Take a moment as a family each name one thing that you have learned by looking at the lives of these people.

It is important to read our Bibles, but it is even more important to seriously consider what we are learning and apply it to our own lives. If an observer were to write the story of your family, what lessons would people take away from your story?

READ Romans 12:1-2.

We are called to be living sacrifices. What does that mean to you? After the events on the mountain do you think that Abraham, Isaac and Sarah were changed forever?

So much of our world today is focused on things of this world. We have the unique opportunity to shine the light of God's love into a very dark place. How as a family can you apply what you have learned and shine the light of God's love to a world that needs it?

Conclusion

Thanks for sticking with me as we have studied these great events in the Old Testament. Over the next few weeks we will do a few random lessons to mix it up. Spend some time in prayer as a family as you close out your time of family worship.