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Wednesday, August 25, 2021 - Group Study

Lesson Series: Faithfulness

Lesson Series Text: (Luke 18:1-8)

Lesson 3: Abraham's Faithfulness Rewarded

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All Scriptures are KJV; unless otherwise noted. Prepared By Dr. Walter Henderson III

- I. Abraham received righteousness. (Rom. 4:1-8)
 - A. Abraham is the Father of our faith. (Gal. 3:29)
 - B. Abraham believed God and received a right standing with God.
- II. Righteousness was imputed (credited) to Abraham by faith. (Rom. 4:9-13)
 - A. Circumcision was given as a sign of his righteousness. (11)
 - B. Abraham is the Father of all that believed God for righteousness. (11)
 - C. The children of Abraham must walk in the same steps as him. (12)
 - D. Abraham was made heir of the world through the righteousness of faith. (13)
- III. God speaks to Abram again. (Gen. 12:1-4)
 - A. God spoke to Abram before. (Acts 7:1-3)
 - B. Abram leaves Ur of the Chaldeans, and comes to Haran. (Acts 7:4; Gen. 11:31)
 - C. Abram leaves Haran and comes into Canaan. (Acts 7:4; Gen. 12:4-5)
 - D. It is estimated that Abram was approximately (70) years old when God initially spoke to him. Terah was 205 years old when he died. (*Gen. 11:31*) Abram was 75 years old when he left Haran, after his father died. (*Gen. 12:4*)
- IV. God speaks to Abram after Lot is gone. (Gen. 13:14-15)
 - A. All the land that you see, I will give to you and your seed forever.
- V. God makes promises and cuts a covenant with Abram. (Gen. 15th Chapter)
 - A. God promises Abraham a seed from his own bowel. (4)
 - B. God cuts a covenant with Abraham. (9-18)
- VI. Sarai believes that she may have the answer. (Gen. 16:1-6)
 - A. Abram was now (86) years old. (*Gen. 16:16*)
- VII. The Lord appears unto Abram when he is (99) years old. (Gen. 17:1-3)
 - A. I am the Almighty God.
 - B. Walk before me.
 - C. Be thou perfect (innocent, have integrity, what is in accord with truth and facts).
 - D. The Lord changes Abram's name after God gives Abram His new name. (5)
 - E. Every male child to be circumcised. (10-14)
 - a. This represents the death of the flesh. (In whom also ye are circumcised with the circumcision made without hands, in putting off the body of the sins of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ: Col. 2:11)
 - F. God changes Sarai name according to the revelation of God Almighty. (15)

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- G. Abraham was circumcised when he was (100) years old. (17)
- H. God promises to visit Sarah next year. (17:21)

VIII. Sarah bares Abraham a son. (Chapter 21:1-3)

- A. Isaac is born.
- B. Sarah told Abraham to cast out the bond woman. (9-12)
- IX. Abraham's Obedience.
 - A. Abraham sends Ishmael away. (Gen. 21:14)
 - B. Abraham is tried with the sacrifice of Isaac. (Gen. 22nd Chapter)
 - C. God rewards Faithfulness. (Gen. 22:10-18)