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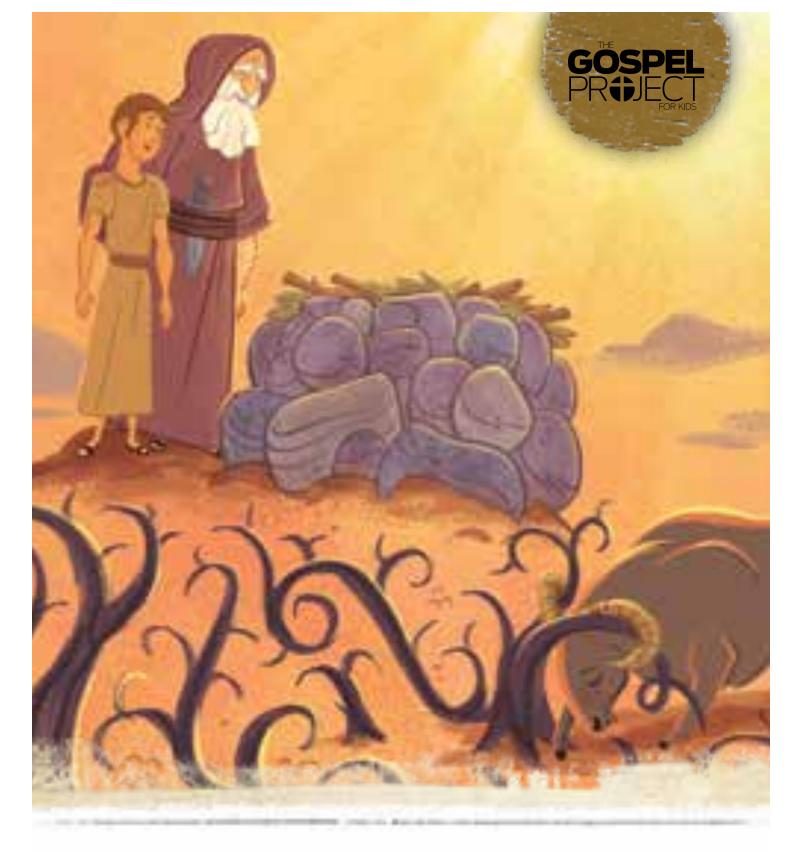
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Main Point: God promised to bless all the world through Abraham.

Big Picture Question: What did God promise? God made a covenant to bless His people.

Christ Connection: God called Abraham to leave his country and family to go to another land. God promised to bless all the world through Abraham. God sent Jesus from His home in heaven to be born on earth into Abraham's family. Through Jesus, all the nations of the earth are blessed.

Key Passage: Romans 4:3



God Tested Abraham

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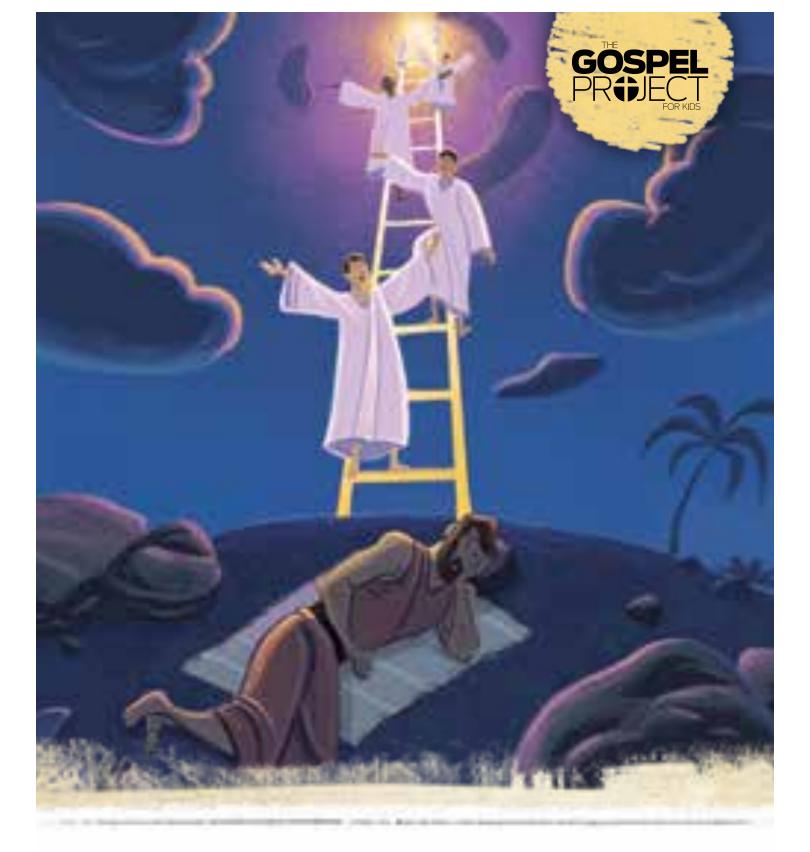
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Main Point: Abraham trusted God even when he didn't understand God's plan.

Big Picture Question: What did God promise? God made a covenant to bless His people.

Christ Connection: Abraham showed his love for God by being willing to sacrifice his son Isaac. This is how God showed His love for us: He sent His Son, Jesus, to die on the cross so that we could have eternal life through Him.

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The Promise Reaffirmed

Genesis 25:19-26; 26:1-6; 28:10-22

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Main Point: God reminded Abraham's family that He always keeps His promises.

Big Picture Question: What did God promise? God made a covenant to bless His people.

Christ Connection: God's wonderful plan to Abraham extended well beyond his lifetime. The plan was shared with Rebekah, Isaac, Jacob, and eventually an entire nation leading to the birth of a baby boy named Jesus. Jesus fulfilled God's plan to provide salvation and redemption for all of God's people.

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