

Men & Women of the Bible: *Isaac*

Lesson Sixteen: *Isaac, The Son of Promise*

Lesson Text: Genesis 22:1-18

Lesson Aim: Learn important lessons for life from the experiences of Isaac.

Memory Verse: Galatians 4:28

Lesson Readings

Genesis 17,21,22,25:19-28:5; 35:27-29; Romans 9:6-16; Galatians 4:22-31; Hebrews 11:8-20

Fact Questions

1. Who is Isaac? (Genesis 17:15-19) What does his name mean? (cf. Genesis 17:17; 18:12)
2. What divine revelations had preceded his birth?
3. What event in Isaac's life helped to form his faith in God at an early age? (Genesis 22)
4. What good character traits did Isaac possess?
5. What were Isaac's faults and shortcomings?
6. How does Isaac measure up as a husband?
7. What do we know of Isaac as a father?
8. What examples can you give that demonstrate a growth in Isaac's faith?
9. What influence did Isaac have on those about him? (cf. Genesis 26:1-33)
10. What do you consider the greatest challenge Isaac faced during his lifetime? Why?

Thought Questions

1. In what respects is Isaac a type of Christ? (Hebrews 11:17-19; Galatians 3:16)
2. In what respects is Isaac a type of every Christian? (Galatians 4:28)
3. How could Isaac bless Jacob and Esau "*by faith*" when he was deceived? (Hebrews 11:18)
4. Compare and contrast Isaac with his father Abraham?
5. What is the one great lesson in Isaac's life for you?