God Called Abram

Genesis 12:1-20

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Unit 7 Lesson 1

Focus Verse

"And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing." – Genesis 12:2



Closer Look

Have you ever moved away from somewhere you have lived for a long time, leaving everything that is familiar to you? It is a hard thing, is it not? This is like what the person in our story had to go through. Abram was a man who lived in Ur. God called Abram and told him to leave his country and go to a better place that God would show him. God led Abram to Canaan. God told Abram he would give Canaan to Abram's descendants.

God promised Abram that He will bless him and give him a big family. Abram would leave a great legacy, and the whole world would be blessed because of him. He, at this time, was seventy-five years old. Even though this was sudden, Abram trusted in God and obeyed Him. Abram trusted God enough to leave everything behind and go to an unknown land. So, he set off for Canaan with his wife, Sarai, and his nephew, Lot. They arrived in Canaan. When they got there, Abram built God an altar and worshipped Him. Sometimes it is hard to leave places or things that are comfortable to us, but God always has a good plan for us. He will always keep His promises.

Questions

- 1. What was the native country of Abram? Read Gen 11:31.
- 2. Why did Abram leave his native country?
- 3. How did God plan to bless all the families of the earth through Abram?
- 4. Why did Abram go down into Egypt?
- 5. Look over the chapter and point out good things about Abram.

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Discovery

Vocabulary Search Find FIVE new words in the Bible text and write their meanings on the line.				

THINK ABOUT IT!

Monday	Gen 12:1-3
Tuesday	Gen 12:4-6
Wednesday	Gen 12:7-10
Thursday	Gen 12:11-13
Friday	Gen 12:14-17
Saturday	Gen 12:18-20



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