Even though Israel is a small country it is always in the news.  The news continues to report on Jews moving to Israel, on the [technology](http://www.dictionary.com/browse/technology?s=t) invented there, but also on conflict, wars and tensions with surrounding people.  Why? A look at Israel’s history in the book of Genesis in the Bible reveals that 4000 years ago a man, who is now very well known, went on a camping trip in that part of the world.  The Bible says that his story affects our future.