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### "Abraham: A Life of Faith - Passing On the Promise"

#### I. "Do not take my son back there." (vv. 1-9)

13 These all died in faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off were assured of them, embraced [them] and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth. 14 For those who say such things declare plainly that they seek a homeland. 15 And truly if they had called to mind that [country] from which they had come out, they would have had opportunity to return. 16 But now they desire a better, that is, a heavenly [country]. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for He has prepared a city for them. - **Hebrews 11:13-16 NKJV** 

#### II. Abraham's servant trusts in God. (vv. 10-14)

5 Trust in the LORD with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; 6 In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths. - **Proverbs 3:5-6 NKJV** 

# III. God answers the servant's prayer. (vv. 15-49)

24 "It shall come to pass That before they call, I will answer; And while they are still speaking, I will hear. - Isaiah 65:24 NKJV

## IV. Rebekah steps out in faith. (vv. 50-67)

13 Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing [I do], forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, - **Philippians 3:13 NKJV**