

## LESSON 22

# The Covenant Promise

*Genesis 15:1-21*

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### WELCOME

A Time for **Assembly**

*Introduction* to gather together through an ice breaker (10 minutes)

To start: Share briefly how God fulfilled a promise from the Bible that you personally claimed.

### WORSHIP

A Time for **Adoration**

*Inspiration* to worship God through invocation, thanksgiving, and reading of Scripture (25 minutes)

Suggested Songs:

*Rock of Ages*, by Marty Nystrom (page 58)

*All Things are Possible*, by Darlene Zschech (page 49)

Scripture Reading: Genesis 15:1-21

### WORD

A Time for **Admonition**

*Instruction* to communicate one's investigation of the story (content), interpretation based on the setting (context), and integration of the two for the spiritual truth (concept) (50 minutes)

1. How did God reassure Abram of protection from his enemies (15:1)?
2. How did Abram's faith in God foreshadow the gospel (15:6,7)? Read Galatians 3:6-9 and 2:16.
3. What formal assurance did God give to Abram that He will fulfill His promise of land for Abram (15:8-11,17)?
4. What prophecy did God give to Abram concerning his promised offspring and land (15:13-16)?

## WALK

### A Time for **Accountability**

*Invitation* to apply the implication of the Scripture (connect), implementation of a specific action (conduct), and intercession for the saints/seekers (concern) (about 35 minutes)

1. We are a covenant people. How can you demonstrate that calling or identity in your life this week?
2. What promises in the covenant of God with Abram can you claim for yourself?
3. In what way is your faith being tested today? How are you responding to it?
4. How can the group pray for you? Share now your personal needs or concerns with your accountability and prayer partners. These may include attitudes that need to be changed and/or specific actions to be done in obedience to God's Word. As you intercede for each other, pray also for others outside the group who need to know Jesus.