

LESSON 33

The Death of Abraham

Genesis 25:1-11

WELCOME

A Time for **Assembly**

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

To start: Share briefly the legacy (i.e., something significant left behind) of your deceased father or mother.

WORSHIP

A Time for **Adoration**

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

Suggested Songs:

He Who Began a Good Work, by Jon Mohr (page 54)

Your Grace Still Amazes Me, by Shawn Craig (page 62)

Scripture Reading: Genesis 25:1-11

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. Why was Keturah's status as a "wife" of Abraham lower than that of Sarah's (25:1-4)? Read 1 Chronicles 1:32.
2. How did God fulfill his covenant with Abraham up to the last stage of his life (25:2-4)?
3. Abraham had many sons with Keturah and one with Hagar. What did he do to acknowledge Isaac as his blessed heir (25:5-6)?
4. What is the significance of Abraham's remains being buried in the cave of Machpelah (25:9,10)? Read Matthew 22:31,32 and Matthew 8:11.

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. How can parents leave a godly legacy to their children?
2. How do you plan to live your retirement years to keep on giving glory to God?
3. 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.