

Lesson 3: Default Response

November 19th, 2017

Notes on Negev (Genesis 12: 6-10)

Mistakes From Abram's Response (Genesis 12: 11-16)

1. Abram _____
 - **Proverbs 29:25**
 - **2 Peter 1:4-9**
2. Abram's _____
 - **Luke 12:48**
3. Abram _____

The End Does Not Justify The Means (Genesis 12:17 – 13:4)

- Success _____
- Allow _____

Learn From Abram

- Every _____
- Seek _____

Questions For Wednesday Night Discussion

November 22nd 2017

Read Genesis 12:6 – 13:4

1. When someone scares you, what is your initial reaction? Any funny stories?
2. Negev was a big change to Abram's family. How does significant change like this affect you and your family?
3. Compared to Abram's arrival to Shechem and Bethel what is different to Abram's arrival to Negev and Egypt in verses 9 and 10? Are these changes an area of concern?
4. What factors do you think went into Abram's thought process to leave Negev and go to Egypt? When you are faced with a crisis do you see similar thought processes in you?
5. What factors do you think went into Abram's thought process with his plan to present Sarai as his sister instead of his wife to the Egyptians? Any similarities in your life?
6. When we seek the approval and acceptance of the world, what risks and traps present themselves to our walk with God?
7. Had God not intervened to save Sarai in Genesis 12:17, what would have become of Abram and Sarai? How does God intervene in our lives to get us back on track?
8. Abram's trip to Egypt left him wealthy, does that mean that God approved of his choices? How do we explain success in our lives from poor decisions?
9. What lesson do we learn from Abram in Genesis 13:4? In what ways can we make sure we are calling upon the Lord?
10. How do you need to modify your default responses to crisis to ensure they include counsel from God?