



Book of Romans

Lesson 12 "Father Abraham" Romans 4:1-12 Teacher Beth Seifert

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Read Genesis 15:1-6. Who did God promise Abraham would be his heir?

How many offspring did God promise Abraham?

What was Abraham's response?

Read Genesis 17:1-11. Who made the covenant with Abraham?

What are the promises in verses 4, and 6-8?

Why did God command the males to be circumcised? (Notice that Paul was correct; God made the covenant *then* gave the sign of the covenant.)

Read Psalm 32:1-3. Who does David say is blessed?

When David kept silent and did not confess his sin, what was the result?

What was the result when he finally did confess his sin?

Read Ephesians 2:4-9. Why did God make us alive with Christ?

How have we been saved?

Have we contributed to our salvation through our works or abilities? Why or why not?

What were we created in Christ Jesus to do?

As you spend time with God today, consider how much effort and detail God has put into providing for our salvation. Thank Him that it is not by your works or your own efforts that you are saved, but through His grace and mercy and by faith in Christ. Pray for those around you who are still lost to come to that saving faith as well. Thank God for His mercy and forgiveness when you come to Him and confess your sins. Ask Him to help you to walk as the new creation He has made you to be.