

THE UNFOLDING MYSTERY OF REDEMPTION

Lesson 7: From Noah to Abraham to Isaac Genesis 8-22

I. Noah's Descendants...Transition to the Story of Abraham (Gen. 8-9)

Coming Out of the Ark...A New Beginning for the Human Race

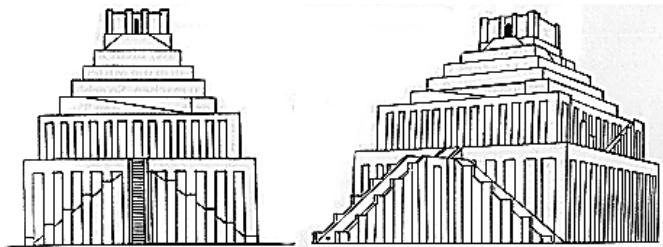
II. Humans Again Increased in Number on the Earth (Gen. 10).

III. The Tower at Babel Was Built (Genesis 11).

- Their sin: -- "Making a name" for themselves
-- Worshipping False Gods
-- Refusing to spread out

Babylonian Ziggurat

Drawings:



Aerial view

of Babylonian site:



IV. Focusing In on One Family...(Gen. 11:10-32)

--Shem--



--Terah--

--Abram

V. God Gives Abram a Special Promise (Gen. 12-15).

- He would become a _____
- Through him, all the nations on earth _____

VI. Obstacles to the Fulfillment of the Promise

- Abraham was _____.
- Sarai was _____ and _____.

VII. Abraham's Misunderstandings about the Promise (Gen. 15)

VIII. God Announces the Fulfillment of the Promise (Gen. 18.10).

IX. God Fulfills His Promise...24 Years Later (Gen.21:1-3).

A. *We see that God always does* _____

B. *We see that God knows* _____



X. The Test of Abraham (Gen. 22)

A. *God Presents the Test (22:1-2)*

B. *Abraham's Response to the Test (22:3-8)*

He got up " _____ " to obey.

He trusted that God would _____ . (Heb. 11:17-19)

XI. Isaac, A Picture of us as Sinners Before God. (22:9-10)

A. *Hands Tied* = _____

B. *The Knife* = _____

C. *Awaiting the Fire* = _____

XII. God Delivers Isaac (Gen. 22:11-13)

A. *It Is God Who _____ Isaac's Deliverance.*

B. *He does this by _____.*

C. *The Ram is A Picture of Our _____*

1. "Caught by Its' Horns"...

2. It Was Offered "Instead of His Son"..
The Principle of _____



D. Abraham Names the Place "Jehovah Jireh": The Lord will Provide. (13:14)

1. "On the mountain of the Lord It will be provided"...or it will be seen.
2. Site of Jewish Temple, Altar of Burnt Offerings. (II Chron. 3:1)
3. Possibly the spot where a man named Jesus, the True Lamb, died 2000 years later.

