

INTRODUCTION

- * God's plan for Christ to come into the world was not a mystery. He had planned it before the foundations of the world were laid.
- * Acceptance of the provision of Christ is a matter of faith – based upon the foundation and testimony of Scripture.
- * In fact, in John 20:29 we read Jesus stating to Thomas,
 “because you have seen Me, you have believed. Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.”
- * So far, we have considered that the Messiah would be YHWH, incarnate as man, our living redeemer, the seed of Abraham and fulfill the role of High Priest in the order of Melchizedek.
- * Today we want to consider a passage of great redemptive faith.

INSTRUCTION

I. THE PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF THE PASSAGE

A. God's Re _____

1. TO ABRAHAM (cf. 17:15-19)
2. TO THE RICH, YOUNG MAN (cf. Lk 18: 18-30)
3. TO PETER (cf. Mark 1:16-18)
4. TO US – YOU & ME (cf. Luke 9:23; Matt 10:37-38)

B. Abraham's Re _____

1. ABRAHAM'S OBEDIENCE DISPLAYED HIS F _____ GOD (v. 12; cf. Proverbs 1:7; 14:26-27; 15:33)
2. ABRAHAM'S OBEDIENCE DISPLAYED HIS F _____ GOD (v. 7-8)
 - a. He Trusted In God To Be _____ To _____ (cf. Proverbs 3:5-6)
 - b. He Trusted In God To Be _____ To _____ (cf. Hebrews 11: 17-19)

II. THE PROPHETICAL APPLICATION OF THE PASSAGE

A. The Only _____ of God

1. YOUR ONLY SON (cf. John 3:16)
2. WHOM YOU LOVE (cf. Matthew 3:17)

B. The Only _____ of God (cf. John 1: 29-37; Isaiah 53:7; I John 2:2; Revelation 5:6-14)

INTROSPECTION

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- * IS THERE SOMETHING THAT GOD HAS ASKED YOU TO LAY ON THE ALTAR?
 IS YOUR ALL ON THE ALTAR THAT HE MAY ALTER ALL THAT YOU ARE?