

INTRODUCTION

- * Genesis, the book of beginnings, is the foundation for much of what we believe ... truly it is the beginning of the whole counsel of God
- * For the past several weeks we have been considering the interaction of God in the life of Abraham
- * As we have stated in previous sections of the book of Genesis, it truly is the foundation for much of what we believe. In fact, as we consider the spiritual analogy of Sarah and Hagar today, we need to keep in mind that much of the unrest that we face in the world today is because of decisions that were made several thousand years ago.

INSTRUCTION

I. THE PRO _____ ION OF GOD (cf. Genesis 20)

A. Abraham's Fa _____ (v. 1-2)

B. God's Fa _____ (v. 3-18)

II. THE PRO _____ ION OF GOD (cf. Genesis 21)

A. In The B _____ of Isaac (21:1-8)

B. In The R _____ of Ishmael (21:9-21)

C. In The P _____ of Sarah (cf. 21:10,12; Galatians 4: 21ff)

1. THE S _____ (4:21-31)

2. THE S _____ (5:1ff)

a. The P _____ of Liberty (5:1-12)

b. The P _____ of Liberty (5:13-15)

c. The P _____ of Liberty (5:16ff)

INTROSPECTION

- * HAVE YOU ACCEPTED THE FREE GIFT OFFERED BY CHRIST?
- * AS THE SEED OF ABRAHAM - COMING BY FAITH, NOT BY WORKS - CHRIST HAS DIED FOR US, THAT WE MIGHT BE REDEEMED FROM THE LAW ...
- * HOW HAVE YOU VIEWED THE LIBERTY THAT CHRIST HAS GIVEN US?
- * ARE YOU USING YOUR "FREEDOM" TO SERVE YOU - OR OTHERS?
- * ARE YOU WALKING IN YOUR FLESH (WORKS) ... OR IN THE SPIRIT (FAITH)?
- * IS THERE A NEED FOR REPENTANCE (CHANGING THE WAY YOU THINK)?