

# HEBREWS 11—BY FAITH

## By Faith – Abraham \_\_\_\_\_

Your life by design is to be a series of faith building exercises that prepare you for greater and greater service to the Lord.

### I. \_\_\_\_\_ vs \_\_\_\_\_. Heb 11:17-19 compare Gen 22:1-18

Understanding the difference—compare James 1:12-17

- ▼ **Trial** – is a hard time designed to show you that you can obey and follow God no matter the circumstances or cost. This can be...
- ▼ a test designed to cause us (NOT TO SIN, but) to stand in faith. Heb 11:17.
- ▼ **Temptation of the world, your flesh or the devil** – is a solicitation to sin – to do evil. See James 1: 12-17 God doesn't do that!

God will allow / use both trials and temptations to try you – to see / to show you where you are at with Him.

- ▼ **Do not \_\_\_\_\_ your sin on God.** God makes sure that you cannot! **1 Cor 10:5-14**

Is God's solution / way of escape easy? Why? **1 Peter 1:3-9**

**KEY: If your faith cannot be \_\_\_\_\_, then how can you \_\_\_\_\_ in it?**

How can you know that your faith is enough to face eternity if it cannot withstand the trials you face right now in time?

- ▼ **There is a difference between a trial and \_\_\_\_\_ what you have \_\_\_\_\_!** Gal 6:7-8

### II. Abraham's \_\_\_\_\_! Vs 17 vs Gen 22:1-18

- ▼ **Gen 22:1-2 Don't miss the \_\_\_\_\_ picture.**  
"Only begotten son" Heb 11:17b / "only son... whom thou lovest... offer him there" Gen 22:1 ; **John 3:16**  
**Vs 7— lamb; Vs 8— "provide himself a lamb" John 1:29**

**This is a picture of prophecy of Jesus!**

- ▼ **Heb 11:18-19—Abraham's faith! Gen 22:3-18**

Note the prophecy – "Accounting that God was able to raise him up" **1 Cor 6:14**

- ▼ **In Isaac (Jesus!) were the promises! Job 13:15; Psa 23:4; Rom 8:38-39**

- ▼ **KEY: Parents – you know what your kids need to see in you? John 21:5; Exo 20:1-5; Luke 14:26; etc...**

Can you \_\_\_\_\_ God with the \_\_\_\_\_ (any possession / thing) that He has given to you?

We need to love our kids – but NEVER in the place of God.

- ▼ No wonder Abraham was called the friend of God. **James 2:23; Gal 3:6; Rom 4:3**