

The Family Who Followed God

“Living the Dream”

Genesis 11:26-32

Abraham

a character study

We hold these truths to be self-evident,
that all men are created equal,
that they are endowed by their Creator
with certain unalienable rights,
that among these are, life, liberty,
and the pursuit of happiness.

— Declaration of Independence

Genesis 11:26-32 NLT

- 26 After **Terah** was 70 years old, he became the father of **Abram, Nahor, and Haran**.
- 27 This is the account of Terah's family. Terah was the father of Abram, Nahor, and Haran; and Haran was the father of **Lot**.

28 But **Haran died in Ur of the Chaldeans**,
the land of his birth,
while his father, Terah, was still living.

29 Meanwhile, Abram and Nahor both married.
The name of Abram's wife was **Sarai**,
and the name of Nahor's wife was **Milcah**.
(Milcah & her sister Iscah
were daughters of
Nahor's brother Haran.)

30 But **Sarai** was unable to become pregnant and had no children.

31 One day **Terah** took his son Abram, his daughter-in-law Sarai (his son Abram's wife), and his **grandson Lot** (his son Haran's child) and moved away from Ur of the Chaldeans. **He was headed for the land of Canaan,** but they **stopped at Haran** and **settled** there.

32 Terah lived for 205 years and died while still in Haran.

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Abram, “Living the Dream”

Genesis 12:1-8

Abraham



Genesis 12:1-8 NLT “The Call of Abram”

1 The **LORD had said** to Abram,

“**Leave** your native country,
your relatives, and your father’s family,
and **go** to the land that I will show you.”

#1 I will make you into a **great nation**

#2 I will **bless you**

#3 and **make you famous,**

#4 and you will **be** a **blessing to others.**

#5 I will **bless** those who bless you

#6 and **curse** those
who treat you with contempt.

#7 **All the families on earth
will be blessed through you.”**

4 So Abram departed as the LORD had instructed,
and Lot went with him.

Abram was seventy-five years old
when he left Haran.

5 He took his wife, Sarai, his nephew Lot,
and all his wealth—
his livestock and all the people
he had taken into his household at Haran—
and **headed for the land of Canaan.**



6 When they arrived in Canaan,
Abram traveled through the land
as far as **Shechem**.

There he set up camp beside the **oak of Moreh**.
At that time,
the area was **inhabited by Canaanites**.

7 Then the LORD appeared to Abram and said,
“I will give this land to your descendants.”

And Abram built an altar there
and dedicated it to the LORD,
who had appeared to him.

8 After that, **Abram** traveled south and set up camp in the **hill country**, with **Bethel** to the west and **Ai** to the east.

There he **built** another altar and **dedicated** it to the **LORD**, and he **worshiped** the **LORD**.

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The Roundtable

The Sewer

The Boulder Problem

**The Monster
Offwidth**

Lung Ledge











Come to the edge.
We might fall.

Come to the edge.
It's too high!

Come to the edge.
And they came,

A man in a black jumpsuit is leaping from a ledge, with his arms outstretched and his body angled upwards. The background is a vast, hazy mountain range under a clear sky. The man's expression is one of determination or triumph.

and we pushed,
And **they flew.**”

Christopher Logue