



Faith Is Selfless

Abraham: A Daring Faith - Part 3

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Big Idea: We are never more like Jesus than when we are selflessly living for the good of others.

Text: Genesis 13

So Abram went up from Egypt to the Negev, with his wife and everything he had, and Lot went with him. Abram had become very wealthy in livestock and in silver and gold. – Genesis 13:1-2

I. A _____.

From the Negev he went from place to place until he came to Bethel, to the place between Bethel and Ai where his tent had been earlier and where he had first built an altar. There Abram called on the name of the LORD. – Genesis 13:3-4

“No, I insist on paying you for it. I will not sacrifice to the LORD my God burnt offerings that cost me nothing.” – 2 Samuel 24:24b

II. A _____.

Now Lot, who was moving about with Abram, also had flocks and herds and tents. But the land could not support them while they stayed together, for their possessions were so great that they were not able to stay together. And quarreling arose between Abram’s herdsmen and the herdsmen of Lot. – Genesis 13:5-7a

So Abram said to Lot, “Let’s not have any quarreling between you and me, or between your herdsmen and mine, for we are brothers. Is not the whole land before you? Let’s part company. If you go to the left, I’ll go to the right; if you go to the right, I’ll go to the left.” – Genesis 13:8-9

Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. – Ephesians 4:3

Let your character be free from the love of money, being content with what you have.
– Hebrews 13:5a {NASV}

I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. – Philippians 4:12

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III. A _____.

The LORD said to Abram after Lot had parted from him, “Lift up your eyes from where you are and look north and south, east and west. All the land that you see I will give to you and your offspring forever. I will make your offspring like the dust of the earth, so that if anyone could count the dust, then your offspring could be counted.” – Genesis 13:14-16

MEMORY VERSE

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