

SERMON NOTES

GOD OF BLESSING

GENESIS 11:10-12:3

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I. _____ how the offspring of Shem brings hope, leading directly to Abram, the father of the Israelites (11:10-26)

II. _____ that, in all the confusion that this world offers, God has a plan to bring blessing. (11:27-32)

III. _____ your Almighty God who, in the face of sin and evil, is absolutely unstoppable in delivering His blessing. (12:1-3)

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: GENESIS 11:10-12:3

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/passage? See how the offspring of Shem brings hope, leading directly to Abram, the father of the Israelites; Celebrate that, in all the confusion that this world offers, God has a plan to bring blessing; Thank your Almighty God who, in the face of sin and evil, is absolutely unstoppable in delivering His blessing.

INFORM THE HEAD/STIR THE HEART

Please read Genesis 11:10-12:3 and answer the following:

1. From the list of names and their offspring, what do you see about the changes in lifespan after Peleg? Please use Genesis 10:25 to explain the significance of that change.

2. From Joshua 24:2, why might God have waited until Abram's father, Terah, died before He told Abram to go "to a land" that He would show him?

3. Please read Genesis 12:1 and 12:5. Where was God sending Abram to live? How does this carry out God's plan from Genesis 9:25-27?

4. Please read Genesis 11:4 and Genesis 12:2. How was one's name to be made great in the plans of man in Genesis 11:4? How was Abram's name to be made great in Genesis 12:2?

5. How does the blessing promised to Abraham at the end of Genesis 12:3 echo the promise of Genesis 3:15?

6. What insight does God's involvement in His plan for Abraham give you about His power, purposes, and plans in your present circumstances?

CHALLENGE THE WILL

What is one thing from this passage that you will apply to your life—in your actions, thoughts, or desires—to better center your worship on the Lord?

WEEKLY READING PLAN

Monday, February 9 // Genesis 12:4-9, 13:14-17
Abram Believed, Obeyed, and Worshiped God

Tuesday, February 10 // Genesis 15
Abram's Faith Was Counted as Righteousness

Wednesday, February 11 // Hebrews 11:8-16
Obey by Faith

Thursday, February 12 // Romans 4:13-25
Grow in Faith AS You Glorify God

Friday, February 13 // Esther 4:11-16
The Call: For Such a Time as This