

Monday (May 5 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Genesis 14:1-24</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What fresh light do the events of chapter 14 throw on Abram's character? 2. Who was Melchizedek? What relationship does Melchizedek have with God and Abraham?
Tuesday (May 6 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Genesis 15:1-21</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How is God's words in verse 1 exactly related to Abram's circumstances and condition? 2. In utterly hopeless human circumstances (Gen. 11:30; 15:3) how did Abram obtain hope of having descendants? What else did he gain by such response? What principle of the gospel of Christ does this illustrate? Rom. 4:2-5, 13-25. 3. What grounds for his faith did God give to Abram? Why did God also make a covenant with Abram?
Wednesday (May 7 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Genesis 16:1-16</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In what ways did Abram act wrongly in having a son by Hagar? How was he misled? 2. Was Sarah right to blame Abram for the wrong done to her? 3. What ought Abram to have thought, said and done in the face of such a situation? 4. What do we learn here of God's character and purposes from his dealings with Hagar (Gen. 16:7-15), and Ishmael (Gen. 17:18-21)? What Christian truths are here anticipated?
Thursday (May 8 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Genesis 17:1-27</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Note the characteristics of covenant-making which are mentioned here. What were the blessings of which Abraham was thereby assured? What did Abraham have to do to embrace the assurance which the covenant offered?

Friday (May 9 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Genesis 18:1-15</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Let us learn from Abraham's example how it is possible to receive the Lord as our guest, to enjoy fellowship with Him, to become those whom He calls His friends. See Hebrews 13:2; Rev. 3:20; Jas. 2:23; Jn. 15:13-15. 2. What were the fruits of this fellowship in Abraham's experience? What enrichment, in consequence, did Abraham gain for himself, and was able to bring to others?
Saturday (May 10 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Genesis 18:16-33</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the chief characteristics of Abraham's intercession (verses 22-33)? Make a list of those which should also mark our praying. Note the effect of Abraham's intercession (Gen. 19:29).
Sunday (May 11 th)	<p><u>Scripture: Psalm 50</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What can you discover of God's character in His capacity as Judge in verses 1-6? What further truth about Him is emphasized in verses 7-13? 2. What does God require of His people if they are to please Him, and what benefits does He promise to them? See verses 14, 15, 23. In what ways do the wicked displease God, and what is their end compared to those who fulfil His requirements?

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