

**Series:** Genesis

Passage: Genesis 12:1-9 and 11:26-32

**Title:** The Abrahamic Covenant

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**Discussion Starter** – Explain what you think was God's overall plan and purpose for establishing the Abrahamic Covenant?

## God's Calling of Abram: (Genesis 12:1-9)

- What do you think uniquely qualified Abram to be chosen by God to receive this covenant?
- What is the special nature about this covenant as compared to other covenants God has made in the Bible? Read Ephesians 1:3-4 What additional insights are gained from this passage?
- What is revealed to us about God's desire by the way He instructs Abram in verse 1? Why was it necessary for Abram to leave his country? What is the spiritual significance of what God's wants to show us in this passage?
- Read Joshua 24:2: What does this verse say about Abram's lifestyle? Who are the pagans and polytheists of today, and how is God calling them?
- How do we know that God had previously spoken to Abram by his command in verse 1? Read Acts 7:2-4 and Genesis 11:26-32. What additional insights are gained from these verses?
- Why do you think Abram did not go directly to Canaan? What does that tell you about our walk with the LORD? What attribute is God revealing to us here?
- Read Luke 9:57-62: What are some of the things that get in the way of us following God's plan in our lives?
- God does not give Abram the 10 year plan, He just say go to a land I will show you. What does this reveal about God and how He wants us to follow His plan in our lives? How have you seen this to be true in your own life?
- What are the significant aspects of God's covenant promise to make Abram a great nation?
- What are some of the elements of how God blessed Abram? How did God also make Abram's name great?
- What historical evidence have we seen of God's promise to Abram in verse 3 that it is actually true?
- What are some of the circumstances in Abram's life that may have deterred him from believing that God's promises were even possible?
- To what extent do we let our circumstances get in the way of believing God's sovereign power to do the things He wants to accomplish in our lives?