

Transforming the City One Life at a Time.



40 Days of Faith

Know God, Grow Together, Discover Purpose, Make a Difference

CONNECT

- How do you reassure someone your word is good?

WORD

Hebrews 11:11-12

“11 And by faith even Sarah, who was past childbearing age, was enabled to bear children because she considered him faithful who had made the promise. 12 And so from this one man, and he as good as dead, came descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as countless as the sand on the seashore.”

THOUGHT

Sarah, the wife of Abraham, became a mother of nations, and kings would come from her. Sarah was blessed by God to become a royal princess. She would be a mother of nations to come. She would also be a mother to the kings of peoples. Royal lineages would come from her. She would be the mother of the royal line of King David from which the Savior would come.

Sarah was promised a son, and his name was to be called Isaac. God would establish His covenant with him (as He did with Abraham) for an everlasting covenant, and God would also establish His covenant with the descendants of Isaac. What God says, He does! Titus 1:2

DISCUSSION

1. What was the result of Sarah being patient? How did her patience change her legacy?

2. Why is it important to wait on God? How does faith and patience work together?

3. Where have you been waiting for years for God to fulfill a promise?

4. How can you and I wait on God to bring his promise to pass? (Read Hebrews 6:12)

PERSONAL APPLICATION

- Spend time this week reminding yourself of the promises God has made, fulfilled and the ones to be answered. Focus back on the time when we studied about Memorial Stones (Joshua 4:4-7), revisit this.

PRAYER

- Pray asking God to give you the patience and faith He gave Sarah. Pray that like her, you also will be able to take a hold of the promises of God for your life, trusting that the good Father who is ordering your steps will do all that He says.
- Pray with a friend, asking them for their Memorial Stones, using this as encouragement to have faith in the current promises they face.