

# The Substitute Sacrifice

## Genesis 22

### A. God tests Abraham's Loyalty by Asking Him to Sacrifice His Promised Son Isaac. Gen. 22:1-2

1. What did God do to Abraham? (22:1) \_\_\_\_\_
2. What did God tell Abraham to do? (22:2) \_\_\_\_\_  
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### B. Abraham Obeys God. Gen. 22:3-10

1. How quickly did Abraham step into action? (22:3) \_\_\_\_\_
2. What did Abraham take along for the burnt offering? (22:3) \_\_\_\_\_
3. What did Abraham tell the two servants? (22:5) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (See Heb. 11:17-19.)
4. What did Isaac carry? (22:6) \_\_\_\_\_ What did Abraham carry? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What did Isaac ask his father? (22:7) \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. How did Abraham respond? (22:8) \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. When they arrived at the place, what did Abraham build? (22:9) \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. What did he do with Isaac? (22:9) \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What did Abraham do next? (22:10) \_\_\_\_\_  
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### C. God Provides a Substitute Sacrifice. Gen. 22:11-14

1. What did the angel (messenger) of the LORD yell down from heaven? (22:11) \_\_\_\_\_
2. What did Abraham respond? (22:11) \_\_\_\_\_
3. The angel (messenger of the LORD) said, "Do not lay a \_\_\_\_\_ on the

boy." "Do not do \_\_\_\_\_ to him." "Now I know that you \_\_\_\_\_ God, because you have not withheld from me your \_\_\_\_\_, your \_\_\_\_\_ son." (22:12)

4. What did Abraham see in a thicket caught by its horns? (22:13) \_\_\_\_\_
5. What did he do with it? (22:13) \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. What did Abraham name that place? (22:14) \_\_\_\_\_  
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#### **D. God Swears an Oath to Bless Abraham and His Seed. Gen. 22:15-19**

1. Who called down from heaven to Abraham a second time? (22:15) \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. Here is what the Messenger said, <sup>16</sup> "I \_\_\_\_\_ by Myself that because you have done this, and have not withheld your \_\_\_\_\_, your only \_\_\_\_\_, <sup>17</sup> I will surely \_\_\_\_\_ you and make your descendants as numerous as the \_\_\_\_\_ in the sky and as the \_\_\_\_\_ on the seashore. Your \_\_\_\_\_ will take possession of the \_\_\_\_\_ of their \_\_\_\_\_, <sup>18</sup> and through your \_\_\_\_\_ all \_\_\_\_\_ on earth will be \_\_\_\_\_, because you have \_\_\_\_\_ Me." (22:16-18)
3. What did Abraham do? (22:19) \_\_\_\_\_  
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#### **E. Making Some Comparisons.**

1. God had already asked Abraham to make a number of sacrifices. He had to leave his f \_\_\_\_\_; his c \_\_\_\_\_; his n \_\_\_\_\_; his firstborn s \_\_\_\_\_ by Hagar. Now He asked him to sacrifice his son of promise, I \_\_\_\_\_.
2. What sacrifices has God asked you to make in order to trust Him and serve Him?
3. The region of Moriah was the place where God asked Abraham to sacrifice His son. Later, Solomon would build His t \_\_\_\_\_ on this place (2 Chron. 3:1). And God would sacrifice His \_\_\_\_\_ on this place.
4. Just as God provided a substitute Ram instead of Isaac, God has provided a substitute Lamb instead of us. Who is this Lamb?
5. Have you accepted God's substitute sacrifice for yourself on the mountain of Moriah? Or do you prefer to pay for your own sins yourself?