

Genesis 12-36

The time of the Patriarch's is one in which God further revealed His plan for mankind. Abraham was going to be the father of a great nation and the whole world would be blessed through him.

Jacob's children:

Leah: Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah, Issachar, Zebulun & Dinah

Rachel: Joseph & Benjamin

Rachel's maid Bilhah: Dan & Naphthali

Leah's maid Zilpah: Gad & Asher

(Ephraim & Manasseh are claimed by Jacob even though they were grandsons born to Joseph while in Egypt. They became half-tribes as there is no tribe of Joseph.)

Genesis 22

God tested Abraham by asking him to offer Isaac in our lesson.

There is some foreshadowing of when God would offer His own son Jesus. A ram was found in the brush, but Jesus was the substitute for us. He was the lamb sacrificed for mankind. God asked of Abraham what He would ultimately do for us. This story has rich meaning regarding Abraham's faith and God's provision for humanity. Even when it looks very difficult if not impossible, God made a way for His people.

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ABRAHAM
 ASHER
 BILHAH
 BIRTHRIGHT
 BLESSING
 CANAAN
 DREAM
 ESAU
 GOATS
 HAGAR

HARAN
 ISAAC
 ISHMAEL
 ISRAEL
 JACOB
 JUDAH
 LABAN
 LADDER
 LAUGHTER
 LEAH

LEVI
 MORIAH
 PENIEL
 RACHEL
 REUBEN
 SARAH
 SHEEP
 SIMEON
 * SISSY (POWELL)
 ZILPAH