

Please avoid using commentaries and Google searches for answers. Pray and think about the questions and allow God to speak to you.

Day 1. Read Genesis 22:1-2 and James 1:12-15.

1. Why do you think God tested Abraham in this way, especially knowing the covenant He had already made with Abraham?

2. How would you know when God is testing you vs. when you are being tempted by “that which is common to man” (1 Cor. 10:13)?

Day 2 Read Genesis 22:3-8 and Hebrews 11:17-19.

1. How do you explain Abraham’s obedience to God and his response to Isaac?

2. What promise of God would keep you faithful to Him if he took someone you deeply loved out of your life?

Day 3 Read Genesis 22:6-14

1. Solomon’s temple and the city of Jerusalem were built on this same mountain, Mt. Moriah. What are all the ways this story foretells the story of Jesus?

2. Read Romans 3:25, 2 Cor. 5:21, and 1 Peter 3:18. Why did God require the death of his son?

3. Read Luke 14:25-33. What is Jesus asking you personally to sacrifice for Him?

Day 4 Read Genesis 22:15-24 and John 14:21-24.

1. How do you think Abraham felt about these renewed promises after being tested in this way?

2. What blessing has come to you after you were tested by God?