

Walk of Faith

The Life of Abraham



Punchline

**Obedience doesn't need explanation - it
needs action**



The Lord had said to Abram, “Go from your country, your people and your father’s household to the land I will show you.

Genesis 12: 1 NIV

A landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a desert canyon, under a soft, pink and blue sky. The rock formations are composed of distinct horizontal layers, suggesting sedimentary or volcanic activity. The sky transitions from a pale blue at the horizon to a soft pink at the top. The overall scene is serene and majestic.

“I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing.

Genesis 12: 2 NIV

A landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a desert canyon, under a soft, pink and blue sky. The rock formations are composed of various shades of brown, tan, and grey, showing distinct horizontal strata. The sky transitions from a pale blue at the top to a soft pink near the horizon. The overall scene is serene and majestic.

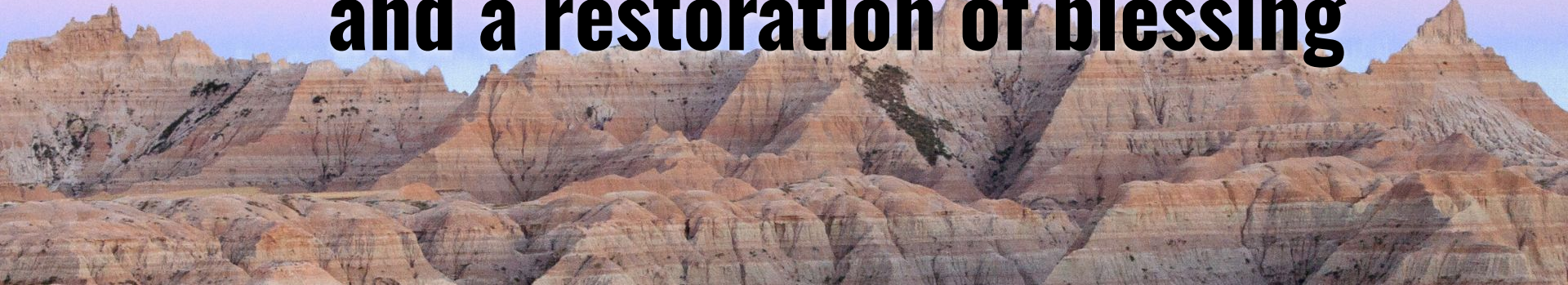
**I will bless those who bless you, and
whoever curses you I will curse; and all
peoples on earth will be blessed through
you.”**

Genesis 12: 3 NIV

The background of the image is a landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a desert canyon. The rocks are in shades of orange, tan, and brown, with distinct horizontal strata. The sky above is a soft gradient of pink and light blue, suggesting a sunrise or sunset. The overall scene is arid and dramatic.

God Calls Abram

- ❖ **Leave the comfort of what is known to the comfort of unknown**
- ❖ **God will bless Abram**
- ❖ **He will be a vehicle of redemption and a restoration of blessing**



**So Abram went, as the Lord had told him;
and Lot went with him. Abram was
seventy-five years old when he set out
from Harran.**

Genesis 12: 4 NIV

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He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired in Harran, and they set out for the land of Canaan, and they arrived there

Genesis 12: 5 NIV

A landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a desert or canyon region, under a clear sky. The rock is a mix of tan and light brown colors, showing distinct horizontal strata. The terrain is rocky and uneven, with some sparse, dry vegetation visible in the lower parts of the image.

Abram traveled through the land as far as the site of the great tree of Moreh at Shechem. At that time the Canaanites were in the land.

Genesis 12: 6 NIV

A landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a canyon or badlands, under a soft, pink and blue sky. The rock is a mix of tan, brown, and grey, showing distinct horizontal strata. The sky transitions from a pale blue at the horizon to a soft pink at the top.

The Lord appeared to Abram and said, “To your offspring I will give this land.” So he built an altar there to the Lord, who had appeared to him

Genesis 12: 7 NIV

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From there he went on toward the hills east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. There he built an altar to the Lord and called on the name of the Lord

Genesis 12: 8 NIV

A landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a desert or canyon area, under a clear sky. The rock is reddish-brown and shows distinct horizontal strata. The terrain is rocky and uneven, with some sparse, dry vegetation. The sky is a pale blue, suggesting a clear day.

**Then Abram set out and continued toward
the Negev.**

Genesis 12: 9 NIV

A landscape of rugged, layered rock formations, likely a desert canyon or badlands, under a soft, pink and blue sky. The rock formations are composed of distinct horizontal layers, suggesting sedimentary or volcanic origins. The sky transitions from a pale pink at the top to a light blue near the horizon. The overall scene is arid and desolate.

Abram Goes In Faith

- ❖ **Had possessions and wealth but still went**
- ❖ **Tree at Moreh - God reaffirms His promise to Abram**
- ❖ **Abram marked places for God**





Comfort To Discomfort

- ❖ **This is not punishment**
- ❖ **Discomfort pushes us to rely on God**
- ❖ **We don't lose what God's already given us**



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Be A Vehicle Of Blessing

- ❖ **God's blessing is more relational than material**
 - **Includes needs but goes further to peace, guidance, conviction, and love**



Be A Vehicle Of Blessing

- ❖ **Show God's blessing to people that don't know Jesus yet**
- ❖ **Remind other followers of Jesus of their blessing from God**





Leave A Mark For God

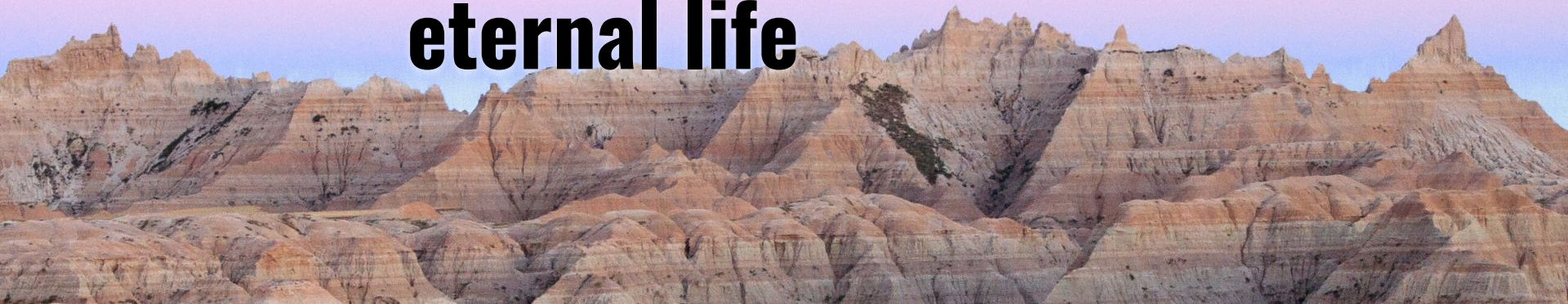
- ❖ **Claim God's presence in the places we go**
- ❖ **Your presence reflecting the presence of God**
- ❖ **Pray in the places you are**





Fulfillment Of God's Promise

- ❖ **We are part of God's promise to Abram**
- ❖ **Our walk has a promise**
 - **God will fulfill His promise of eternal life**



Wrap Up

- ❖ **Walk in the discomfort**
- ❖ **Walk in blessing and as a blessing**
- ❖ **Leave a mark for God**
- ❖ **Walk to the promise**

