

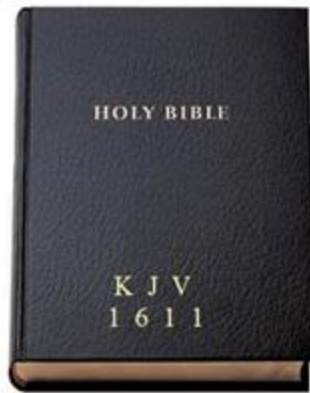
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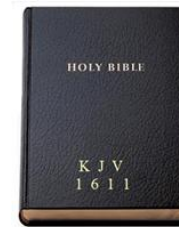
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Survey Of The Bible I

Genesis-Deuteronomy

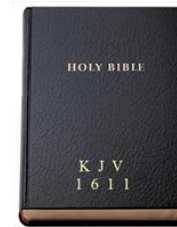
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ABRAHAM: THE PROGENITOR

- Genesis 12 = Abraham's **CALLING**
- Genesis 13 = Abraham's **CONDESCENSION**
- Genesis 14 = Abraham's **COURAGE**
- Genesis 15 = Abraham's **COVENANT**
- Genesis 16 = Abraham's **COMPROMISE**
- Genesis 17 = Abraham's **CIRCUMCISION**
- Genesis 18 = Abraham's **COMPASSION**
- Genesis 19 = Abraham's **CORRUPTED Kin**
- Genesis 20 = Abraham's **CARNALITY**
- Genesis 21 = Abraham's **CHILD**
- Genesis 22 = Abraham's **CONFIRMATION**
- Genesis 23 = Abraham's **CAVE**
- Genesis 24 = Abraham's **COMMISSION**
- Genesis 25 = Abraham's **CONCLUSION**

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The Steps In Lot's Backsliding

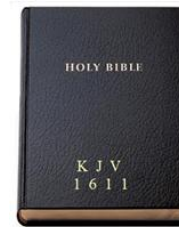
1. Lot LOOKS TOWARD Sodom (13:10)
 2. Lot DWELLS TOWARD Sodom (13:12)
 3. Lot DWELLS IN Sodom (14:12)
- Chapter 13, verse 13 has 13 words; 13 = the number of REBELLION

The Three-Fold Promise Of Proliferation To Abraham

1. As the DUST of the earth (13:16)- all PHYSICAL posterity
2. As the STARS of the heaven (15:5)- only SPIRITUAL posterity
3. As the SAND of the sea shore (22:17)- specific PHYSICAL posterity



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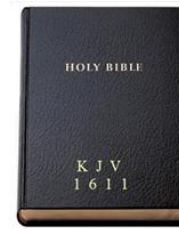


Theories On The Identity Of Melchizedek

1. The angel of the Lord
 2. A pre-Bethlehem appearance of Jesus Christ
 3. The Holy Spirit incarnate
 4. Enoch (Heb 7:3; 11:5)
 5. Shem (9:26)- who was alive at the time
 6. Melchizedek
- The mystery surrounding the identity of Melchizedek is due to the wording of Hebrews 7:3: ***“Without father, without mother, without descent, having neither beginning of days, nor end of life; but made like unto the Son of God; abideth a priest continually”***
 - What Hebrews 7:3 is saying is that has no recorded genealogy, is not descended from a priestly line, and has no recorded birth or death, and yet he had a continuous priesthood



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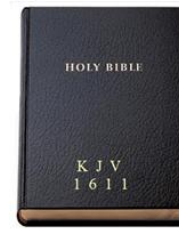


Melchizedek As A Type Of Christ

1. His name means, “king of righteousness” (Heb 7:2)
2. He was the king of Salem (i.e.- the old name for Jerusalem) and *Salem* means, “peace” (Heb 7:2)
3. He was the priest of the most high God, but from a non-priest class or tribe (Heb 7:13-14)
4. He brings forth the elements of the Lord’s Supper as a memorial of victory



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- The Abrahamic land grant extends from the Nile river on the West to the Euphrates river on the East (15:18)
- Additional borders include the Mediterranean (Great Sea) on the West (Eze 47:20), Hamath to the North (Eze 47:20; 48:1), and Kadesh-Barnea (Meribah) to the South (Eze 48:28)
- In addition to the land that is currently the nation of Israel, this includes Goshen in Egypt, the wilderness of Shur in the northern Sinai peninsula, Jordan, Lebanon, and parts of Syria and Iraq



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