

## A TEST OF FAITH IN THE LORD WHO PROVIDES

### A. Faith Tested (22:1-2)

1. God gave Abraham a \_\_\_\_\_ to test his faith. (v. 1)

- *Why would God command Abraham to do this?*
- *Why does God provide tests in our lives?*
- *What is faith and how important is it to God?*
- *Are there degrees of faith?*

2. God commanded Abraham to offer \_\_\_\_\_ as a \_\_\_\_\_ to God. (v. 2)

- *Why did God call Isaac Abraham's "only son"?*
- *Where was Abraham to do this? (2 Chron. 3:1)*
- *Why would this test have been difficult for Abraham?*

### B. Faith Matured (22:3-14)

1. Abraham responded \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ to God. (v. 3)

2. Abraham demonstrated true \_\_\_\_\_ to God by being willing to offer what was very \_\_\_\_\_ to him. (v. 5)

3. Abraham believed both he and Isaac would \_\_\_\_\_ from the sacrifice alive. (v. 5)

- *How could he think this way? (Heb. 11:17-19)*

4. As a result of Abraham's trust and obedience, his faith was \_\_\_\_\_. (James 2:22)

- *What did all this picture about Jesus Christ?*
- *How does this relate to you?*
- *What names describe God in the Old Testament and what does this mean for you as a believer?*

### **C. Faith Rewarded (22:15-18)**

1. The LORD reiterated His promises to Abraham with a \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 16)

2. God \_\_\_\_\_ Abraham's faith and obedience by \_\_\_\_\_ further blessings to His previous promises to Abraham. (vv. 17-18)

- *What can you learn from all this?*