

Grandpa Devotional #25

Birth of Isaac

Read Genesis 21:1-7

1 Now the LORD was gracious to Sarah as he had said, and the LORD did for Sarah what he had promised.

2 Sarah became pregnant and bore a son to Abraham in his old age, at the very time God had promised him.

3 Abraham gave the name Isaac to the son Sarah bore him.

4 When his son Isaac was eight days old, Abraham circumcised him, as God commanded him.

5 Abraham was a hundred years old when his son Isaac was born to him.

6 Sarah said, “God has brought me laughter, and everyone who hears about this will laugh with me.”

7 And she added, “Who would have said to Abraham that Sarah would nurse children? Yet I have borne him a son in his old age.”

How did the Lord treat Sarah (v. 1)? He blessed her. He showed her grace. He kept His promise to her.

What did the Lord do for Sarah (vv. 1-2)? He enabled her to become pregnant and have a baby even though she was normally too old to have a baby. Isaac was a miracle baby.

When did the Lord give Sarah a son? At the exact time He had promised.

What does that tell us about the Lord? That He is faithful and He keeps His promises.

What did Abraham name his son (v. 3)? Isaac

What did Abraham do next (v. 4)? He circumcised Isaac when he was eight days old just as God told him to do.

How old was Abraham when Isaac was born (v. 5)? 100. Wow that is old!

What did Sarah say (v. 6)? God has given us great joy and everyone who hears about this baby will also be happy.

What else did Sarah say (v. 7)? Can you believe that I would have a baby when I was so old? **How old was Sarah?** 90.

How do you think Sarah felt about having a son? She was happy that she could have a son for her husband Abraham.