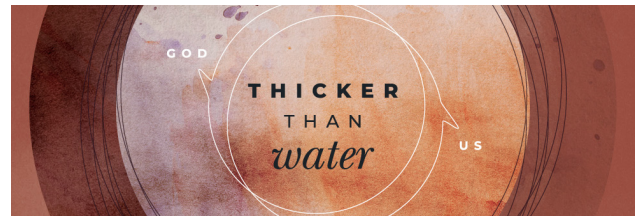


# Weekly Message Study Guide

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## Walk By Faith | Abrahamic Covenant | Week 3 | March 14

### Genesis 12:1-7; 17:1-16; Luke 9:23

*These study guides are designed for individual or group study but highly encouraged to be experienced in community with a small group or other friends on the journey with Jesus.*

**CONTEXT |** Through our Lenten series this year, we are looking at seven circles of commitment that God invites people into in order to bless us and make our lives a blessing to others.

**Week One:** Edenic Covenant can be summarized as Respect the lines and you will flourish (Original Grace).

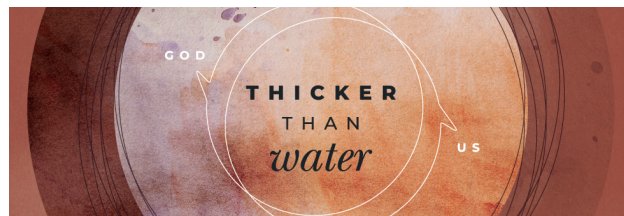
**Week Two:** Noahic Covenant we can summarize through Reverence life and remember that you are accountable. (Common Grace).

**Three Promises to Abraham |** Read Genesis 12:1-7; 17:1-16 in two different translations. Place yourself in Abraham's sandals and answer the questions below.

- **Promise 1:** Stunning LEGACY. See Genesis 12:2 and 15:5.
  - As Abraham what is going through your mind and heart right now?
  - What practical barriers to this legacy do you see?
- **Promise 2:** An exceptional LOVE. See Genesis 17:7 and 12:2-3.
  - As Abraham what is going through your mind and heart right now as you take in this exceptional love?
- **Promise 3:** A promised LAND. See Genesis 17:8.
  - As Abraham what does it mean to you and your descendants to have a home land and no longer be sojourners and wanderers?

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**Living into the Promises** | Read Luke 9:23 and then allow these promises to Abraham to enable you to think wider and deeper about your life as you follow Jesus.

- **Promise 1:** Stunning LEGACY.
  - As you think of your faith what legacy are you building and how?
  - What faith legacy are you a result of?
- **Promise 2:** An exceptional LOVE.
  - What hinders or enhances God's love from flowing from or impacting your life?
- **Promise 3:** A promised LAND. See Hebrews 13:14 & 2 Corinthians 5.
  - See the referenced passages from this point. How do they shape us living as followers of Jesus in relation to "our land"?
- **Ultimate Purpose:** All the people of the earth will be blessed. See Genesis 12:3.
  - As a follower of Jesus how is this true of you? Be specific. How in your life's weekly activities do you live into being the fulfillment of this promise in practical ways?

**Practice of the Week** | Be sure to listen to [this Monday's Lenten audio devotional](#) for a special perspective on the Abrahamic Covenant.