



# ABRAHAM AND SARAH: A Journey of Faith

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*“...I will make your offspring as numerous as the stars of heaven...” (Gen 22:17)*

# SESSION 6

## A Resting Place in the Land

(Gen. 23 – 25)



# SESSION OUTLINE

- **Three very ordinary events:**
  - **The burial of a mother (23:1-20)**
  - **The marriage of a son (24:1-67)**
  - **The death of a father (25:1-18)**

# THE BURIAL OF A MOTHER

- **Note on Some Key Terms:**

- **Hebron**

- **Hittites**

- **Canaanites**



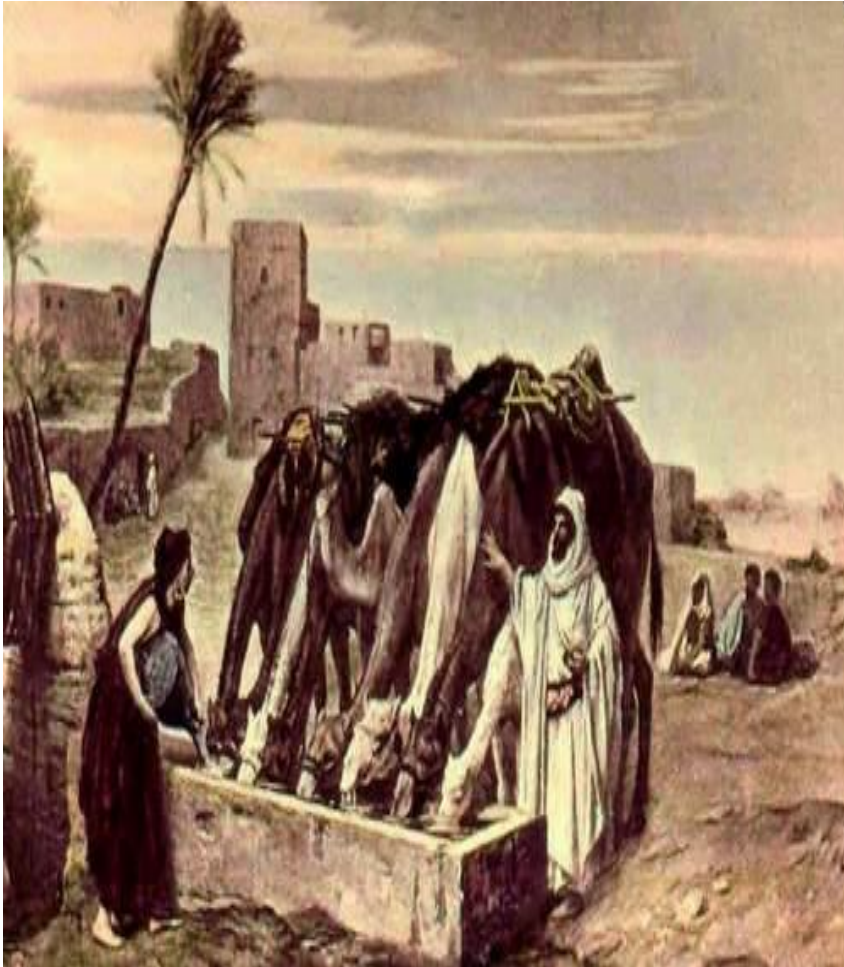
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# READING THROUGH GEN. 23:1-20

- **Obtaining a tomb for Sarah**
- **Abraham:**
  - An alien; foreigner
  - Individual of some importance
- **Negotiations**
  - With town elders
  - With Ephron

# THE MARRIAGE OF A SON



- **Finding a Wife for Isaac**
- **Reading Through Gen 24:1-67**

# THE DEATH OF A FATHER

- **Isaac & Ishmael  
come together**
- **Abraham buried  
next to Sarah  
(Gen. 25)**
- **Image of God**



Tomb of the Patriarchs—built on the traditional site of the biblical Cave of Machpelah. [Photo courtesy [www.HolyLandPhotos.org](http://www.HolyLandPhotos.org)]