



Growth Group Discussion Guide

Passage: Genesis 24:1-33, 49-67

Introduction: In this passage the Lord brings Issac and Rebekah together in marriage. Abraham sends his most trusted servant to find a wife for Issac. As the servant journeys to the city of Nahor he calls on God to bless the search and demonstrate His covenant love to Abraham. Ultimately this passage encourages us to consider how trusting in God's sovereign care enables us to walk faithfully amid uncertainty.



Into the Word

In verses 1-9 Abraham instructs his servant on where to look for a wife for Issac. What are those instructions? How do God's promises to Abraham shape his decisions?

Consider: Genesis 17:18-21

Note: God's Will for Your Life is More Obvious than You Think

In verse 7 Abraham, confident in God's sovereign care, assures his servant that, "[God] will send his angel before you, and you shall take a wife for my son from there". Where do we see God's sovereign hand at work in this story? Who else demonstrates a confidence in God's sovereignty? Where does this confidence come from?



Into the Heart

What life decisions are you considering right now? How are God's promises to you in Christ shaping your approach to these life decisions?

Consider: Ephesians 2:10

Reflect on how you have seen God's sovereign hand at work in your own life. How does a deeper sense of God's sovereignty give you confidence in the midst of uncertainty? How can we grow in our confidence in God's sovereignty?

Note: If God Is Sovereign, Why Pray?



Into the World

How would a clear sense of God's promises help you counsel someone who is considering a major life decision or experiencing a major life transition?

How does the truth of God's sovereignty help you support someone who is considering a major life decision or facing a lot of uncertainty?