

QUESTIONS

Remember this is a dialogue, not a quiz. The questions are a good start to draw out observations about the story, and the “answers” are just there to help you guide kids toward some key ideas.

1. How did Abraham feel about his son Isaac?

- Abraham loved his son.

2. How did God and Abraham get along?

- Abraham had a special relationship with God—chosen as the blessing.
- Abraham had faith God would keep His promise.
- Abraham listened to God (and His angel).

3. What did Abraham say to his servants?

4. What does this story show us about Abraham?

5. What does this story show us about Isaac?

- Isaac trusted his father.

6. What was Abraham risking to obey God in this story?

- The promise of God blessing the entire earth through his descendants.

7. Where have we seen sacrifice before in the stories? Why did people do this? What is God teaching through these sacrifices?

- God providing clothing from animal skins for Adam and Eve.
- Cain and Abel, Noah’s sacrifice to show thankfulness to God and show Him as the provider.
- Noah: After the flood God made it clear that life is in the blood.
- Isaac: God provided an animal in place of Isaac—life for life.

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8. Would you obey God if He asked you to do this?

9. What does this story teach us about God?

- He provides for His people.
- He tests people's faith.
- He desires to bless us.
- He keeps His promises.