**LESSON 3**

**第三课**

**THE MESSIAH IS PROMISED TO ABRAHAM**

**应许弥赛亚给亚伯拉罕**

**THE MESSIAH IN THE WRITINGS OF MOSES**

**摩西五经当中的弥赛亚**

 This lesson is the second of three lessons that will examine the Messianic prophecies in the writings of Moses (sometimes called the Torah or the Law). The three lessons will be:关于摩西五经（也称妥拉<Torah>或律法书）当中弥赛亚的应许共有三课，本课是第二课。这三次课分别是：

Lesson 2 = The Messiah is Promised to Adam and Eve

第二课=应许弥赛亚给亚当夏娃

**Lesson 3 = The Messiah is Promised to Abraham**

**第三课=应许弥赛亚给亚伯拉罕**

Lesson 4 = The Messiah is Promised to the Children of Israel

第四课=应许弥赛亚给以色列的子孙

**THE CALL OF ABRAM – GENESIS 12:1-7**

**呼召亚伯兰-创12:1-7**

1. What three things did the Lord ask of Abram (verse 1)? 耶和华要求亚伯兰

做三件事情，是什么（第一节）？

1. What was God doing with these instructions? 通过这些指示，神要做什么？
2. What were the 8 promises God made to Abraham in Genesis 12:1-7? 神在创12:1-7节当中向亚伯拉罕所作的八个应许是什么？
3. (v.2) （第二节）
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5. (v.2) （第二节）
6. (v.2) （第二节）
7. (v.3) （第三节）
8. (v.3) （第三节）
9. (v.3) （第三节）
10. (v.7) （第七节）

***“I will make you into a great nation” (v.2) “我必叫你成为大国”（第二节）***

1. What did God mean by “great?”神所说的“大”是什么意思？

***“I will bless you” (v.2) “我必赐福给你”（第二节）***

1. Why did God choose to bless Abraham? 神为何要祝福亚伯拉罕？

***“I will make your name great” (v2) “叫你的名为大”（第二节）***

1. How did this promise give purpose to Abraham’s life?这一应许如何给亚伯拉罕的人生带来意义？

***“you will be a blessing” “你也要叫别人得福”***

1. How would Abraham be a blessing to others?亚伯拉罕如何成为别人的祝福？

***“I will bless those who bless you” (v.3) “为你祝福的，我必赐福与他”（第三节）***

1. Give an example of this.请举例说明。

***“whoever curses you I will curse” (v.3) “那咒诅你的，我必咒诅他”（第三节）***

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***“all peoples on earth will be blessed through you” (v.3) “地上的万族都要因你得福”（第三节）***

1. Why do we believe that this was a Messianic promise (a promise of a Savior)? (see Acts 3:24-26) 我们为何认为这是关于弥赛亚的应许（关于救主的应许）？（参见徒3:24-26）
2. How will the Messiah bring blessings to all people? 弥赛亚如何使万族得福？

***Galatians 3:6‑8加3:6-8***

1. What does Paul call this promise to Abraham?保罗如何称这给亚伯拉罕的应许？
2. How are the blessings of the promise received?如何能够得到所应许的福？
3. When the words “all nations” who was God referring to? 神说“万族”，是指谁？
4. Was the way of salvation any different for Abraham than it is for us? 亚伯拉罕得救恩的方式，与我们得到救恩的方式，是不同的吗？
5. How, then, would Abraham and his family share the blessing with other families of the earth? 那么，亚伯拉罕的家如何把他们所得的福与地上的其他家分享呢？

***John 8:56 约8:56***

1. What did Jesus mean? How did Abraham “see His day”? How did he “rejoice in it”? 耶稣说这话是什么意思？亚伯拉罕怎么能够看到“他的日子”？他看到了为何能够“快乐”？

**GENESIS 12:7创12:7**

***“to your offspring”“给你的后裔”***

1. Where is Shechem? 示剑在哪里？
2. What does this promise reveal about the Messiah? 这一应许告诉我们有关弥赛亚的什么信息？

**THE PROMISE REPEATED – GENESIS 13:14-18 重申应许 -创13:14-18**

Circle the promises originally given to Abraham in 12:1-7 that were repeated here:下列在本段重申的应许，如若已经出现在创12:1-7当中赐给亚伯拉罕的应许当中，请画圈：

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2. I will bless you我必赐福给你
3. I will make your name great叫你的名为大
4. I will make you a blessing to others你也要叫别人得福
5. I will bless those who bless you为你祝福的，我必赐福与他
6. I will curse those who curse you那咒诅你的，我必咒诅他
7. I will bless all people on earth through you and your descendants地上的万族都要因你得福
8. To your offspring I will give this land.我要把这地赐给你的后裔

Why did Abraham keep building altars to the Lord?亚伯拉罕为什么要不断为耶和华筑坛？

**THE PROMISE CONFIRMED BY A COVENANT – GENESIS 15:1-21 应许因约而定 -创15:1-21**

1. What is a covenant?什么是约？
2. How many covenants did God make during the Old Testament (and with whom)? 旧约当中，神与人立约几次（以及与何人）？

**THE PROMISE REPEATED – GENESIS 17:1-8 再次重申应许 -创17:1-8**

1. What is the significance of the phrase ***“father of many nations”?“*** ***多国的父”***这一短语有何重要性？

**THE PROMISE REPEATED AGAIN– GENESIS 18:17-19 又一次重申应许 -创18:17-19**

**THE PROMISE REPEATED – GENESIS 22:15-18 再一次重申应许 -创22:15-18**