

# The Akedah

## העקדה

The Binding of Isaac Part 1



★ The Hebrew *alef-bet* ★

with (Final Forms)

Modern	Ancient	Meaning	Gematria
1. א <i>alef</i>	A	Strength, God	1
2. ב <i>bet</i>	B	Tent, House	2
3. ג <i>gimel</i>	G	Camel	3



**1** *“After this, the word of the Lord came to **Abram** in a vision: “Do not be afraid, **Abram**. I am your shield, your very great reward.”*

**2** *But **Abram** said, “O Sovereign **LORD**, what can you give me since I remain childless and the one who will inherit my estate is **Eliezer** of Damascus?”*

**3** *And **Abram** said, “You have given me no children; so a **servant** in my household will be my heir.”*

# Eliezer

אליעזר



*ezer*

עזר

י

אל

*el*

Help

God

Eliezer → God is my Help

A**b**ram

אב ר ס  
}

*ab*

אב Father

A**b**ram

אבֿרָם

*ab*

אבֿ Father

*bar*

בֿרָ Son

A**b**ram

אב רס  
}

*ab*

אב

Father

*bar*

בר

Son

רוח אלהים

רס

Spirit

*ruach elohim*

Genesis 17:5



בראשית יז:ה

*5 “No longer shall your name be called **Abram**,  
But your name shall be **Abraham**;  
For I have made you the father of a multitude of nations.*

אברהם ← אברהם



אבֿרָם אֶבְרָם Abram

אבֿ father

+ ברֿ son

+ רוֹם exalted/lofty

= father of exalted sons



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אברם ← אברהם      שרַי ← שרה



Then **God** said to **Abraham**, “As for **Sarai** your wife,  
 you shall not call her name **Sarai**,  
 but **Sarah** shall be her name.

*y a h w e h*

ה ו ה ך

**L O R D**

10. ך *yod* I, Y 10 יד Hand
5. ה *he* H 5 יד **BEHOLD!, Revelation, Grace**
6. ו *vav* V, O, W, U 6 יד **Hook, Nail, Attach / Upright Man**
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ה

*he*

ה

**Reveal**

ו

*vav*

ו

**Nail**

ה

*he*

ה

**Reveal**

י

*yod*

י

**Hand**

**Hand Reveals, Nail Reveals.**

*y a h w e h*    ה ו ה ך    LORD

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ה ו ה ך



**Sarah**    שרה

אברהם    **Abraham**

Genesis 18:13



בראשית יח:יג

**13** *And the **LORD** said to **Abraham**, “Why did **Sarah** laugh, saying, ‘Shall **I** indeed bear a child, when **I** am so old?’*

**14** *“Is anything too difficult for the **LORD**?*

*At the appointed time I will return to you, at this time next year, and **Sarah** will have a **son**.”*

# Birth Prophesied

Genesis 18:13



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Matthew 1:34-37



Μαθθαϊον 1:34-37

**34** *Mary said to the angel,*

*“How can this be, since I am a virgin?”*

**35** *The angel answered and said to her,*

*“The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; and for that reason the holy Child shall be called the Son of God.*

Genesis 18:19



בראשית י"ז:ט

**19** *But **God** said, “No, but **Sarah** your wife will bear you a **son**, and you shall call his name **Isaac**; and I will establish My covenant with **him** for an everlasting covenant for **his** descendants after **him**.*

**Named before Birth**



Genesis 18:19



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Matthew 1:20-21



Μαθθαϊον 1:20-21

**20** *But when he had considered this, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, “Joseph, son of **David**, do not be afraid to take **Mary** as your wife; for the **Child** who has been conceived in her is of the **Holy Spirit**.*

**21** *“She will bear a **Son**; and you shall call **His** name **yeshua**, for **He** will save **His** people from their sins.”*

Isaiah 52:10



ישעה נב:י

10 חשף יְהוָה את-זרוע קדשו לעיני כל-הגוים  
וראו כל-אפסי-ארץ את יְשׁוּעַת אֱלֹהֵינוּ:

*10 The LORD has bared His holy arm  
in the sight of all the nations,  
that all the ends of the earth may see  
the Salvation of our God.*

*yeshuat*      יְשׁוּעַת      Salvation



*tav* †      yeshua

Genesis 21:1-3



בראשית כא:א-ג

**1** Then the **LORD** took note of **Sarah** as He had said, and the **LORD** did for **Sarah** as He had promised.

**2** So **Sarah** conceived and bore a **son** to **Abraham** in his old age, at the appointed time of which **God** had spoken to him.

**3** **Abraham** called the name of his **son** who was born to him, whom **Sarah** bore to him, **Isaac**.

## Miraculous Birth

Genesis 21:1-3



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Isaiah 7:14



ישעיה ז:יד

**14** Therefore the **Lord** himself shall give you a **sign**;  
Behold, the **virgin** shall conceive, and bear a **son**,  
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Isaiah 7:14



ישעה ז:יד

14 Therefore *adonai* himself shall give you a *sign*;...

לכן יתן אדני הוא לכם אות ...



Sign ↔ אות ↔ oat

o a t

ת ו א

alef א א God

vav ו י nail

tav ת † cross

† י א

God nailed to cross.

Isaiah 7:14



ישעה ז:יד

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הנה העלמה הרה וילדת בן  
וקראת שמו עמנו אל:

*immanu el*

עמנו אל

With us is *el*

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*almah*

עלמה

young woman

Song of Solomon 6:8    ✨ *almah* ✨    שיר השירים ו:ח

8 “There are sixty *queens* and eighty concubines,  
*And עלמות (almaot) maidens* without number;

ששים המה **מלכות** ושמונים פילגשים  
**ועלמות** אין מספר:



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*adonai*

**אדני**

Lord

**Believer Says: Adonai!**

**Believer Says: Adonai!**

**Agnostic Says: I dunno?**

**Believer Says: Adonai!**

**Agnostic Says: I dunno?**

**Atheist Says: I deny!**



*And Abraham fell on his face and he laughed, and said in his heart,  
"Will a child be born to a man one hundred years old?  
And will Sarah, who is ninety years old, bear a child?"*

*in his heart and he laughed on And fell  
וַיִּפֹּל אַבְרָהָם עַל פָּנָיו וַיִּצְחַק וַיֹּאמֶר בְּלִבּוֹ הַלְבֵן...  
old and said his face Abraham*

and he laughed ↔ וַיִּצְחַק ↔ and yitzhak

- |     |       |            |     |   |             |
|-----|-------|------------|-----|---|-------------|
| 18. | צ (ץ) | tsadi Tz   | 90  | ⚡ | Trap, Hunt  |
| 8.  | ח     | chet Ch, H | 8   | ⌘ | Wall, Fence |
| 19. | ק     | kuf Q      | 100 | ☀ | Sunrise     |

Abraham laughed at God's promised son  
so God had him name his son:

ק

*kuf*

ח

*chet*

8

צ

*tsadi*

י

*yod*

↔

He will laugh

*yitzhak*

Isaac

*het*

8

h

**Represents new beginnings.**

**After 7 days of Creation → A New Beginning.**

**8 people on the Ark**

**Noah, Shem, Ham, Japheth & their Wives**

**Do, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, La Ti → A New Octave.**

**Su, Mo, Tu, We, Th, Fr, Sa → A New Week.**

*Chayyim*    ם    י    י    ח    life

and begins with the 8<sup>th</sup> letter, *chet* ח

Genesis 2:7        בראשית ב:ז

*And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground,  
and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life;  
and man became a living soul.*

וייצר יהוה אלהים את-האדם עפר מן-האדמה  
ויפח באפיו נשמת חיים  
ויהי האדם לנפש חיה:



Life    ׅ    ח    chay

*yod*    *het*

$$10 + 8 = 18$$

*adam* → *yeshua* = 4000 yrs.  
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*yitzhak*

Isaac

8. ח *chet* Ch,H א Wall, Fence 8

**I**saac

יצחק

18. צ (ץ) *tsadi* Tz ז Trap, Hunt 90

19. ק *kuf* Q פ Sunrise, East 100

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100	8	90			Isaac

Abraham (100)      Sarah (90)



(8) New Life.

*On a prophetic level,  
we see many Jews of today  
laugh at yeshua,  
the promised messiah  
and Son of God.*



Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

**The Binding of Isaac**

*1 Now it came about after these things,  
that **God** tested **Abraham**, and said to him, “**Abraham!**”  
And he said, “Here am I.”*

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whom you **love**<sup>1</sup>, **Isaac**, and go to the land of **Moriah**,  
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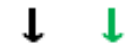
Genesis 6:8



בראשית ו:ח

*And Noah<sup>5</sup> found FAVOR in the eyes of the LORD.*

ונח מצא חן בעיני יהוה:



Favor / Grace

*chen*

חן

Noah

נח

*noach*

Noah

נח

*SDRAWKCAB*

חן

Grace.

Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

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***ahab***

א ה ב

**love**

**Father & Son Revealed**

Genesis 22:2



בראשית כב:ב

*2 He said, "Take now your **son**, your **only son**, whom you love, **Isaac**, and go to the land of **Moriah**, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains of which I will tell you."*

**2** ויאמר קח'נא את'בנך את'יחידך  
אשר'אהבת את'יצחק ולך'לך אל'ארץ המריה  
והעלהו שם לעלה  
על אחד ההרים אשר אמר אליך:

*yechid*

יחיד

Only one

Deuteronomy 6:4



דברים ו:ד

4 Hear, O Israel: The **LORD** our **God** is one **LORD**:

One yahweh our **GOD** yahweh Israel Hear

שמע ישראל יהוה אלהינו יהוה | אחד:

אחד One *echad*

↙ yahweh  
← our **GOD**  
↖ yahweh

Genesis 2:24



בראשית ב:כד

**24** *For this reason a man shall leave his father and his mother, and be joined to his wife; and they shall become **One** flesh.*

**24** על-כן יעזב-איש את-אביו ואת-אמו  
ודבק באשתו והיו לבשר **אחד** :



**אחד**

*echad*

**One**

**Two**



**אחד**



Genesis 22:2



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## Only Son

John 3:16



Ἰωάννης 3:16

*16 “For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten **Son**, that whoever believes in **Him** shall not perish, but have eternal life.*





Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

**3** *So Abraham rose early in the morning and saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him and Isaac his son; and he split wood for the burnt offering, and arose and went to the place of which God had told him.*

Genesis 22



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בראשית כב

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*naar*

נער

boy, young man, servant

Exodus 2:6



שמות ב:ו

*naar*

נער

**6** *When she opened it, she saw the child, and behold, the **boy** was crying. And she had pity on him and said, “This is one of the Hebrews’ children.”*

**6** ותפתח ותראהו את־הילד והנה־

**נער** בכה ותחמל עליו ותאמר מילדי העברים זה:

Baby

Boy

Young man

Servant

Soldier

2 Samuel 16:1



שמואל ב יו:א

**1** *And **David** had gone a short distance beyond the summit, there was Ziba, the **steward** of Mephibosheth,...*

**1** ודוד עבר מעט מהראש והנה

ציבא **נער** מפי־בשת...

Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

### *The Akedah*

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**4** On the *third* day *Abraham* raised his eyes and saw the place from a distance.

Jonah 1:17



יונה א:יז

**17** *And the **LORD** appointed a great fish to swallow **Jonah**,  
and Jonah was in the **stomach** of the fish  
three days and three nights.*

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Matthew 12:40



Μαθθαϊον 12:40

**40** *for just as  
**JONAH** WAS THREE DAYS AND THREE NIGHTS  
IN THE **BELLY** OF THE GREAT FISH,  
so will the **Son** of **Man** be  
three days and three nights in the **heart** of the **earth**.*



*5 Abraham said to his young men,  
 “Stay here with the donkey,  
 and I and the lad will go over there;  
 and we will worship and return to you.”*

5 ויאמר אברהם אל־נעריו  
 שבו־לכם פה עם־החמור  
 ואני והנער נלכה עד־כה  
 ונשתחוה ונשובה אליכם:

naar

נער

boy, young man, servant

**Genesis 1:1**

**בראשית א:א**

**Genesis**

**Exodus**

**Leviticus**

**Numbers**

**Deuteronomy**

 **Torah** 

**תורה**

**בראשית**

**שמות**

**ויקרא**

**במדבר**

**דברים**

**Deuteronomy 34:12**

**דברים לד:י**

*bereshit*

*shemot*

*vayikra*

*bamidbar*

*devarim*

# *torah* Portion of the **Week**

*parashat hashavua* פרשת השבוע

The *torah* has been divided into 54 sections.

<sup>1</sup> Gen 1:1 - 6:8	<i>bereshit</i>	בראשית	<b>In beginning</b>
<sup>2</sup> Gen 6:9 - 11:32	<i>noach</i>	נח	Noah
<sup>3</sup> Gen 12:1 - 17:27	<i>lek leka</i>	לך-לך	Go for you
<sup>4</sup> Gen 18:1 - 22:24	<i>vayeira</i>	וירא	Appeared
<sup>5</sup> Gen 23:1 - 25:18	<i>chayei sarah</i>	חיי שרה	Sarah
<sup>6</sup> Gen 25:19 - 28:9	<i>toldot</i>	תולדת	Generations
<sup>7</sup> Gen 28:10 - 32:3	<i>vayeitzel</i>	ויצא	He went out
<sup>8</sup> Gen 32:4 - 36:43	<i>vaylishlach</i>	וישלח	He sent
<sup>9</sup> Gen 37:1 - 40:23	<i>vayyeshev</i>	וישב	Dwelt
<sup>10</sup> Gen 41:1 - 44:17	<i>miqetz</i>	מקץ	At the end
<sup>11</sup> Gen 44:18 - 47:27	<i>vayigash</i>	ויגש	Came near
<sup>12</sup> Gen 47:28 - 50:26	<i>vayechi</i>	ויחי	Lived

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Genesis 18:1–22:24



בראשית יח:א-כב:כד

4

*vayeira*

וירא

Appeared

Chapter 18

Birth of **Isaac** Promised

Chapter 19

The Doom of **Sodom**

Lot & his Daughters

Chapter 20

**Abraham** & Abimelech

Chapter 21

**Isaac** Is Born

**Sarah** Turns against **Hagar**

Covenant with Abimelech

Chapter 22

*akedah*

The Binding of **Isaac**

# Option 1

**God** intervenes & stops sacrifice



# Option 1

**God** intervenes & stops sacrifice

# Option 2

**Son** is sacrificed & resurrected



**1** *Now the **LORD** said to **Abram**,  
“Go forth from your country,  
And from your relatives  
And from your father’s house,  
To the land which I will show you;*

**2** *And I will make you a great nation,  
And I will bless you,  
And make your name great;  
And so you shall be a blessing;*

**3** *And I will bless those who bless you,  
And the one who curses you I will curse.  
And in you all the families of the earth will be blessed.”*

Genesis 15:5-6



בראשית י"ה:ה-ו

**5** *And He [yahweh elohim] took him [Abram] outside and said, “Now look toward the heavens, and count the stars, if you are able to count them.” And He said to him, “So shall your descendants be.”*

**6** *Then he believed in the LORD; and He reckoned it to him as righteousness.*

Genesis 17:19



בראשית יז:יט

**19** *But **God** said, “No, but **Sarah** your wife will bear you a **son**, and you shall call his name **Isaac**; and I will establish My covenant with **him** for an everlasting covenant for **his** descendants after **him**.*

Genesis 21:12



בראשית כא:יב

*12 But **God** said to **Abraham**,  
“Do not be distressed because of the **lad** and your maid;  
whatever **Sarah** tells you, listen to **her**,  
for through **Isaac** your descendants shall be named.*

Hebrews 11:17-19    †    ΕΒΡΑΙΟΥΣ 11:17-19

**17** *By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac on the altar. He who had received the promises was ready to offer his one and only son, 18 even though God had said to him, “THROUGH ISAAC YOUR OFFSPRING WILL BE NAMED.” 19 Abraham reasoned that God could raise the dead, and in a sense, he did receive Isaac back from death.*

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# Option 1

**God** intervenes & stops sacrifice

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**Son** is sacrificed & resurrected

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**יצחק**

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# 6 Day War

# God's Plan



**Physical**

If **Isaac** is Sacrificed,  
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# The Patriarchs

*avraham* אברהם Abraham

*yitzhak* יצחק Isaac

*yacov* יעקב Jacob

*yitzhak*

יצחק

**Isaac**

*Akeidah*

**Genesis 22**

**The Blessing of his Sons**

**Genesis 27**

**Abraham**

**Leaves**  
**Israel**

**Born in Ur**

**Goes to Egypt  
because of  
a famine.**

**Isaac**

**Stays**  
**Home**

**Jacob**

**Leaves**  
**Israel**

**Escapes Esau's  
wrath in mother's  
native land**

**Dies in Egypt.**

Genesis 24:6



בראשית כד:ו

**5** *The **servant** said to **him**,  
“Suppose the woman is not willing to follow **me** to this land;  
should **I** take **your son** back to the land  
from where **you** came?”*

**6** *Then **Abraham** said to **him**,  
“Beware that **you** do not take **my son** back there!”*





**1** *Now there was a famine in the land, besides the previous famine that had occurred in the days of **Abraham**. So **Isaac** went to Gerar, to Abimelech king of the Philistines.*

**2** *The **LORD** appeared to him and said, “Do not go down to Egypt; stay in the land of which I shall tell you.*

**3** *“Sojourn in this land and I will be with you and bless you, for to you and to your descendants I will give all these lands, and I will establish the oath which I swore to your father **Abraham**.*

**Abraham**

**Leaves**

**Israel**

**Extra**

**Wives**

**Sarah**  
**Keturah**

**Isaac**

**Stays**

**Home**

**One**

**Wife**

**Rebekah**

**Jacob**

**Leaves**

**Israel**

**Extra**

**Wives**

**Leah**  
**Rachel**

**Abraham**

**Leaves**  
**Israel**

**Extra**  
**Wives**

**Name**  
**Changed**

**Isaac**

**Stays**  
**Home**

**One**  
**Wife**

**Same**  
**Name**

**Jacob**

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**Israel**

**Extra**  
**Wives**

**Name**  
**Changed**

Genesis 18:19



בראשית י"ז:ט

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Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

*6 Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on Isaac his son, and he took in his hand the fire and the knife. So the two of them walked on together.*

Mark 14:33-36 † ἄρκον 14:33-36

**33** *And **He** took with **Him** Peter and James and John,  
and began to be very distressed and troubled.*

**34** *And **He** said to them,  
“**My** soul is deeply grieved to the point of death;  
remain here and keep watch.”*

**35** *And **He** went a little beyond them,  
and fell to the ground and began to pray  
that if it were possible, the hour might pass **Him** by.*

**36** *And **He** was saying, “**Abba! Father!**  
All things are possible for **You**;  
remove this cup from **Me**;  
yet not what **I** will, but what **You** will.”*

Genesis 22



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**6 Abraham** took the **wood** of the burnt offering and laid it on **Isaac** his **son**, and he took in his hand the fire and the knife.  
*So the two of them walked on together.*

John 19:17



Ἰωάννης 19:17

**17** And **He** bearing **His** cross went forth into a place called  
*the place of the skull,*  
*which is called in the Hebrew Golgotha:*



Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

*7 Isaac spoke to Abraham his father and said, “My father!” And he said, “Here I am, my son.” And he said, “Behold, the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb for the burnt offering?”*

*8 Abraham said, “God Himself will provide the lamb for the burnt offering, my son.” So the two of them walked on together.*

Genesis 22:7-8



בראשית כב:ז-ח

*7 Isaac spoke to Abraham his father and said, “My father!”*

*And he said, “Here I am, my son.”*

*And he said, “Behold, the fire and the wood,  
but where is the lamb for the burnt offering?”*

*8 And Abraham said, “God will provide Himself  
the lamb for the burnt offering, my son.”*

*So the two of them walked on together.*

8 ויאמר אברהם אלהים יראה'לו

השה לעלה בני

וילכו שניהם יחדו:



*7 He was oppressed and He was afflicted,  
Yet He did not open His mouth;  
Like a lamb that is led to slaughter,  
And like a sheep that is silent before its shearers,  
So He did not open His mouth.*

7 נגש והוא נענה  
ולא יפתח פיו  
כשה לטבח יובל  
וכרחל לפני גזזיה נאלמה  
ולא יפתח פיו:

John 1:29      †      ΙΩΑΝΝΗΝ 1:29

**29** *The next day he saw **Jesus** coming to him and said,  
“Behold, the Lamb of **God**  
who takes away the sin of the world!*

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**Revelation 14:4,000**      **†**      **ΑΠΟΚΑΛΥΨΙΣ 14:4**

**4** *These are the ones who have not been defiled with women,  
for they have kept themselves chaste.  
These are the ones who follow the Lamb wherever He goes.  
These have been purchased from among men  
as first fruits to **God** and to the Lamb.*

John 8:31-33



Ἰωάννης 8:31-33

*31 So **Jesus** was saying to those Jews who had believed **Him**,  
“If you continue in **My** word, then you are truly disciples of **Mine**;*

*32 and you will know **the truth**,  
and **the truth** will make you free.”*

*33 They answered **Him**, “We are **Abraham**’s descendants  
and have never yet been enslaved to anyone;  
how is it that **You** say, ‘You will become free?’”*

**34** *Jesus* answered them, “Truly, truly, **I** say to you, everyone who commits sin is the slave of sin.

**35** “The slave does not remain in the house forever; the **son** does remain forever.

**36** “So if the **Son** makes you free, you will be free indeed.

**37** “**I** know that you are **Abraham**’s descendants; yet you seek to kill **Me**, because **My** word has no place in you.

**38** “**I** speak the things which **I** have seen with **My Father**; therefore you also do the things which you heard from your father.”

**39** *They answered and said to **Him**, “**Abraham** is our father.”  
**Jesus** said to them, “If you are **Abraham**’s children,  
do the deeds of **Abraham**.*

**40** *“But as it is, you are seeking to kill **Me**,  
a man who has told you **the truth**,  
which **I** heard from **God**; this **Abraham** did not do.*

**41** *“You are doing the deeds of your father.”  
They said to **Him**, “We were not born of fornication;  
we have one Father: **God**.”*



*42 Jesus said to them,*

*“If **God** were your **Father**, you would love **Me**,  
for **I** proceeded forth and have come from **God**,  
for **I** have not even come on **My** own initiative, but **He** sent **Me**.*

*43 “Why do you not understand what **I** am saying?  
It is because you cannot hear **My** word.*

*44 “You are of your father the devil,  
and you want to do the desires of your father.  
He was a murderer from the beginning,  
and does not stand in the **truth** because there is no **truth** in him.  
Whenever he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own nature,  
for he is a liar and the father of lies.*

**45** *“But because **I** speak the **truth**,  
you do not believe **Me**.”*

**46** *“Which one of you convicts **Me** of sin?  
If **I** speak **truth**, why do you not believe **Me**?”*

**47** *“He who is of **God** hears the words of **God**;  
for this reason you do not hear them,  
because you are not of **God**.”*

**48** *The Jews answered and said to **Him**,  
“Do we not say rightly that **You** are a Samaritan  
and have a demon?”*

John 8:49-51



Ἰωάννης 8:49-51

**49** *Jesus* answered, “**I** do not have a demon;  
but **I** honor **My Father**, and you dishonor **Me**.

**50** “But **I** do not seek **My** glory;  
there is **One** who seeks and judges.

**51** “Truly, truly, **I** say to you,  
if anyone keeps **My** word he will never see death.”

John 8:52-53



Ἰωάννης 8:52-53

*52 The Jews said to **Him**,*

*“Now we know that **You** have a demon.*

***Abraham** died, and the prophets also; and **You** say,  
‘If anyone keeps **My** word, he will never taste of death.’*

*53 “Surely **You** are not greater than our father **Abraham**,  
who died? The prophets died too;  
whom do **You** make **Yourself** out to be?”*

John 8:54-56



Ἰωάννης 8:54-56

**54** *Jesus* answered, “If **I** glorify **Myself**,  
**My** glory is nothing; it is **My Father** who glorifies **Me**,  
of whom you say, ‘**He** is our God’;

**55** and you have not come to know **Him**, but **I** know **Him**;  
and if **I** say that **I** do not know **Him**, **I** will be a liar like you,  
but **I** do know **Him** and keep **His** word.

**56** “Your father **Abraham** rejoiced to see **My** day,  
and he saw it and was glad.”

John 8:56-59



Ἰωάννης 8:56-59

**56** *“Your father **Abraham** rejoiced to see **My** day, and he saw it and was glad.”*

**57** *So the Jews said to **Him**, “**You** are not yet fifty years old, and have **You** seen **Abraham**?”*

**58** *Jesus said to them, “Truly, truly, **I** say to you, before **Abraham** was born, **I am**.”*

**59** *Therefore they picked up stones to throw at **Him**, but **Jesus** hid **Himself** and went out of the temple.*

Isaiah 41:8



ישעה מא:ח

8 "But you, Israel, *My servant*, Jacob whom I have chosen,  
Descendant of *Abraham My friend*,

8 ואתה ישראל עבדי יעקב אשר בחרתיך  
זרע אברהם אהבי:

*My friend*

אהבי

James 2:23



Ἰάκωβος 2:23

**23** *and the Scripture was fulfilled which says,  
"AND ABRAHAM BELIEVED GOD, AND IT WAS  
RECKONED TO HIM AS RIGHTEOUSNESS,"  
and he was called the friend of God.*



John 15:12-15



Ἰωάννης 15:12-15

**12** *“This is My commandment, that you love one another, just as I have loved you.*

**13** *“Greater love has no one than this, that one lay down his life for his **friends**.*

**14** *“You are My **friends** if you do what I command you.*

**15** *“No longer do I call you **servants**, for the **servant** does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you **friends**, for all things that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you.”—**yeshua***

Genesis 22:8



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב:ח

*The Akedah*

*8 Abraham said,*

*“**God** Himself will provide the lamb  
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*So the two of them walked on together.*

John 8:56



Ἰωάννης 8:56

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Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

**9** Then they came to the place of which **God** had told him; and **Abraham** built the altar there and arranged the **wood**, and bound his **son Isaac** and laid him on the altar, on top of the **wood**.

**10** **Abraham** stretched out his hand and took the knife to slay his **son**.

**11** But the ~~angel~~ messenger of the **LORD** called to him from heaven and said, “**Abraham, Abraham!**” And he said, “Here am I.”

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"Abraham, Abraham!" And he said, "Here am I."—Genesis 22:11*

*God spoke to Israel in visions of the night and said,  
"Jacob, Jacob." And he said, "Here am I."—Genesis 46:2*

*When the LORD saw that he turned aside to look,  
God called to him from the midst of the bush and said,  
"Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here am I."—Exodus 3:4*

*Then the LORD came and stood and called as at other times, "Samuel! Samuel!"  
And Samuel said, "Speak, for Your servant is listening."—1 Samuel 3:10*

*But the Lord answered and said to her, "**Martha, Martha,**  
you are worried and bothered about so many things;—Luke 10:41*

*"**Simon, Simon,** behold, Satan has demanded permission to sift you like wheat,  
—Luke 22:31*

*and he fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him,  
"**Saul, Saul,** why are you persecuting Me?"—Acts 9:4*

*"Abraham, Abraham!" "Here am I."—Genesis 22:11*

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*"Jerusalem, Jerusalem, who kills the prophets  
and stones those who are sent to her!  
How often I wanted to gather your children together,  
the way a hen gathers her chicks under her wings,  
and you were unwilling.—Matthew 23:37*

*"Not everyone who says to **Me**,  
'**Lord, Lord**,' will enter the kingdom of heaven,  
but he who does the will of **My Father** who is in heaven will enter.  
—Matthew 7:21*

*At the ninth hour **Jesus** cried out with a loud voice,  
"**ELOI, ELOI, LAMA SABACHTHANI?**" which is translated,  
"**MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAVE YOU FORSAKEN ME?**"  
—Mark 15:34*

Genesis 22



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בראשית כב

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**Christophany**  
**The Road to Damascus**

Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

**12** *He* said, “Do not stretch out your hand against the **lad**, and do nothing to him; for now **I** know that you fear **God**, since you have not withheld your **son**, your only **son**, from **Me**.”

**13** Then **Abraham** raised his eyes and looked, and behold, behind him a ram caught in the thicket by his horns; and **Abraham** went and took the ram and offered him up for a burnt offering in the place of his **son**.

*naar*

נער

boy, young man, servant

Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

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## Genesis 23



בראשית כג

**1** *Now Sarah lived one hundred and twenty-seven years; these were the years of the life of Sarah.*

## Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

**6** *Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on Isaac his son, and he took in his hand the fire and the knife. So the two of them walked on together.*

Genesis 22:13



בראשית כב:יג

**13** *Then **Abraham** raised his eyes and looked, and behold, behind him a ram caught in the **thicket** by his horns; and **Abraham** went and took the ram and offered him up for a burnt offering in the place of his **son**.*

Genesis 22:13



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**SUBSTITUTE SACRIFICE IN THORNS**

Exodus 3:2



שמות ג:ב

*2 The angel of the **LORD** appeared to him in a blazing fire from the midst of a **bush**; and he looked, and behold, the bush was burning with fire, yet the bush was not consumed.*

# GOD IN THORNS

Exodus 3:2



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**Judgment**—*the bush was burning with fire,*  
**Mercy**—*yet the bush was not consumed.*



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**GOD IN THORNS**

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## GOD IN THORNS

Exodus 3:2    **Burning Bush**    שמות ג:ב

## SUBSTITUTE & GOD IN THORNS

Mark 15:17    †    ἀρκον15:17

*17 They dressed **Him** [yeshua] up in purple,  
and after twisting **a crown of thorns**,  
they put it on Him;*

Genesis 22



ה ע ק ד ה



בראשית כב

*The Akedah*

*14 Abraham called the name of that place  
The **LORD** Will Provide, as it is said to this day,  
“In the mount of the **LORD** it will be provided.”*

ויקרא אברהם שם-המקום ההוא

יהוה יראה אשר יאמר היום

בהר יהוה יראה:

*yeraeh*

*yahweh*

*behar*

it will be provided.

of **yahweh**

In the mount

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