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HOW FAITH WORKS UNDER GOD'S LEADERSHIP

Genesis 24:1-9

Three life lessons

1. FAITH IN GOD OPERATES IN OUR ORDINARY LIFE.

¹ Abraham was now very old, and the LORD had blessed him in every way.

Genesis 18:1

¹ The Lord appeared to Abraham near the great trees of Mamre while he was sitting at the entrance to his tent in the heat of the day.

2. FAITH IN GOD BRINGS OUT DETERMINATION TO FOLLOW GOD'S PRINCIPLES IN LIFE.

³ I want you to swear by the LORD, the God of heaven and the God of earth, that you will not get a wife for my son from the daughters of the Canaanites, among whom I am living,
⁴ but will go to my country and my own relatives and get a wife for my son Isaac."

Genesis 24:7

⁷ "The LORD, the God of heaven, who brought me out of my father's household and my native land and who spoke to me and promised me on oath, saying, 'To your offspring I will give

this land' - he will send his angel before you so that you can get a wife for my son from there.

Romans 3:20

²⁰ Therefore no one will be declared righteous in his sight by observing the law; rather, through the law we become conscious of sin.

3. FAITH IN GOD RUNS IN AGREEMENT AMONG GOD'S PEOPLE.

⁸ If the woman is unwilling to come back with you, then you will be released from this oath of mine. Only do not take my son back there."

⁹ So the servant put his hand under the thigh of his master Abraham and swore an oath to him concerning this matter.

John 1:14

¹⁴ The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.