



CALLING OF ABRAM

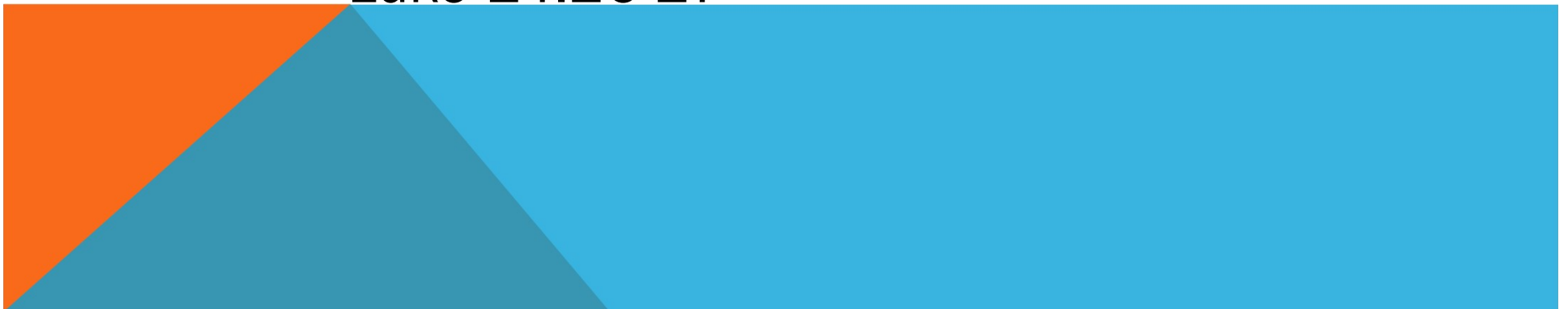
GEN 12:1-3

“GO”

Importance of God’s Calling and Will

“²⁶ “If anyone comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple.
²⁷ Whoever does not bear his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple.”

- Luke 14:26-27



GOD'S CALLING

¹⁷ The LORD said, “Shall I hide from Abraham what I am about to do, ¹⁸ seeing that Abraham shall surely become a great and mighty nation, and all the nations of the earth shall be blessed in him? ¹⁹ For I have chosen him, that he may command his children and his household after him to keep the way of the LORD by doing righteousness and justice, so that the LORD may bring to Abraham what he has promised him.”

- Gen. 18:17-19





GOD'S WILL

“In study of the Divine word, I saw that the apostolic plan was not to raise ways and means, but to go and do the work, trusting His sure word who has said, ‘seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you.’”

- Hudson Taylor





PATRIARCHAL JOURNEYS TO AND FROM HARRAN

- Place from which God calls Abraham
- ← Abraham migrates from Ur of the Chaldeans to Harran (North view)
- ← Abraham migrates from Ur of the Chaldeans to Harran (South view)
- ← Abraham migrates from Harran to the promised land (*Gen. 12:4ff*)
- ← Eliezer brings Rebekah from Paddan-Aram (Harran) to marry Isaac (*Gen. 24:50ff*)
- ← Jacob returns to Shechem from Paddan-Aram (Harran) (*Gen. 33:1ff*)

THE BLESSINGS

Make him a great nation and God will
bless him and make his name great

He would be a blessing



APPLICATION

He was chosen

He is the means of special revelation to lead to
God's salvation

Christ is the ultimate special revelation

Make disciples as we are going

