

Genesis 22: 18 — “. . . and through your offspring all nations on earth will be blessed, because you have obeyed me.”

Genesis 17: 9 — 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.” (NASB)

The covenant between God and Abraham is confirmed with Isaac

Genesis 26: 3 & 4 — 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. ⁴ “I will multiply your descendants as the stars of heaven, and will give your descendants all these lands; and by your descendants all the nations of the earth shall be blessed.”

The covenant between God and Abraham is again confirmed with Jacob, Isaac’s son

Genesis 35: 10 – 12 — ¹⁰ God said to him, “Your name is Jacob, but you will no longer be called Jacob; your name will be Israel.” So he named him Israel. ¹¹ And God said to him, “I am God Almighty; be fruitful and multiply. A nation and a community of nations will come from you, and kings will come from your body. ¹² The land I gave to Abraham and Isaac I also give to you, and I will give this land to your descendants after you.”

CLUE #4 – He will be from the _____

Genesis 49: 8 – 12 — ⁸ “Judah, your brothers will praise you; your hand will be on the neck of your enemies; your father’s sons will bow down to you. ⁹ You are a lion’s cub, O Judah; you return from the prey, my son. Like a lion he crouches and lies down, like a lioness — who dares to rouse him? ¹⁰ The scepter will not depart from Judah, nor the ruler’s staff from between his feet, until he comes to whom it belongs and the obedience of the nations is his. ¹¹ He will tether his donkey to a vine, his colt to the choicest branch; he will wash his garments in wine, his robes in the blood of grapes. ¹² His eyes will be darker than wine, his teeth whiter than milk.

CLUE #5 – He will be from the _____

1 Samuel 8 – 10; 1 Samuel 15 & 16

¹ A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse; from his roots a Branch will bear fruit. ² The Spirit of the Lord will rest on him — the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of power, the Spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord. Isaiah 11: 1 & 2

CLUE #6 – He will be a descendant _____

1 Samuel 16

¹¹ “The Lord declares to you that the Lord himself will establish a house for you: ¹² When your days are over and you rest with your fathers, I will raise up your offspring to succeed you, who will come from your own body, and I will establish his kingdom. ¹³ He is the one who will build a house for my Name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. ¹⁴ I will be his father, and he will be my son. When he does wrong, I will punish him with the rod of men, with floggings inflicted by men. ¹⁵ But my love will never be taken away from him, as I took it away from Saul, whom I removed from before you. ¹⁶ Your house and your kingdom will endure forever before me; your throne will be established forever.” 2 Samuel 7: 11 – 16

¹ When Athaliah the mother of Ahaziah saw that her son was dead, she proceeded to destroy the whole royal family. ² But Jehosheba, the daughter of King Jehoram and sister of Ahaziah, took Joash son of Ahaziah and stole him away from among the royal princes, who were about to be murdered. She put him and his nurse in a bedroom to hide him from Athaliah; so he was not killed. ³ He remained hidden with his nurse at the temple of the Lord for six years while Athaliah ruled the land. 2 Kings 11: 1 – 3



CLUE #7 – He will be born _____

As for you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, seemingly insignificant among the clans of Judah – from you a king will emerge who will rule over Israel on my behalf, one whose origins are in the distant past. (NET Bible) Micah 5:2

CLUE #7 – He will be born _____

The Story of the Promise Part 1

HOW DO YOU KNOW?

“I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel.” Genesis 3:15

CLUE #1 – He will be _____

“He will crush your head, and you will strike his heel.”

CLUE #2 – He will be _____

Genesis 9:26 & 27 — 26 . . . “Blessed be the Lord, the God of Shem! May Canaan be the slave of Shem. 27 May God extend the territory of Japheth; may Japheth live in the tents of Shem, and may Canaan be his slave.”

CLUE #3 – He will be _____

Covenant made by God with Abraham

Genesis 12: 1 – 3 —¹ The Lord had said to Abram, “Leave your country, your people and your father’s household and go to the land I will show you.”² “I will make you into a great nation and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing.”³ I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.”

Genesis 17: 2 – 7 —² “I will confirm my covenant between me and you and will greatly increase your numbers.”³ Abram fell facedown, and God said to him,⁴ “As for me, this is my covenant with you: You will be the father of many nations.”⁵ No longer will you be called Abram; your name will be Abraham, for I have made you a father of many nations.⁶ I will make you very fruitful; I will make nations of you, and kings will come from you.⁷ I will establish my covenant as an everlasting covenant between me and you and your descendants after you for the generations to come, to be your God and the God of your descendants after you.