



Abraham and the Big Move

God calls Abram to a new home he has never seen

Story #4 | Ages 4–10 | Genesis 12–15

1 Abram's Comfortable Home

Scripture: Genesis 11:27-32, 12:1 | Theme: Knowing the real God in a confusing world

A Cozy Life



Abram had a **cozy** home. He had sheep, cows, and a nice place to sleep. He even had money and cousins and friends.

But there was one *big* problem.

Everyone around him prayed to **stone statues** that couldn't hear, couldn't see, and couldn't help!

Abram knew something they had forgotten:

There is **ONE** real God! ★

"Now the LORD said to Abram..." — Genesis 12:1

Looking to the Stars



Abram loved looking at the **stars**.

He knew the God who made the stars was way bigger than any statue.

And because Abram was listening, God chose **him** for a very special job.

Stargazer Test

Look out your window tonight. Find the **brightest** star. Now remember — God made ALL of them, and He knows every star by name!

Tiny Truth

Being different from everyone around you is **brave**. Abram believed in the ONE true God, even when it was strange!

2 The Big Call!

Scripture: Genesis 12:1-4 | Theme: Leaving comfort to follow God

 **Go!**



One day, God spoke directly to Abram:

 **GOD SAYS:**

"Leave your comfy home. Leave your family.
Leave everything you know. GO to the place I will
show you!"

Abram didn't even get a **MAP!**
But he had something better than a map...

 **ABRAM SAYS:**

"I will go, God. I trust You!"

And Abram meant it. He was ready to obey — even
when he didn't know where to stop!

Pack Your Trust Backpack

If you had to move to a new home tomorrow, what
would be **hard** to leave behind?
Now think: what can you **always** take with you?
(God's love, your prayers, your faith!)

★ The Star Promise



God gave Abram a giant promise:

 **GOD SAYS:**

"I will bless you! Your family will be as many as the
STARS in the sky! And through you, ALL the
families of the earth will be blessed!"

Abram wasn't young. Sarai wasn't young. They had
no children.

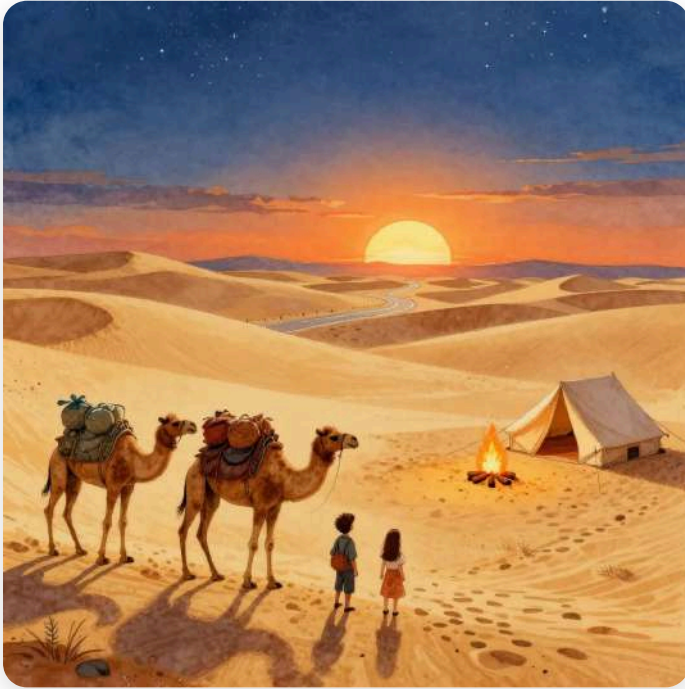
But God promised more family than stars!

*"Abram went, as the LORD had told him." —
Genesis 12:4*

Tiny Truth

God's promises don't always make *sense* right
away. But when God says something, He **always**
does it — even if we have to wait!

Camel Rides & Campfires



Abram packed his **camels**. Sarai packed her things.
They walked and walked and **WALKED**.
Through **hot** deserts.
Over **sandy** hills.
Under **starry** skies.
They didn't know exactly where to stop.
But every single step was a step of **TRUST**.

Count the Stars

Lie on your back and count stars. Can you get to **50**?
To **100**?
God promised Abram **MORE** family than **ALL** those stars. That's a LOT!

Building Thank-You Altars



Every time Abram found a new place to rest, he did something special.
He piled up **stones** into a little tower called an **altar**.
Then he thanked God.

GOD SAYS:

"I will give this land to your family, Abram."

Abram didn't own the land yet. But he **believed** God would keep His promise.
That's what **FAITH** looks like:
Building an altar *before* you get the gift!

*"There Abram built an altar to the LORD." —
Genesis 12:7*

Tiny Truth

We don't need to see the **whole path**. We just need to trust the **Guide**!

4 The Promise Comes True!

Scripture: Genesis 15:1-6, 21:1-7 | Theme: Faith and the amazing family of God

✨ Believing the Impossible



One night, God took Abram outside.

✨ GOD SAYS:

"Look up, Abram! Count the stars if you can!"

Abram looked at **millions** of tiny lights.

"That's how BIG your family will be!" God said.

Abram smiled. He **BELIEVED**.

He didn't have a baby yet. He was very old.

But when God makes a promise, He **keeps** it.

"And he believed the LORD, and He counted it to him as righteousness." — Genesis 15:6

🪨 Build Your Own Altar

Collect small rocks or stones. Stack them up.

Put a paper tag between them that says: "Thank You God!"

Every time you pass it, remember: *God keeps His promises!*

😊 The Amazing Family Tree



Many, many years later — **Isaac was born!** 😊

God's *impossible* promise came **true!**

From Isaac came **Jacob**.

From Jacob came **12 sons**... then a whole **nation**...
and from that nation came

✨ **JESUS!** ✨

Abram couldn't see it all.

But his **faith** started a family that would bless the *whole world!*

✨ The Faith Secret

Believing God is called **FAITH**. And faith is what makes ordinary people like you, me, and Abram into **HEROES** of God's big story!

★ Starry Night Promise Jar

1. Find a clean jar with a lid.
2. Paint the inside with glow-in-the-dark paint or glue silver star stickers inside.
3. Write God's promise on a paper strip: "I will bless you!" — Genesis 12:2
4. Tape it to the outside of the jar.
5. Set it by your bed. At night, shake it gently and remember — God keeps His promises in the dark!

🪨 "Thank You God" Altar Stones

1. Go outside and find 5-7 small smooth stones or rocks.
2. Use a marker to write ONE word of thanks on each stone (e.g., "Food," "Family," "Jesus," "Home").
3. Stack them like Abram's altar on a shelf.
4. Each time you add a stone, say "Thank You God for _____!"
5. (Optional): Paint them with bright colors first!

Memory Verse Song (Tune: "Twinkle Twinkle"):

*"Abram, Abram, trust the Lord,
Leave your comfy, cozy home,
Stars above and sand below,
Trust in God and He will show!"*

👨👩👦 Family Discussion Time

1. What did Abram have to leave behind when God said "Go"? What would be hardest for you to leave?
2. Have you ever been scared to try something new? How can Abram's story help you find courage?
3. Abram didn't get a map — he only got a PROMISE. Why was that enough?
4. God said Abram's family would be as many as the STARS. How big is that promise? Can you even imagine it?
5. Isaac was born when it seemed impossible. What does that teach us about God's promises and His timing?
6. Abram's family eventually led to JESUS! How did Abram's faith bless the whole world?

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When God Says "Go," He Already Knows the Way!

You don't need a map.
You don't need to know the end.
You just need to trust
the One who calls you.
And He is **trustworthy**. ✨

📖 Next in this Series:

Isaac and the Long Wait

God's promise comes true — when the time is perfect!

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