

# Bible Study: “You Will Find It On The Mountain!”

**Main Text:** *Genesis 22:1–14*

## Introduction & Context

Abraham, the father of faith, is tested by God with an unimaginable request: to sacrifice his son Isaac. This mountain-top experience isn't just about sacrifice—it's about **trust**, **testing**, and **the revelation of God as Provider**.

God brings us to the mountain not to take something from us, but to **show us something about Himself**—His provision, His purpose, and His power.

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## Key Points from the Sermon:

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### I. God's Tests Always Come With Purpose

- Genesis 22:1 — “*God did tempt (test) Abraham...*”
  - Hebrew: *nacah* = to test, try, prove.
  - God doesn't test to destroy you; He tests to **develop** you.
  - Faith is not forged in comfort—it's forged in challenge.
  - Every test is an invitation to see God in a **new way**.
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### II. Obedience Unlocks Revelation

- Genesis 22:3 — Abraham *rose up early* and went.
- He didn't delay or debate. He **obeyed immediately**.
- Delayed obedience is disobedience.

- Revelation of God as **Jehovah Jireh** doesn't come at the base—it comes on the **mountain** of obedience.
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### III. Provision is Found in Position

- Genesis 22:13 — The ram was **already in place**, but Abraham had to be **in position** to see it.
  - When you walk in obedience, you align with what God has **already provided**.
  - You won't find what God has for you **off the path**—you'll find it in the place He called you to go.
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### IV. The Mountain is a Place of Revelation

- Genesis 22:14 — *“In the mount of the Lord it shall be seen.”*
  - The mountain was not just a place of testing, it became a place of **testimony**.
  - What you thought would break you will become the place where God **blesses** you.
  - The same place of sacrifice becomes the place of **supernatural supply**.
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#### **Devotional Thought:**

Sometimes God will call you to walk up a mountain that doesn't make sense—don't look for the ram before the climb. Walk by **faith**, not by sight. What you're praying for is already waiting—you just have to keep climbing.

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### **Bible Study Questions (with Scripture References)**

#### **Observation:**

1. What was God's initial command to Abraham? (*Genesis 22:2*)
2. How did Abraham respond to God's instruction? (*Genesis 22:3–5*)
3. What did Abraham say to Isaac when asked about the offering? (*Genesis 22:7–8*)
4. What happened when Abraham was about to sacrifice Isaac? (*Genesis 22:10–12*)
5. What did Abraham find caught in the thicket? (*Genesis 22:13*)
6. What name did Abraham give the place? (*Genesis 22:14*)

### **Interpretation:**

7. What does this story teach us about the nature of God's tests?
8. How does Abraham's response reflect his trust in God?
9. Why do you think the provision wasn't revealed until the last moment?
10. What can we learn about the connection between obedience and provision?

### **Application:**

11. Have you ever experienced a moment where obedience revealed God's provision?
12. What "mountain" is God calling you to climb in this season of your life?
13. In what areas of your life is God asking you to trust Him without full understanding?
14. How can you stay encouraged when the test feels overwhelming?
15. What can you do this week to walk in radical obedience like Abraham?

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### **Closing Prayer: Jehovah Jireh, Our Provider**

*Lord, we thank You for being Jehovah Jireh—the God who provides. Teach us to trust You even when we don't see the way. Help us to climb in faith, obey in confidence, and stand in awe when*

*You show up. We believe that what we need is already on the mountain. Give us the strength to keep walking until we see it. In Jesus' name, Amen.*