

The Story of Abraham

A Life Full of Years

Genesis 25:1-18; cf. Hebrews 11.

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The Blunt Truth

- All of us will die.
- We will be judged for the way we live our lives.

Abraham's Example

- Abraham modeled a meaningful life.
- A life full of years is measured by faithfulness to God.

A Renewed Mindset

- Do not get too comfortable here on earth.

“All the things that have ever deeply possessed your soul have been but hints of it – tantalizing glimpses, promises never quite fulfilled, echoes that died away just as they caught your ear. But if it should really become manifest – if there ever came an echo that did not die away but swelled into the sound itself – you would know it. Beyond all possibility of doubt you would say ‘Here at last is the thing I was made for.’” – C.S. Lewis, *The Problem of Pain*

- Pursue faithfulness by aiming your eyes toward heaven.