



# Sermon Highlights

## **El Shaddai: The Call to a Covenant of Faith**

### **Sermon Summary:**

This sermon delves into Genesis 17:1-14, where God reveals Himself to Abraham as El Shaddai, the Almighty, All-Sufficient One. Through this encounter, God establishes a covenant with Abraham, emphasizing faith as the means to righteousness. The sermon examines the significance of Abraham's name change and the covenant sign of circumcision, illustrating the journey from living by flesh to living by faith. It challenges believers to place their trust in God's sufficiency and to remain patient for His promises, reflecting true worship and dedication to God's plan.

### **Key Points:**

- God's revelation as El Shaddai, the Almighty and All-Sufficient One
- The covenant with Abraham as a foundation for understanding faith-based righteousness
- The significance of Abraham's name change and the transformation it represents
- Circumcision as a sign of the covenant, symbolizing generational faith and obedience
- The importance of patiently waiting for God's promises and not relying on fleshly solutions
- True worship involves acknowledging God's sufficiency and trusting His provision

### **Scripture Reference:**

- Genesis 17:1-14
- Hebrews 8:10 (referencing the new covenant)

**Stories:**

- God's 13-year silence and the renewal of His promise to Abraham
- The change from Abram to Abraham and its spiritual significance
- Abraham's journey of faith and the lessons of reliance on God's promises
- The imagery of a mother's nurturing care to illustrate God's sufficiency
- Modern application of the covenant and its lessons for today's believers