

# GENESIS 21:1-34

“SEEING GOD IN CHAOS”

SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE



LET'S TALK!

## #1 GOD IS FAITHFUL AND TRUE

- How does Genesis 21:1-7 show us God is faithful and true?
- Why was the birth of Isaac such a miracle?
- Read Romans 4:18-21. What does the phrase, “In hope Abraham believed against hope?”
- God is 100% faithful and true. How does understanding that about God impact your faith?

## #2 GOD IS GRACIOUS AND MERCIFUL

- How does Genesis 21:8-21 show us God is gracious and merciful?
- Why was there a division between Sarah and Hagar, and why did God agree that Hagar and Ishmael should leave?
- How did God show grace both to Isaac and Ishmael?
- How does understanding that God is gracious and merciful impact you?

## #3 GOD IS ETERNAL AND UNCHANGEABLE

- How does Genesis 21:22-34 show us that God is eternal and unchangeable?
- Compare and contrast Abraham’s initial meeting with Abimelech in Genesis 20:9-12 with 21:22-34.
- Why did Abraham plant a tree and what did it represent about God?
- God is eternal, bound by nothing, and never changes. How does understanding that about God give you hope and encourage you?