

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2016

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**“THE WALK OF FAITH”**

**“THE PROMISE OF GOD AND THE PATH OF THE PATRIARCHS”**

*Part 2 of the Book of Genesis (Chapters 12-50)*

**PART 38**

**“IF ONLY... THE EPITAPH OF A REGRETTABLE LIFE & LEGACY”**

*“Lot’s Last Chapter: The Odious Ending to a Tragic Tale”*

*(Genesis 19:30-38)*

**INTRODUCTION:**

**PREVIOUSLY: THE COMPELLING CONTRASTS OF GENESIS 18 & 19:**

1. Abraham & the faithful promise of God is set in contrast to Lot & the false promise of the world.

*“...all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eyes, the boastful pride of life, is not from the Father, but is from the world. The world is passing away, and also its lusts...”*

—1 John 2:16, 17a

2. Abraham, the committed righteous man standing in the gap for the wicked city is set in contrast to Lot, the compromised righteous man sitting in the gate of the wicked city.

*“I searched for a man among them who would build up the wall and stand in the gap before Me for the land, so that I would not destroy it; but I found no one.”*

—Ezekiel 22:30

**TODAY: THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF GENESIS 18 & 19:**

*“For they sow the wind  
And they reap the whirlwind.”*

—Hosea 8:7a

*“Sow with a view to righteousness, Reap in accordance with kindness;  
Break up your fallow ground, For it is time to seek the LORD  
Until He comes to rain righteousness on you.”*

—Hosea 10:12

*“Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, this he will also reap. For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life.”*

—Galatians 6:7, 8

## LAST WEEK: THE SAD STORY OF LOT:

1B. Lot's Vexation ...that Resulted from his Decision to Live in Sodom (19:1-11)

2B. Lot's Hesitation ... Reflected in his Disappointment in Leaving Sodom. (19:12-16)

3B. Lot's Negotiation ... that Revealed his Determination to not fully Let go of Sodom. (19:17-22)

## TODAY: THE SAD & \_\_\_\_\_ STORY OF LOT \_\_\_\_\_:

4B. Lot's \_\_\_\_\_ ... (19:30-38)

1C. His \_\_\_\_\_ – A \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (19:30)

*"Lot went up from Zoar, and stayed in the mountains, and his two daughters with him; **for he was afraid to stay in Zoar; and he stayed in a cave**, he and his two daughters.*

2C. His \_\_\_\_\_ – A \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (19:31-35)

*"Then the firstborn said to the younger, 'Our father is old, and there is not a man on earth to come in to us after the manner of the earth. Come, let us make our father drink wine, and let us lie with him that we may preserve our family through our father..."*

3C. Lot's \_\_\_\_\_ – A \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (19:36-38)

*"Thus both the daughters of Lot were with child by their father. The firstborn bore a son, and called his name Moab; he is the father of the Moabites to this day. 38 As for the younger, she also bore a son, and called his name Ben-ammi; he is the father of the sons of Ammon to this day.*

## CONCLUSION: