Genesis 18:20-33

The LORD said, "How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! [21] I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me, and if not, I will know..."

[22]Abraham remained standing before the LORD. [23]Then Abraham came near and said, "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? [24]Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? [25]Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?"

[26]And the LORD said, "If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake."

[27]Abraham answered, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to my lord, I who am but dust and ashes. [28]Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?" And he said, "I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there."

[29]Again he spoke to him, "Suppose forty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of forty I will not do it."

[30]Then he said, "Oh, do not let my lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there." He answered, "I will not do it, if I find thirty there."

[31]He said, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to my lord. Suppose twenty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of twenty, I will not destroy it."

[32]Then he said, "Oh, do not let my lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there." He answered, "For the sake of ten, I will not destroy it."

[33]And the LORD went his way, when he had finished speaking to Abraham, and Abraham returned to his place.

Genesis 22:1-14

After these things, God tested Abraham. He said to him, "Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am."

[2]He said, "Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you."

[3]So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him and his son Isaac; he cut the wood for the burnt offering and set out and went to the place in the distance that God had shown him. [4] On the third day, Abraham looked up and saw the place far away.

[5]Then Abraham said to his young men, "Stay here with the donkey; the boy and I will go over there; we will worship, and then we will come back to you."

[6]Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. And the two of them walked on together.

[7]Isaac said to his father Abraham, "Father!" And he said, "Here I am, my son." He said, "The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?"

[8]Abraham said, "God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt offering, my son." And the two of them walked on together.

[9]When they came to the place that God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac and laid him on the altar on top of the wood.

[10] Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to kill (*to slaughter*) his son.

[11]But the angel of the LORD called to him from heaven and said, "Abraham, Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am."

[12]He said, "Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him, for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me."

[13]And Abraham looked up and saw a ram, caught in a thicket by its horns. Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt offering instead of his son. [14]So Abraham called that place "The LORD will provide (*The LORD will see*)," as it is said to this day, "On the mount of the LORD it shall be provided (*on the mount the LORD shall be seen*)."

Genesis 16:13-14

So [Hagar] named the LORD who spoke to her, "You are El-roi," for she said, "Have I really seen God and remained alive after seeing him?" [14]Therefore the well was called Beer-lahai-roi; it lies between Kadesh and Bered.

Genesis 21:20-21

God was with the boy, and he grew up; he lived in the wilderness and became an expert with the bow. [21]He lived in the wilderness of Paran, and his mother got a wife for him from the land of Egypt.

Genesis 24:62

Now Isaac had come from Beer-lahai-roi and was settled in the Negeb.

Genesis 25:7-11

This is the length of Abraham's life, one hundred seventy-five years. [8]Abraham breathed his last and died in a good old age, old and full of years, and was gathered to his people. [9]His sons Isaac and Ishmael buried him in the cave of Machpelah, in the field of Ephron son of Zohar the Hittite, east of Mamre, [10]the field that Abraham purchased from the Hittites. There Abraham was buried with his wife Sarah. [11]After the death of Abraham, God blessed his son Isaac. And Isaac settled at Beer-lahai-roi.