

Genesis 13

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13 And Abram went up out of Egypt, he, and his wife, and all that he had, and Lot with him, into the south.

²And Abram was very rich in cattle, in silver, and in gold. (God blessed him. The Egyptians wanted him gone with all that they had given him. They knew that it would take God's wrath away from them. Abram was obviously being blessed by God)

³And he went on his journeys from the south even to Bethel, unto the place where his tent had been at the beginning, between Bethel and Hai; (Bethel = House of God; Hai = a heap, a wasteland)

⁴Unto the place of the altar, which he had make there at the first: and there Abram called on the name of the LORD. (Abraham always thanked God for His blessings)

⁵And Lot also, which went with Abram, had flocks, and herds, and tents. (tents – for all of his servants)

⁶And the land was not able to bear them, that they might dwell together: for their substance was great, so that they could not dwell together. (There were not enough grazing lands for both of their herds. By now both Abram and Lot had a large number of sheep and cattle)

⁷And there was a strife between the herdmen of Abram's cattle and the herdmen of Lot's cattle: and the Canaanite and the Perizzite dwelled then in the land. (There were still geeber mixed in with the Perizzite and the Canaanite people – that's trouble. Geeber were the giant offspring of the fallen angels with human women)

⁸And Abram said unto Lot, Let there be no strife, I pray thee, between me and thee, and between my herdmen and thy herdmen; for we be brethren. (Abram made the decision to split up so there would be no trouble between him and Lot, and their servants, and the heathen peoples of the area)

⁹Is not the whole land before thee? separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left. (Abram gave Lot the choice of where he will go. Abram will go the other way)

¹⁰ And Lot lifted up his eyes, and beheld all the plain of Jordan, that it was well watered every where, before the LORD destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah, even as the garden of the LORD, like the land of Egypt, as thou comest unto Zoar. (Lot chose the rich pasture lands and let Abram have the poorer desert land. Nice guy)

NOTE: (However, the rich pasture lands that Lot chose were also the area where Sodom and Gomorrah were located. Maybe Abram got the better deal after all)

¹¹ Then Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan; and Lot journeyed east: and they separated themselves the one from the other.

¹² Abram dwelled in the land of Canaan, and Lot dwelled in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent toward Sodom. (Lot dwelt in cities, instead of dwelling with his herds. These cities were populated by the perverts and heathen of Canaan)

Isaiah-5:8 (Woe unto those that join house onto house <as Lot did>)

NOTE: (Today, we see the same. Big liberal cities that drive God out of their schools and call sexual perversions a "lifestyle". They ban Christianity but praise Islam and all other religions. They hate Christians but praise homosexuals and transsexuals. Most liberals in these cities are either atheists or agnostics)

¹³ But the men of Sodom were wicked and sinners before the LORD exceedingly. (Lot's neighbors were perverted Sodomites and homosexuals)

¹⁴ And the LORD said unto Abram, after that Lot was separated from him, Lift up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art northward, and southward, and eastward, and westward: (Abram was smart enough to live in the countryside, near his herds. He didn't move into the cities of the heathen peoples)

(God blessed him by giving him all of the lands in that area. The people of that area <the Canaanites> had mated with the fallen angels and produced giant offspring <Geeber>. They also practiced human sacrifice to their idol gods. Centuries later, God will want them wiped out by Moses and the Israelites for these great sins)

¹⁵ For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever. (This will later be called the Promised Land)

¹⁶ And I will make thy seed as the dust of the earth: so that if a man can number the dust of the earth, then shall thy seed also be numbered. (They had no children yet and they were both already very old. Sarai had been barren all her life)

NOTE: (Abraham's descendents became the 12 tribes of Israel. After their captivity by the Assyrians and the Babylonians, they migrated over the Caucasus Mountains. They settled Europe and became known as Caucasians. Later they also settled in the US and Canada)

¹⁷ Arise, walk through the land in the length of it and in the breadth of it; for I will give it unto thee.

¹⁸ Then Abram removed his tent, and came and dwelt in the plain of Mamre, which is in Hebron, and built there an altar unto the LORD. (Abram stayed loyal to God his whole life. He always kept the worship of God as a key part of his life) (Mamre = fertility; Hebron = alliance)