

Adult Impact Questions

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If possible, read Genesis 20:1-18 from several translations. For additional insight and study go to www.studylight.org.

1. What does God mean by telling Abimelech that he is “as good as dead”?

Why did Abimelech respond to God the way he did?

2. If God kept Abimelech from sinning, why couldn't He do the same for us?

Discuss how the following passages can help in overcoming sin. I Corinthians 10:13; Hebrews 4:15; Romans 12:1-2; Ephesians 6:10-18; II Timothy 2:22; Galatians 5:16. Add other references and discuss.

3. Why hadn't Abraham and Sarah learned their lesson from their time in Egypt?

Why do we sometimes do the same thing and return to previous sins that didn't work the first time?

4. Why was God going to punish Abimelech and his nation who had committed this act innocently instead of Abraham who had in some respect encouraged it by saying she was his sister?

Why did Abimelech pay Abraham tribute?

5. What lesson can you learn from this event to help you avoid committing the same sin again?

Next Adult impact: Genesis 21:1-34