When God Called Abram

I. Abram's Call (1-3)

Abram's call to _____ his _____, to

_____ God's _____, was a call to _____.

II. Abram's Journey (4-9)

Abram's _____ preceded God's _____.

III. Abram's Challenges (10-20)

God doesn't need _____ to keep His _____,

we need _____ to keep our _____!

Am I trusting my _____, or God's _____?

Application Questions - *These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group for even more benefit.*

1. Can you think of a time when you tried to solve a difficult problem with your own answer rather than God's answer? What happened?

2. Read God's call to Abram in Genesis 12:1-3. What was Abram promised? What did he need to do?

What stands out to you as being the most difficult for Abram?

What has been the most difficult thing God has asked you to do? Why?

3. Read Genesis 12:4-9. How would you describe Abram's response to God's call?

What did God do in response to Abram's obedience? What effect did it have on Abram?

Write a personal application you see in Abram's example, using the words faith, obedience, and God's blessings.

4. According to Genesis 12:10-13 Abram went to Egypt because of a severe famine. What failure of his shows up?

According to verses 14-16, was he right? Did this show his plan to be right?

How is the folly of his actions revealed in verses 17-20?

How might Abram have responded in faith rather than his own solution?

What challenge(s) are you facing, in which you need God's help to trust Him and His promise(s)? Have you tried your own solution? How can you respond to the challenge differently?