# Make the Right CHOICE

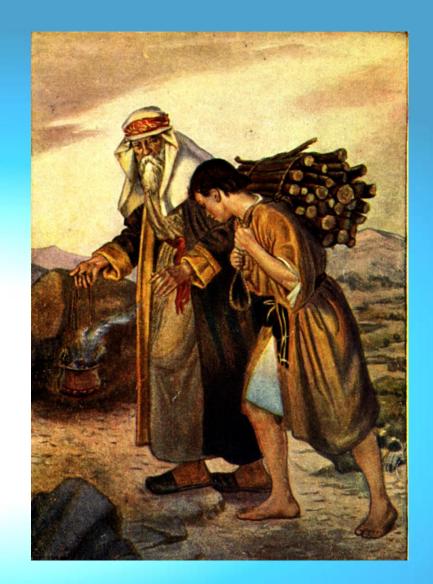
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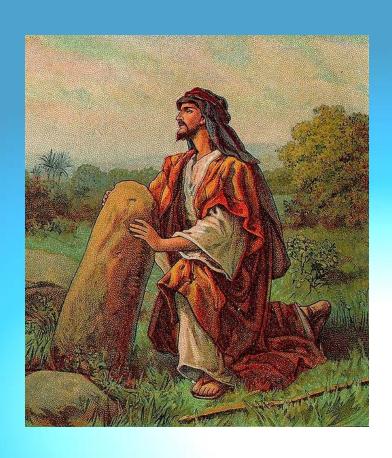
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Noah

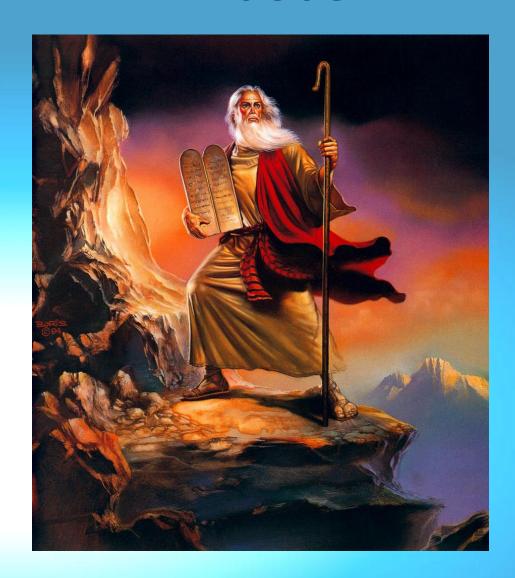
### **Abraham**



# Moses



**Jacob** 



# Joshua

# Caleb



# **Make the Right CHOICE**

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# Compelling

 "to drive or urge with force, or irresistibly; to constrain; to oblige; to necessitate, either by physical or moral force."

Psalm 48:8 – As we have heard...

So have we seen...

Psalm 48:14 – For this God is our God...

He will be our guide forever...

#### Isaiah 2:5

 Come, descendants of Jacob, let us walk in the light of the LORD.

 The decisions you make should be such a mission statement that drives your life.

# Compelling Heroic

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#### Heroic

- The courage of Joshua, Joshua 14:12
- Gideon destroys family gods, Judges 6:23-32
- Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego

Daniel 3:16-18 – Heroic Response

**Daniel 3:24-27 – Heroic Revelation** 

Daniel 3:24-27 - Heroic Reward

#### Heroic

 Your heroic decisions will bring heroic revelations of what God can do in and through you, and should result in heroic reward for you, as people come to know your God through you.

# Compelling Heroic Optimistic

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# **Optimistic**

 With a positive attitude: tending to take a hopeful and positive view of future outcomes.

Riding on the wings of faith, carrying hope.

Compelling Heroic **Optimistic** Infectious C E

#### Infectious

Influential, exemplary

 Joshua 24:18 – People said "We too will serve the Lord."

 Philippians 3:17 – Paul said "Imitate me, as I imitate Christ." Compelling Heroic **Optimistic** Infectious Costly

# Costly

 You can not serve different gods. Give them up. Throw away your idols. Things that you are addicted to and taking you away from God.

 Job did not serve only when God gives him much. He serve God even losing everything. Compelling Heroic **Optimistic** Infectious Costly **Enduring** 

# **Enduring**

Joshua's decision and choice endured

Job's decision not to deny God endured the trials.

 Joseph's decision endured the prison and all the injustice.

# **Enduring**

 Nothing can be enduring as your decision for your family and friends, generation to generations unborn, to choose to follow the Lord.

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# What is your CHOICE

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus.

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