

"The Test"  
Genesis 12:10-20

v. 10 Q. What came to pass?

A.

Q. Who is the source of the famine?

A.

Q. What did Abram do?

A.

Q. Why do you think God allowed Abram to experience a famine at this point in his journey? Cp. 1-9

A.

vv. 11-12 Q. What did Abram say to his wife?

A.

Q. What was his fear?

A.

v. 13 Q. What did Abram ask his wife to do for him?

A.

Q. How might have Abram justified it? Cp. 20:12

A.

Q. How did he sell the plan to her?

A.

v. 14 Q. How did the Egyptians view Sarai?

A.

v. 15 Q. What happened?

A.

v. 16 Q. How was Abram treated?

A.

v. 17 Q. How did the LORD view this?

A.

Note: The judgment didn't come on \_\_\_\_\_ for lying but on \_\_\_\_\_ for doing what was appropriate culturally.

vv. 18-19 Q. What is missing here?

A.

Q. What did Pharaoh say to Abram?

A.

Q. What did he tell Abram to do?

A.

v. 20 Q. What was the end of the story?

A.

### Application Questions

Q. What are some ways that God brings a spiritual famine into our lives?

A.

Q. Is the purpose the same as with Abram?

A.

Q. How do we respond in much the same way as Abram?

A.

Q. What do we learn about God in verses 10-15?

A.

Q. What do we learn about God in verses 16-20?

A.

Q. How does this give hope to followers of Jesus on their personal journey?

A.

Q. What does it say about the overall plan of God and his power to complete it?

A.