

Abraham, Sarah, and Their Descendants

Your teacher will assign you and your partner or group one of the biblical people from the Book of Genesis, listed below. Circle your assigned person, and then complete the following tasks:

1. Review the material on this person that is given in chapter 7 of the student book.
2. Look up and read one or more biblical passages that feature this person. Use the chapters listed below as a guide, recognizing that your teacher may assign you specific passages within these chapters on which to focus. As you read these passages, be sure to look up any unfamiliar words to be sure that you are understanding the content accurately.
3. Using what you have learned about your person, write a one-paragraph (minimum) monologue in which you write from this person's own perspective (in the first person). Describe yourself, your role in salvation history, and both the blessings and challenges of your life. When you finish writing, type your monologue.
4. Using the art supplies provided by your teacher, create a symbol for your biblical person. Try to capture in the symbol your person's identity, joys, and sorrows. Ideally, your symbol should contain no words. It may be any size or medium. Be as creative as you would like.

- Abraham (Abram): Genesis, chapters 12–25
- Sarah (Sarai): Genesis, chapters 12–23
- Isaac: Genesis, chapters 21–27
- Hagar: Genesis, chapters 16 and 21
- Ishmael: Genesis, chapter 21
- Rebekah: Genesis, chapters 24–27
- Esau: Genesis, chapters 25–27
- Jacob (Israel): Genesis, chapters 25–33
- Rachel: Genesis, chapters 29–30
- Leah: Genesis, chapters 29–30
- Joseph: Genesis, chapters 37, 39–45

