Lesson 6 Gen. 18:1-20:18

4. How does Abraham respond?

- "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked?"
- Suppose there are fifty righteous...

5. What transpired after the angels had retired to Lot's house for the evening? What indication is given in verse 4 of the extent of evil within the city?

- Men of the city demanded Lot surrender the visitors to them.
- "Men of the city, the men of Sodom... both young and old, all the people from every quarter."
- Wearied themselves attempting to find the door after being struck blind

7. Who was allowed to escape the city before it was destroyed?

- "Whomever you have in the city, bring them out of the place." (v. 12)
- Sons-in-law refused to listen
- Only Lot, his wife, and his two daughters
- Lot's hesitation
- Lot's wife looked back and became a pillar of salt (v. 26)

6. How is Lot described in 2 Pet. 2:7-8 and what reason is given?

- Righteous
- Oppressed and tormented daily by the wickedness around him

- Applications/lessons for us
 - God's judgement on the wicked (Isa. 1:9-10; 13:19; Jer. 23:14; 49:18; 2 Pet. 2:6ff; Jude 5-7)
 - Statement on homosexuality (Jdg. 19; Lev. 20:13; Rom. 1:26)
 - God knows the righteous (Gen. 19:29; 2 Pet. 2:9; 1 Kings 19:18; 2 Tim. 4:18; Rev. 3:10-12)

8. Beginning in verse 30, what did Lot's daughters conspire to do? What nations descended from the sons born to them?

- Preserve the family line through seduction of their father
- Moabites and Ammonites

9. What is the familiar half-truth told that causes Abimelech to take Sarah into his harem? What was his reasoning and was it justified?

- "She is my sister", speaking of Sarah
- "Surely there is no fear of God in this place"
- God's faithfulness again on display