

## Abraham Delivers Lot: Genesis 14:1-24

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### Genesis 14:

1 And it came to pass in the days of **Amraphel** king of Shinar, **Arioch** king of Ellasar, **Kedorlaomer** king of Elam, and **Tidal** king of nations,

2 *that* they made war with **Bera** king of Sodom, **Birsha** king of Gomorrah, **Shinab** king of Admah, **Shemeber** king of Zeboiim, and **the king of Bela** (that is, Zoar).

3 All these joined together in the Valley of Siddim (that is, the Salt Sea).

4 Twelve years **they served Kedorlaomer**, and in the thirteenth year they **rebelled**.

5 In the fourteenth year **Kedor-laomer and the kings that were with him** came and **attacked** the Rephaim in Ashteroth Karnaim, the Zuzim in Ham, the Emim in Shaveh Kiriathaim,

6 and the Horites in their mountain of Seir, as far as El Paran, which *is* by the wilderness.

7 Then they turned back and came to En Mishpat (that *is*, Kadesh), and attacked all the country of the Amalekites, and also the Amorites who dwelt in Hazon Tamar.

8 And **the king of Sodom, the king of Gomorrah, the king of Admah, the king of Zeboiim, and the king of Bela** (that *is*, Zoar) went out and joined together in battle in the Valley of Siddim

9 against Kedorlaomer king of Elam, Tidal king of nations, Amraphel king of Shinar, and Arioch king of Ellasar -- **four kings against five**.

10 Now the Valley of Siddim *was full of* asphalt [or tar] pits; and **the kings of Sodom and Gomorrah fled**; *some* fell there, and the remainder fled to the mountains.

11 Then **they took all the goods of Sodom and Gomorrah, and all their provisions**, and went their way.

12 **They also took Lot**, Abram's brother's son **who dwelt in Sodom**, and his goods, and departed.

**Ecclesiastes 9:2** All things come alike to all: there is one event to the righteous, and to the wicked; to the good and to the clean, and to the unclean; to him that sacrificeth, and to him that sacrificeth not: as is the good, so is the sinner; and he that sweareth, as he that feareth an oath.

**Nahum 1:7** The LORD *is* good, **a strong hold in the day of trouble**; and he knoweth them that trust in him.

**Proverbs 11:21** Though hand join in hand, the wicked shall not be unpunished: but **the seed of the righteous shall be delivered**.

**Psalms 37:25** I have been young, and now am old; **yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken**, nor his seed begging bread.

**Psalms 34:17** **The righteous cry**, and **the LORD heareth**, and **delivereth** them out of all their troubles.

**Psalms 34:19** Many are **the afflictions of the righteous**: but **the LORD delivereth** him out of them all.

13 Then one who had escaped came and told **Abram the Hebrew**, for he dwelt by the terebinth trees of **Mamre** the Amorite, brother of **Eshcol** and brother of **Aner**; and they *were* **allies with Abram**.

14 Now **when Abram heard that his brother was taken captive, he armed his three hundred and eighteen trained servants** who were born in his own house, and went in pursuit as far as Dan.

15 He **divided his forces** against them by night, and **he and his servants attacked them** and pursued them as far as Hobah, which *is* north of Damascus.

16 So **he brought back all the goods**, and also brought back **his brother Lot** and his goods, as well as the women and the people.

**1 Samuel 14:6** ??for there is **no restraint to the LORD** to save by many or by few.?

**Leviticus 26:7-8** And ye shall chase your enemies, and they shall fall before you by the sword. 8 And **five of you shall chase an hundred**

, and **an hundred of you shall put ten thousand to flight**: and your enemies shall fall before you by the sword.

17 And **the king of Sodom went out to meet him** at the Valley of Shaveh (that *is*, the King's Valley), after his return from **the defeat of Kedor-laomer and the kings who were with him**.

18 Then **Melchizedek king of Salem** brought out bread and wine; he *was* the priest of God Most High.

**Hebrews 7:1-2** For this **Melchisedec, king of Salem**, priest of the most high God, who met Abraham returning from the slaughter of the kings, and blessed him; 2 To whom also Abraham gave a tenth part of all; first being by interpretation **King of righteousness**, and after that also King of Salem, which is, **King of peace**;

**Psalms 110:4** The LORD hath sworn, and will not repent, Thou art a priest for ever after the order of Melchizedek.

**Hebrews 7:3-4** Without father, without mother, without descent, having neither beginning of days, nor end of life; but **made like unto the Son of God**; abideth a priest continually. 4 Now consider how great **this man** was, unto whom even the patriarch Abraham gave the tenth of the spoils.

**Hebrews 7:7** But without any dispute the lesser is blessed by the greater.

21 Now **the king of Sodom** said to Abram, "Give me the persons, and **take the goods for yourself**."

22 But Abram said to the king of Sodom, "I have raised my hand to the LORD, God Most High, the Possessor of heaven and earth,

23 "that I *will take* nothing, from a thread to a sandal strap, and that I will not take anything that *is* yours, lest you should say, 'I have made Abram rich' --

24 "except only what the young men have eaten, and the portion of the men who went with me: **Aner, Eshcol, and Mamre**; let them take their portion."

**Psalms 37:16** A little that a righteous man hath is better than the riches of many wicked.

**Genesis 15:1** **After these things** the word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, saying,

?Do not fear, Abram, I am a shield to you; **Your reward shall be very great**.? (Nasb)