

# FBC Groups Ministry Discussion Guide

## **Learning to Walk with God:**

### **A Series Based on Abraham in Genesis 12–25**

#### **Part One: Stepping into the Unknown, Genesis 12:1–9**

The average person learns to walk at the age of one, but learning to walk with God is different, perhaps harder. How would your life be better if you walked more closely with God? We learn in this series from the example of Abraham in Genesis 12-25. We begin in Part One this week with a step into the unknown.

Read Genesis 12:1–9.

Abraham had remained in a town called Haran for most of his adult life. If Haran represents a place of comfort and control, we can understand why so many of us remain in places like that. God was asking Abraham to step out not yet knowing the destination. Though difficult, Abraham began to learn the importance of walking with God even if it means stepping into the unknown, with these truths...

Stepping out is the way to build trust in God

Stepping out is the way to be blessed by God

Stepping out is the way to be dependent on God

#### **Questions for Group Discussion:**

1. Describe the process of learning how to physically walk on two legs?
2. Have you ever had to learn to walk again after an injury or illness? Describe.
3. How does learning to walk with God compare with physical walking?
4. What are some possible reasons that Abraham remained in Haran so long?
5. What is the “Haran” that often holds you back from walking with God?
6. In what ways does God speak to us today?
7. How do you measure God’s blessings? How do they differ from earthly ones?
8. Describe a time when God impressed on you to step out in faith.

#### **Final Thoughts and Closing Prayer:**

What will I do this week to listen and follow where God is telling me to step?

How will I live better and help others do the same because of this study?

#### **Notes & Reflections:**