

A Conditional Sign of Unconditional Grace

The Genesis of God's People



Estes Park, Colorado

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- **OR... A promise where God is involved.**

God promised Abram...

1. Place

2. People

3. Presence

Genesis 12:1–3

1 The Lord had said to Abram, “Go from your country, your people and your father’s household to the land I will show you. 2 “I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. 3 I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.” (NIV®)

Genesis 15:6

Abram believed the Lord, and he credited it to him as righteousness. (NIV®)

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in Jesus. (Genesis 15)

John 3:16

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. (NIV®)

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God gives a sign of
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- The covenant sign given to all who believe in Jesus is **baptism**.

Acts 2:38

Peter replied, “**Repent and be baptized**, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. (NIV®)

*Unconditional grace marks
and transforms every believer.*