



Family Discussion Questions

HOPE: Part Two
September 19th-20th

Romans 4:17-18 (ICB)

17 *As it is written in the Scriptures: “I am making you a father of many nations.”^[a] This is true before God. Abraham believed in God—the God who gives life to the dead and decides that things will happen that have not yet happened.*

18 *There was no hope that Abraham would have children. But Abraham believed God and continued hoping. And that is why he became the father of many nations. As God told him, “Your descendants will also be too many to count.”*

1. Why does the Bible say there was no hope that Abraham would have children?
2. What promise did God make to Abraham?
3. How do you think Abraham and his wife Sarah might have felt when God made them a promise that seemed pretty impossible?
4. What does it mean that Abraham believed God and continued hoping? What do you think you would have done?
5. Abraham believed God because God had made him a promise, and God always keeps His promises. Can you think of a promise that God has made to you in His Word, the Bible?