

OUR IMPERFECT FAMILY - WEEK 2

The Bible is an almost constant stream of messed up families.

Genesis 12:1-3 NIV The LORD had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you. "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. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you."

- Abraham had his eyes firmly fixed on God and His _____ purpose for his family.
- The blessing God gave to Abraham was that he would bless the world around him by bringing _____ to them.
- To run well, you must have your head up and your eyes fixed in front of you. The place your eyes focus must be _____ of yourself.
- The moment you begin to look down at your feet, is the moment when you are most likely to _____.

Romans 11:17-18 NIV If some of the branches have been broken off, and you, though a wild olive shoot, have been grafted in among the others and now share in the nourishing sap from the olive root, do not consider yourself to be superior to those other branches. If you do, consider this: You do not support the root, but the root supports you.

- God looks at your family and says the same thing He said to Abraham's family, "You are the family through which the _____ will know it's Savior"
- The biblical concept of _____ is to be set apart for a special purpose.
- When we value our _____ and _____ above what God says, we are running while looking at our own feet.
- The woman in the parable is searching for lost things and bringing light into dark places in the same place her family lives - in her _____ .
- You are a person and a family that has an _____ purpose.