

**The Patriarchs
“A Faith Failure”
Genesis 12:10-13
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“Success has many fathers, failure is an orphan.” - J.F.K.

The Faithlessness of Abraham (12:10-20)

How he got it all wrong.

A **faith** failure. (v. 10)

A **fatal** error. (vs. 11-20)

The Faithfulness of God (13:1-18)

How Abraham got it right.

Witness (v. 1)

Worship (vs. 3-4)

The Foolishness of Lot (13:5-13)

Lot could not get anything right.

Contempt (vs. 5-9)

Choice (vs. 10-13)

The Friendship between God and Abraham (13:14-18)

Now everything is **alright!**