GOD WILL PROVIDE

Genesis 22:14

And Abraham called the name of that place Jehovah Jireh: as it is said to this day, In the mount of the LORD it shall be seen.

INTRODUCTION:

Especially in this 22nd chapter of Genesis do we see the Word of God as divinely inspired. Its types and symbols are at their best right here. It is here that Abraham called the name of the place "Jehovah Jireh". It means "*God will provide*", and

what seems unreasonable and impossible with men is possible with God. Isaac was the promised seed of Genesis 12:1-3, 7 just as Christ was.

Genesis 12:1-3:

Now the LORD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee: ² And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing: ³ And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.

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Genesis 12:7:

And the LORD appeared unto Abram, and said, Unto thy seed will I give this land: and there builded he an altar unto the LORD, who appeared unto him.

There was a long period between the announcing of the promise and its fulfillment, but it happened anyway. So it was with Christ. Sarah, when first hearing the Lord make the promise, laughed at it as ridiculous. How can this be? Is anything impossible with God, He asks her?

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Genesis 18:14:

Is any thing too hard for the LORD? At the time appointed I will return unto thee, according to the time of life, and Sarah shall have a son.

Mary felt the same way and received the very same kind of answer in Luke 1:37:

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For with God nothing shall be impossible.

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This ram was not sought, for it was God-provided. Let no one try to offer his own make-shift, substitute offering. No peace offering is acceptable but what is God-provided in the Person of Jesus Christ.

1 John 4:14: The Father sent the Son to be the SAVIOUR of the world.

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