

## Abram and Lot

### 4's & 5's

Bible Verse: **I am God Almighty, walk before me and be blameless. Genesis 17:1**

Repeat twice.

Bible Point: **God wants us to make good choices.**

Story Time: **Abram and Lot**

~Gather the children in front of you with *The Read and Learn Bible and the lesson plan.*

~Say the words in bold; expected answers are in *italics.*

~Good morning **Boys and Girls**. What am I holding in my hands? (The Bible) Every word of the Bible is true because *God wrote it and He is perfect.*

~Please bow your heads and close your eyes as we pray. Dear *God*, thank you for each one of my friends that are here today. I pray we will learn how to please you and make good choices. In **Jesus precious name we pray, Amen.**

Abram and Lot had become very rich. They had lots of cattle and sheep. There were lots of people who worked for them. Their job was taking care of Abram and Lot's animals and planting and harvesting their food.

With so many people and animals, it was hard for them to live together. The people who were taking care of the animals started arguing. Lot's workers wanted the best area for their animals. They wanted the green grassy area with plenty of fresh water. Abram's workers wanted the same thing. Someone had to stop the fighting and they needed to do it quickly!

Abram didn't want the workers to argue, so they had to come up with a solution. A solution is a good idea that works for everyone. Abram had a great solution to the problem. Abram told Lot they needed to live apart from one another. Lot could go in one direction and Abram would go in the other direction. Abram let Lot decide what land he would take. The two separated.

**God was pleased with Abram for making a good choice. God made another promise to Abram. God said, "I will give you all the land that you see." (Have children repeat the promise that God said.) God wants us to make good choices too.**

**Q & A:**

- 1. What did Abram and Lot have a lot of? (*cattle and sheep*)**
- 2. Who took care of the cattle and sheep? (*workers*)**
- 3. How did the workers get along with each other? (*They were not friends.*)**
- 4. Why did they fight? (*They fought over who was going to have the best land for the animals they were caring for.*)**
- 5. What was Abram's solution? (*It was time for Lot and Abram to separate.*)**
- 6. Who chose his land first? (*Lot chose first and Abram took what was left.*)**
- 7. What promise did God make to Abram? (*God said, "I will give you all the land you see."*)**

**~Activity: See activity instructions and materials in the box.**

**~Color Sheet**