

## 28TH JUNE 2015 NODDY SHARMA A GLOBAL VISION:BE A BLESSING GENESIS 12:1-3

- 1. What was the greatest blessing that Abraham received from God? Ref Gen 12: 2-3; Gen 15:4-5. Discuss.
- 2. What is the significance of the words in Gen12:3b for you personally and how are those words a reality in your life? (Also ref Gal 3:8-9)
- 3. How does God's covenant relationship with Abraham culminate in Jesus? (Ref Gal 3:29)
- 4. What kind of relationship with Abraham was God seeking do you think? (Also ref Gen 17:7)
- 5. On a scale of 1-10 (where '1' represents shallow and '10' represents deep);
- (a) How deep does God desire for your relationship with Him?
- (b) How deep would you describe your current relationship with God? Discuss.
- 6. How might you deepen your relationship with God? (EG Ref. 1 Thess 5:23-24; 2 Thess 3:5; Rom 12:2)
- 7. Many times we are inclined to wait/ask for God's blessing before we act. How does the example of Abraham (as described in Heb 11:8) and Jesus' words (John 15:16) challenge us?
- 8. We are reminded that our loving relationship with Jesus should flow into our relationship with people including those in third world countries.
- 'We are to be a blessing given how much we have been blessed'.
- Discuss the different ways that God might wish to use people such as us.
- 9. Discuss the kinds of roadblocks that frequently prevent us from such commitment.
- 10. How are you, singularly or as a Group, challenged to respond to the widespread needs of our Global village, 'one life at a time'?

