Genesis 25

- 1) Who did Abraham marry?
 - a. What other fact is disclosed relating to Abraham's personal relationships? (hint: verse 6)
- 2) How long did Abraham live?
 - a. Where was he buried?
 - b. Who buried him?
 - c. What is significant about who buried Abraham?
- 3) Verse 8 provides a description of Abraham's death. Explain the meaning and significance of each phrase:
 - a. He "gave up the ghost" -
 - b. He "died in a good old age" -
 - c. He "was gathered to his people" -
- 4) What do we learn about Ishmael, *personally*, and about his *prominence*?
- 5) In keeping with the Genesis model, the lineage of Christ is followed. To whom did Rebekah give birth?
 - a. What was suggested by the brothers' struggling in the womb?
 - b. Describe the difference in their character and behavior:
 - c. What did Esau sell, and why?
 - d. What were the far-reaching implications?
 - e. How does the Hebrew writer refer to Esau? (Heb. 12:16, 17)
- 6) Explain the *favoritism* displayed in this chapter:
 - a. What affect can favoritism have upon children?