20.10.11 Fear Factor Genesis 22:1 – 14 Notes

Genesis 12:1 – 4. How can fearful experiences serve to  us in our spiritual life?

1. **Fearful things are an to spiritually.** Genesis 22:1 – 3

In my quest to return to  am I ignoring, missing, sidestepping God’s invitation to grow spiritually? James 1:2 – 4; 2 Peter 3:18

Through the pain and angst of fearful things:

1. **We learn to .** Genesis 22:6 – 8

Fearful things teach us to   .

1 Chronicles 16:11

Through the pain and angst of fearful things:

1. **We recognize the reality of**

The reality is that we are  ,  and depraved. Romans 3:10

Recognizing the reality of this truth   to embrace God’s gracious help. 2 Corinthians 12:9 – 10

Through the pain and angst of fearful things:

1. **We develop the reflexive response of for God’s voice**

Genesis 22:9 – 13 Abraham developed the reflexive response to  for God’s voice.

What is God ? What does   tell me? About Him? His purpose? His plan? About this situation? Genesis 22:14

CONCLUSION