

Hebrews 11:8 (NLT)

It was by faith that Abraham obeyed when God called him to leave home and go to another land that God would give him as his inheritance. He went without knowing where he was going.

I love this verse, because it reminds me of God, and the journey that He has me on. You see, four years ago, God called me out of California to go to a place I had never been before, which was Florida. I call this the other side of the world, even though it isn't, but rather it's the other side of the USA, from California (West Coast) to Florida (East Coast). It has been a wonderful four years so far, with the Lord blessing me more than I could ever hope for or imagine. I have met many wonderful Christian brothers and sisters, I have traveled to various states and lived and worked in them. He has blessed me financially so that all my bills are paid off. I was able to go to Israel 3 years ago and I am going again this year. I released a 2nd worship CD as well as my first novel during this time as well. All because God said to leave where you are now and just go where I tell you to go.

God did the same thing with Abram (Now Abraham). God called Abram to leave where he was living and to just go. With me, God gave me a job and told me to go. But with Abram, it was a lot different, God just told him to go. There was no, I have this job lined up for you Abram. No, ***he went without knowing where he was going.***

There are two other things about both Abraham and me which are similar. Neither one of us said, "Hey God, I want to go to..." No, God told us both to go. God could have used anyone instead of Abraham. He could have called Bob, or Charlie, or Jane, or Susan, or anyone. God could have done the same with me, He could have called anyone besides me. He could have called Larry, or Jacob, or Sarah, or Joan, yet God called me instead.

Maybe God wanted to choose ordinary people like Abraham and me to show His greatness and because He knew we would both say yes to whatever He was telling us to do.

Sometimes it's a matter of not praying, "God send me here or there." But rather, "God use me wherever you want, however you want to." And don't just say it, but mean it.

† ***Isaiah 6:8 Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying: "Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me."***

† ***Colossians 3:23 (NLT) Work willingly at whatever you do, as though you were working for the Lord rather than for people.***