

Discussion Guide for "Good News for the Other Guy" The Way, Way Back Week 4

It's hard to read the stories of God's amazing miracles and not wonder, "Where's mine?" A lot of us feel less like Abraham and more like his servant - the one who never saw the action. But his story of connecting Isaac and Rebekah is a powerful reminder that when we only look for God in the miraculous, we miss God at work in the mundane.

Scriptures for Further Reading

Genesis 24:1-27 Hebrews 11:1

Passage for Sacred Reading:

Sacred Reading is a way of reading Scripture with an eye toward transformation, not just information. You can find a step-by-step guide here. The passage for this week's sacred reading is Hebrews 11:1-40.

Questions for Discussion

- 1. Have you ever experienced a big miracle? Do you know anyone who claims to have experienced one?
- 2. Why do we value miraculous experiences of God?
- 3. Reread the servant's words in Genesis 24:26-27. How did he know God was with him, even though nothing miraculous happened?
- 4. Where might God be working in your life and you're not aware?
- 5. How can you make it a point to look for God in the mundane areas of your life this week?