

Story 12. The Birth of Isaac
Genesis 21:1-7

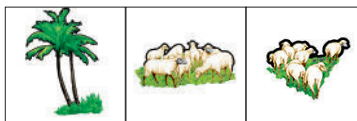
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It would be hard to even imagine the excitement, shock, unbelief and anticipation that swept through Abraham’s household as the rumor of old Sarah’s pregnancy became known. Perhaps their response was similar to Abraham and Sarah’s. Is it any wonder that the Lord gave him a name that means laughter? The comment “the Lord visited Sarah” sometimes translated “the Lord remembered Sarah” does not mean something that was forgotten but that something promised was started at precisely the right time. And that is where this story begins.

Then the Lord visited Sarah just as He said He would,  and the Lord did for Sarah what He had promised her. Sarah conceived and gave birth to a son for Abraham in his old age  at the exact time God had told Abraham it would happen.

 Abraham called his son—that Sarah gave birth to—by the name Isaac. And Abraham circumcised his son Isaac when Isaac was eight days old, just as God had commanded him. Abraham was a hundred years old when his son Isaac was born. **(Remove)** 

And Sarah said, “God has made me laugh; and everyone who hears will laugh with me.” And she said, “Who would have said to Abraham that Sarah would nurse children? Yet I have given birth to Abraham’s son in his old age.”