




Dads – You Matter!

Gen 12:1-8





1. Dads, what sustained Abram through the “uncertainty” of life will sustain you. Let us model it to our children.


The “Abraham” model:

A. God spoke. 12:1-3.

B. Abraham believed and he acted. 12:4

C. Abraham worshipped. 12:7, 12:8, 13:4, 13:18, 22:9

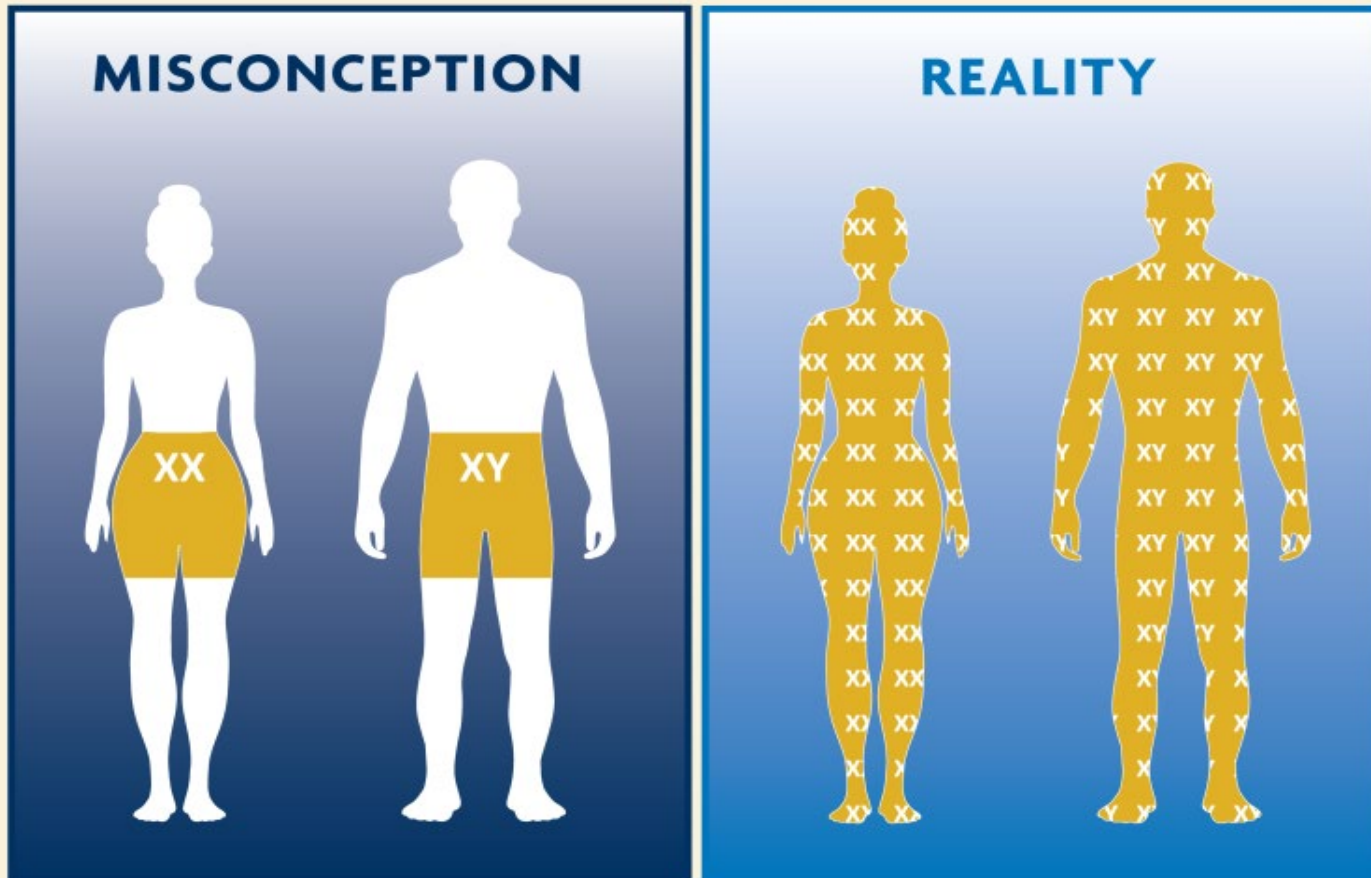
D. Cycle repeated, generationally.



2. Dads, our children need to know that we believe in them and in God's plan for them.

- Gen 17:18 And Abraham said to God, “Oh that Ishmael might live before You!”
- Prayers of a father never cease to “pray.”

3. Parents, never underestimate the importance of a dad's role in raising your children.



• Next Step.

1. **Moms – how can you affirm the father of your children? How can you show him respect before his children?**
2. **Dads – are you practicing the “Abraham model” before your children? Do they see you giving God priority in your life? It is never too late to give God priority in your life. Start today.**