

SERIES.....ALTAR'D
Message II = "Surrender It All"

BIG IDEA

_____ + _____ = _____

A new life in Christ requires space and surrender to experience the _____ transforming work of God in your life.

_____ cannot be _____

THE QUESTION:

What will it take for you to make an all-in commitment to God?

ABRAHAM'S FIRST STEP OF LIVING A LIFE OF SURRENDER

- A willingness to _____ when God called; and
- A readiness to _____ to that call

When God called, Abraham said, "Here I am." (GEN 22:1)

Abraham's _____ **COMMITMENT**

"Then God said, 'Take your son, your only son, whom you love—Isaac—and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there as a **burnt offering** on a mountain I will show you.'" (22:2)

THE BURNT OFFERING

"If the animal you present as a burnt offering is from the herd, it must be a male with no defects. Bring it to the entrance of the Tabernacle so you may be accepted by the Lord. ..." LEV 1:3-17

- The most _____ sacrifice

THE BURNT OFFERING IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

"And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him." ROMANS 12:1

The Lord is **NOT** asking for

- Partial _____
- Partial _____

The Lord **IS** asking for

- **COMMITMENT** _____ **CONDITION**

"Jesus said to his disciples, 'If any of you wants to be my follower, you must give up your own way, take up your cross, and follow me.'" MAT 16:24

It is through **SURRENDER** that we **ENCOUNTER** and **EXPERIENCE** the **TRANSFORMING POWER** of God in our lives

THE TRANSFORMATION

- Abraham created _____ to encounter God
- Abraham and Isaac _____ surrendered
- Believing in the _____ of God
- The altar was the place where Abraham _____ his belief in God

"So Abraham called that place The Lord Will Provide. And to this day it is said, 'On the mountain of the Lord it will be provided.'" GEN 22:14

APPLICATION

As we _____ complete control and _____ total commitment, we will experience the full transforming work of God in our lives and find freedom from the power, the penalty, and the presence of sin in our lives.