

SHADOWS OF THE CROSS, PART 2
THE RAM IN THE THICKET
Genesis 22:1-19

*The hardest thing God could ever ask of us is the very thing
he did for us—he gave us his only Son.*

Thorny Questions Abound in This Passage

The Costly Sacrifice of the FATHER

His obedience is immediate. (3a)

His obedience is resolute. (3b-4, 6a)

His obedience is hopeful. (5, 8)

His obedience is complete. (9-10)

The Willing Submission of the SON

Note the awful burden he bears. (6a)

Note the devastating question he asks. (6b-7)

Note the astounding compliance he shows. (8b-9)

The Gracious Provision of the LORD

The promise-child of God is spared. (11-12a)

The purpose of God is served. (12b)

The provision of God is discovered. (13-14)

The plan of God is “resurrected.” (15-19)

What Drove Abraham Up That Mountain?

The Cross of Christ—What Genesis 22 Foreshadowed

The Costly Sacrifice of the FATHER (John 3:16)

The Willing Submission of the SON (John 10:18a)

The Gracious Provision of the LORD (Romans 6:23)

“He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?” (Romans 8:32)