Recognizing God's presence. Ge. 18:2&3

Being still and knowing God is there (Psalm 46:10) will cause some things to happen in our life. Notice here with Abraham sitting at his tent.

- 1. There is fellowship with Him. V.4-8
 - A. Abraham showed hospitality.
 - B. Willing to share what he has.
 - C. Abraham shows respect to his guests.
- 2. There is an urgency to fellowship with Him. V 6&7
 - A. Abraham senses the time is right.
 - B. He gets everyone involved.
 - C. He gives the Lord his best.
- 3. There is a sure promise with Him. V 10&14
 - A. What God says, He does. Genesis 21:1&2
 - B. Nothing is impossible or hard to Him.
 - C. He had not forgotten what He told him. Genesis 12:4
- 4. There is time to communicate with Him. V .16&22
 - A. The Lord knows his heart. V 19
 - B. The Lord listens to his petition.
 - C. Abraham didn't stop.

Application for us today.

- 1. There is new life found in Him. V .10&14
- 2. Recognizing God's presence will cause us to:
 - A. Give our best.
 - B. Get everyone we know involved.
- 3. Prays not answered when they are asked doesn't mean no, it means, in His time and way. Abraham waited 25 years for his promise.
- 4. The Lord knows our hearts and our motives. Psalm 44:21
- 5. We see here that communicating with God makes a difference, in our life and the life of others.
- 6. We have to be engaged in the word to see those moments with the Lord. Acts. 8:26&29