

see more than three or four thousands stars in the sky. It is not just .. me because the Babylonians ~~of~~ many of them are perhaps much better than Abraham, and counted them, and ~~of~~ .. I do not believe anybody who has seen with his naked eyes more than six thousands stars, and the Lord gave Abraham further comment. ~~Read~~ ~~Weread~~ read over in chapter ~~of~~ 22: we read that after Abraham went up into a mountain with Isaac and that God said to him, in chapter 22, he told Abraham to offer only Isaac, and now when Abraham was willing to give up his seed, the son that Sarah had bore to him, he was ready to - at ~~God~~ God's command to give him up, and God said to Abraham . You had shown that you really love the Lord. You are willing to even give up the centre of all your hopes for him, and so he said here that in verse 17, he says, in blessing I will bless thee and ~~I~~ will multiply ~~the~~ seed as the stars of heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore. Abram said, four thousands and five thousands... that is not a very big ~~scene~~ seed, but he said, well, the sand on the shore .... thousands and thousands and thousands of this sand of sea shore. What a tremendous thing. I am going to have descendants like that . Why did God mention the stars , too? Well, ~~the~~ to shew the beauty of it, the glory of it, it ~~is~~ is not just an earthly ... ~~thing~~ .... ing thing, but it is a wonderful ~~thing~~ ~~thing~~ - I am promise of wonderful blessing that He is going to bring to ~~the earth~~... all the world. Yes, God did not just say that, God said, ~~I~~ count the stars the stars if thou be able to number them. Abraham said, well, I can count them, I can number them. I have so many ... but he said, I know I could not count the sand, and so he said, I will take the stars on sale. So hundred years ago, Let us say five hundred years ago, people were just about in the same position in which Abraham was ... they said that the heavens declared the glory of ~~the~~ God. And look at those brilliant, beautiful stars ~~of~~ ~~of~~ that God has made!