

Beginning 41 – Activities

- **Craft:** Sheep paper chain

As a reminder that God blessed Abraham with children and possessions, make a sheep paper chain.

Materials: legal size white or cream-colored paper, scissors, colored pencils

Preparation: Cut paper lengthwise into strips. Each child should have a strip.

Instructions: Fold the strip of paper accordion style and draw a sheep on front. Cut along outline of the sheep to folded edges. Open the strip up and color in the face of each sheep.

- **Game:** Moving Back Relay

As a reminder that Jacob took all his possessions and moved back to the land God had promised Abraham engage in a “Moving Back Relay.”

Instructions: Divide the group into two teams. Establish a starting line and a drop off line. Gather an equal number of objects for each team to move (books, light chairs, clothes, cooking utensils, etc.) and place them in a pile at the starting line. The first person on each team picks up an object and runs over to the drop-off line where he leaves it. He then runs back to his team and touches the next person in line to go and do the same. The first team to move everything in the pile over the drop-off line wins.

- **Song:** Father Abraham

Father Abraham had many sons, Many sons had Father Abraham
I am one of them and so are you, So let's all praise the Lord.

Right arm!

Right arm: Clench fist, bend and extend arm upward repeatedly throughout song

Right arm, left arm!

Left arm: Add left arm in same motion as right

Right arm, left arm, right foot!

Right foot: Add right foot stepping up and down

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot!

Left foot: Add left foot stepping up and down

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up!

Chin up: Add head nodding up and down

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up, turn around!

Turn around: Add turning in place while continuing other motions

Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, chin up, turn around, sit down!