RaYBaSH's Torah Thoughts for Kids Parashah #3: Lech Lecha: "Go Out"

B'reshit (Genesis): 12:1-17:27 By: Yehudah ben Shomeyr

Gen. 12:1 Now the L-RD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee:

Has your Parents or Friends ever pick you up from school or somewhere only to find as you are driving along that you are not going in the normal direction of home?

"Hey! Where are we going!?" you say.

"It's a surprise!" They tell you.

Before you know it you're at Chuck E. Chesses or someplace cool like that?

Well in a way that is what happened to Avraham. G-d tells him to leave his home and Avraham asks.

"Hey G-d, where are we going?"

"It's a surprise!" G-d says.

G-d was ultimately lead Avraham and his family to a cool new home and where he, his family and all his descendants could live having all there needs met by G-d.

Hebrew 11:8-10 By faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went. By faith he sojourned in the land of promise, as in a strange country, dwelling in tabernacles with Isaac and Jacob, the heirs with him of the same promise: For he looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God.

John 8:56 Your father Abraham rejoiced to see my day: and he saw it, and was glad.

Shabbat Shalom and Shavuah Tov!

-- Rabbi Yehudah

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