Messianic Prophecy Season 1:
The Principle of a Mediator

**Scripture**
- **I Timothy 2:5**
  
  For there is one God, and one mediator also between God and men, the man Christ Jesus.

- **John 11:49-51**
  
  But one of them, Caiaphas, who was high priest that year, said to them, “You know nothing at all, nor do you take into account that it is expedient for you that one man die for the people, and that the whole nation not perish. Now he did not say this on his own initiative, but being high priest that year, he prophesied that Jesus was going to die for the nation.

**Other Scriptures**
- John 8:24
- Hebrews 1:1-2;10:35,38
- John 10:9

**Main Points**
- Yeshua fulfills Israel’s history by living out their same history in His own life and ministry.
- Much of Messianic prophecy is about how Yeshua fills Israel’s past history up with meaning.
- The Bible tells us that the Messiah of the Jewish people is Jesus.
- LORD-YHWH
- Israel, who is a shadow of how all humanity can relate to God, could only relate to HaShem through a mediator.
- The English word Tabernacle is in Hebrew transliteration, Mishkan
- Yeshua has become the temple.
- The Binding of Isaac in Hebrew transliteration is Akedah
• Abraham withheld nothing, so Father God withheld nothing, and He sent to us His only Son.
• The binding of Isaac opened up a channel for God’s grace to come to all of Israel’s future generations.
• A righteous man in English, is Tsadik in Hebrew transliteration.
• Propitiatory Sacrificial Atonement—an innocent one can die in the place of the guilty, and by virtue of that, the guilty are made righteous.

Discussion Questions

1. Do you struggle exclaiming to others the exclusivity of salvation only through Jesus? How can Messianic prophecy help you to become more truthful and vocal about this? Are you using your social media for this purpose?

2. Who is the only Messiah to the Jewish people?

3. How does the very presence of the Jewish nation a fulfilled prophecy?

4. Read Hebrews 10:38 and write what this means.

5. What is a mediator? Who is the true Mediator?

6. Why did Rabbi call Isaac a true hero in the story of the binding of Isaac? How did Abraham’s obedience make him a hero?

7. What is Propitiatory Sacrificial Atonement? Why should this make you offer heartfelt praise to God?