



Young Israel of Bal Harbour The Dose

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The supreme importance of transmitting our heritage to our children can be learned from our great patriarch Abraham. One might wonder why was he so beloved by G-d? So the Torah tells us the reason. It states in Parshas Vayera 18-19, “ki y’dativ l’maan asher y’tzaveh es banav v’es bnei beiso acharav”. G-d said “ for I love him because I know he will teach his children and his household after him”. G-d didn’t choose Abraham because he was thrown into a fiery furnace or because he passed ten tests or because he was the paragon of chessed, but rather he was chosen by G-d to be the father of the Jewish people because of his dedication to transmit the (mesorah) traditions of authentic Judaism to his family. Remember the three most important things in life are family, family, and family.

Wishing you a great and inspiring day!

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