

Rhyming Patriarchs by Christina Dillane (for review of CEF's *Patriarchs* lesson series)

Read the first line and let the kids fill in the underlined rhyming word in the second line.

Abraham fell on his face when he was told
That Isaac would be born, He was so old.

I feel like jumping around like a little calf,
For the Lord My God has made me laugh.

(Who laughed? What does "Isaac" mean?)

Who could keep such a promise true,
but God Most High, does just what He says He will do.

He punishes the sin of wicked men,
But shows mercy on those who turn to Him.

Abraham learned that to tell a lie
Ends up making people cry or even die.

Abimelech said, "I know that God is with you."
So tell me the truth like God says to do.

One day God put Abraham to a test.
Read Genesis 22 to learn the rest.

Would he obey God and give his son,
The one he loved, the only one?

Isaac asked, "Where is the lamb, my Father?"
Abraham said, "God will provide, we are not to bother."

Abraham knowing that God could raise the dead,
Wasn't surprised when God provided a ram instead.

Abraham looked at the stars before going to bed.
He trusted that God would do exactly what He said.

And now we know that Christ did not come down from the cross that day
God planned to blessed every nation that way.

God's only son died for sin and then arose
The Lamb of God, so everyone knows,
To clean us from sin, no one ever can,
Only God's perfect Lamb.