## War in the Middle East Genesis 14 February 16, 2020

Why do people go to war? James 4:1-3

Is there a just war? (Proverbs 16:32)

What is life all about? Making known the greatness, goodness and grace of God

# Why were were they fighting?

Suzerain-Vassal Treaty

Who were the four Kings?

Who were the five Kings?

Do we expect war with God when we rebel against him?

**Battle v 8-12** Strategy of the Northern Kings

They were about to experience first hand the curses of the covenant.

**Abram goes to War v 13-17** Abram was ready to fight

When you walk with God, you are prepared for anything.

## Why did he go to war?

Abram had the chance to take the land by force.

## **Two Kings**

Melchizedek, King of Salem, King of Righteousness met Abram

# He gave God the credit for the victory.

## The King of Sodom

Abram's wealth and blessing came from God.

Abram is preserving his testimony in the world.