

**And said, By myself have I sworn, saith
the Lord, for because thou hast done this
thing, and hast not withheld thy son,
thine only son:**

**That in blessing I will bless thee, and in
multiplying I will multiply thy seed as
the stars of the heaven, and as the sand
which is upon the sea shore; and thy
seed shall possess the gate of his
enemies**

Genesis 22:16-17