

## THE FACE OF GOD - THE BLESSING OF JACOB

Genesis 25:26 Rebekah Gives Birth to Twins - Jacob Grabs Esau's Heel

After that came his brother out, **and his hand (Jacob) took hold on Esau's heel; and his name was called Jacob**: and Isaac was threescore years old when she bare them.

Genesis 25:28-34 Jacob Squander's Esau's Birthright

28 Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison: but Rebekah loved Jacob.

29 And Jacob sod pottage: and Esau came from the field, and he was faint:

30 And Esau said to Jacob, Feed me, I pray thee, with that same red pottage; for I am faint: therefore was his name called Edom.

31 **Jacob said, Sell me this day thy birthright.**

32 **Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die: and what profit shall this birthright do to me?**

33 And Jacob said, Swear to me this day; **and he sware unto him: and he sold his birthright unto Jacob.**

34 **Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles;** and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way: **thus Esau despised his birthright.**

Genesis 27:28-29 Isaac Blesses Jacob after Rebekah asks Jacob to pretend to be Esau

28 **Therefore God give thee of the dew of heaven, and the fatness of the earth, and plenty of corn and wine:**

29 **Let people serve thee, and nations bow down to thee: be lord over thy brethren, and let thy mother's sons bow down to thee: cursed be every one that curseth thee, and blessed be he that blesseth thee.**

Genesis 27:42-44 Jacob flees from Esau out of fear of death, to his uncle Laban in Haran.

Genesis 28:12-19 God Encounters Jacob at Bethel while Fleeing from Esau

12 Jacob dreamed, and behold **a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven: and behold the angels of God ascending and descending on it.**

13 And, behold, **the LORD stood above it, and said, I am the LORD God of Abraham thy father, and the God of Isaac: the land whereon thou liest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed;**

14 **And thy seed shall be as the dust of the earth, and thou shalt spread abroad to the west, and to the east, and to the north, and to the south: and in thee and in thy seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed.**

15 **And, behold, I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest, and will bring thee again into this land; for I will not leave thee, until I have done that which I have spoken to thee of.**

16 And Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the LORD is in this place; and I knew it not.

17 And he was afraid, and said, **How dreadful is this place! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.**

❖ Genesis 28:13-15 “Youngs Literal Translation” “The Face of God”

13 Lo, Jehovah is standing upon it, and saith, ‘I am Jehovah, God of Abraham thy father, and God of Isaac; the land on which thou art lying, to thee I give it, and to thy seed;

14 Thy seed “hath been” as the dust of the land, and “thou hast broken forth” westward, and eastward, and northward, and southward, “and all families of the ground (earth) “have been blessed” in thee and in thy seed.”

15 ‘And lo, I am with thee, and “have kept thee whithersoever thou goest,” “and have caused thee to turn back unto this ground;” for I leave thee not till that I have surely done that which I have spoken to thee.’

Genesis 32:24-28, 30 Jacob Wrestles with The Lord

24 And Jacob was left alone; and there wrestled a man with him until the breaking of the day.

25 And when he saw that he prevailed not against him, he touched the hollow of his thigh; and the hollow of Jacob's thigh (hip socket) was out of joint, as he wrestled with him.

26 And he said, Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me.

27 And he said unto him, What is thy name? And he said, Jacob.

28 And he said, Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel: for as a prince hast thou power with God and with men, and hast prevailed.

30 And Jacob called the name of the place Peniel: for I have seen God face to face...

❖ Genesis 32:28 “Youngs Literal Translation”

He saith, ‘Thy name is no more called Jacob, but Israel; for thou hast been a prince with God and with men, and dost prevail.’

Genesis 35:9-15

9 And God appeared unto Jacob again, when he came out of Padanaram, and blessed him.

10 And God said unto him, Thy name is Jacob: thy name shall not be called any more Jacob, but Israel shall be thy name: and he called his name Israel.

11 And God said unto him, I am God Almighty: be fruitful and multiply; a nation and a company of nations shall be of thee, and kings shall come out of thy loins;

12 And the land which I gave Abraham and Isaac, to thee I will give it, and to thy seed after thee will I give the land.

13 And God went up from him in the place where he talked with him.

14 And Jacob set up a pillar in the place where he talked with him, even a pillar of stone: and he poured a drink offering thereon, and he poured oil thereon.

15 And Jacob called the name of the place where God spake with him, Bethel.

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## JACOBS VOW TO TITHE

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- 17 And he was afraid, and said, **How dreadful is this place! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.**
- 18 And Jacob rose up early in the morning, and took the stone that he had put for his pillows, and set it up for a pillar, and poured oil upon the top of it.
- 19 he called the name of that place Bethel: but the name of that city was called Luz at the first.
- 20 **Jacob vowed a vow, saying, If God will be with me, and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat, and raiment to put on,**
- 21 **So that I come again to my father's house in peace; then shall the LORD be my God:**
- 22 **And this stone, which I have set for a pillar, shall be God's house: and of all that thou shalt give me I will surely give the tenth unto thee.**

Genesis 31:1-17 Jacob Speaks to Leah and Rachel

- 1 He heard the words of Laban's sons, saying, **Jacob hath taken away all that was our father's; and of that which was our father's hath he gotten all this glory.**
- 11 **The angel of God spake unto me in a dream,** saying, Jacob: And I said, Here am I.
- 12 And he said, Lift up now thine eyes, and see, all the rams which leap upon the cattle are ringstraked, speckled, and grisled: for I have seen all that Laban doeth unto thee.
- 13 **I am the God of Bethel, where thou anointedst the pillar, and where thou vowedst a vow unto me: now arise, get thee out from this land, and return unto the land of thy kindred.**

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## THE BLESSING OF JACOB

**In wrestling for the Blessing and asking for the Blessing, it's important to note that Jacob had already mightily financially blessed with great herds of livestock after returning from Laban. So what Blessing was Jacob really after ? From Jacob to Israel.**

- ❖ The Blessing is for God to literally be with you in the Earth.
- ❖ The Blessing is to access the Face of God, transforming your name, identity and calling.
- ❖ The Blessing is the catalyst that transform you from promise to manifestation.
- ❖ The Blessing have the testimony of your life in God spoken of for a 1000 years to come.
- ❖ The Blessing is to have God Stand with you and fight your battles for you.
- ❖ The Blessing is to have the angels constantly with you and working on your behalf.
- ❖ The Blessing is for call your seed after you, and exceedingly multiply both you and them.
- ❖ The Blessing is of course to be Financially Blessed with Generational Inheritance.
- ❖ The Blessing is to walk as a Possessor of Heaven and Earth.
- ❖ The Blessing is for God to consider and call you His Friend.
- ❖ The Blessing is to be transformed in the Face of God from an orphan spirit to full age sonship, to heirs and Joint-heirs with God, to reigning kings with The 7 Spirits of God.