

LEARNING TO TRUST

Genesis 28
February 20, 2022

How God does it in _____ is how God does it in _____ (v.2)

(vv.3-4)

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the Law (Deut. 28:15-68), having become a curse for us — for it is written, "CURSED IS EVERYONE WHO HANGS ON A TREE" — in order that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we would receive the promise of the Spirit through faith. - Galatians 3:13-14 (NASB)

Abraham...was called the friend of God. - James 2:23 (NKJV)

*Now Abram was very rich in livestock, in silver and in gold.
- Genesis 13:2-3 (NASB95)*

(Abram) He brought back all the goods, and also brought back his relative Lot with his possessions, - Genesis 14:16 (NASB)

God's Plan is bigger than my _____

*Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel
- Genesis 32:28 (NKJV)*

*For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.
- Ephesians 2:10 (NASB)*

Before God works _____ me He works _____ me

**To prepare Jacob (and me) to fulfill God's purpose, God:
Will use Jacob's _____**

**Uses a long journey out of the _____
From Beersheba to Paddan-aram will be _____
From Beersheba to Bethel is about _____**

This journey will be through _____

Allows _____ to be removed

Then Abimelech said to Isaac, "Move away from us; you have become too powerful for us." - Genesis 26:16 (NIV)

Allows _____ to be removed

*(To Abraham) ... You are a mighty prince among us...
- Genesis 23:6 (NASB)*

Allows _____ to be removed (v.11)

Jacob was a mild man, dwelling in tents. - Genesis 25:27 (NKJV)

What's Missing? _____ (v.11)

Allows a _____ to be removed

**This relationship will end _____
Rebekah loved Jacob. - Genesis 25:28 (NASB)**

(Jacob's Mom) Now therefore, my son, obey my voice according to what I command you. - Genesis 27:8 (NKJV)

All this so that Jacob can learn to _____

(v.12) **Ladder:** cullam - a stair-case (Strong's)

(vv. 13-16)

*I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you."
- Genesis 28:15 (NIV)*

Jacob goes from _____ to _____ (vv.16-19)

Luz: separation, departure; an almond (Hitchcock's)

Beth-el: House of God (Easton's)

Jacob tithed as a response to _____ (vv. 20-22)

And Jacob voweth a vow, saying, 'Seeing God is with me, and hath kept me in this way which I am going - Genesis 28:20-22 (YLT)

Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the Lord Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it. - Malachi 3:10 (NIV)