

## THE VIEW FROM 10 YEARS OUT

Genesis 33-34

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"Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel, - Genesis 32:28 (NIV)

**Jacob's family had issues but they were \_\_\_\_\_**

*Then the LORD said to Jacob, "Go back to the land of your fathers and to your relatives, and I will be with you." - Genesis 31:3 (NIV)*

*I am the God who appeared to you at Bethel, where you...made a vow to me. Now get ready and go back to the land where you were born.' - Genesis 31:13 (GNT)*

**Bethel:** House of God (Strong's)

(v.14) **Jacob says he's going to Seir (where his family is)**

**Seir:** The name of a mountainous region occupied by the Edomites (EBD)

**Seir:** Rough (Strong's)

**But Jacob goes to Succoth (No Believers there) (v.17)**

**Succoth:** Booths (Easton's), Tents (Hitchcock's)

**One problem with arriving safely at Shechem: (v.18)**

*...the LORD said to Jacob, "Go back to the land of your fathers and to your relatives, and I will be with you." - Genesis 31:3 (NIV)*

**Shechem:** The neck (between the shoulders) as the place of burdens (Strong's)

**Instead of doing what God said, Jacob decides to do something religious (It makes him feel better) (v.20)**

**El Elohe:** Israel - The Mighty God of Israel (Strong's)

*"Does the LORD delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as much as in obeying the voice of the LORD? To obey is better than sacrifice, - 1 Samuel 15:22 (NIV)*

**Jacob settles in Shechem and \_\_\_\_\_ years go by  
Jacob builds an altar and God \_\_\_\_\_  
In Chapter 34 \_\_\_\_\_ will not be mentioned**

**(Genesis 34) What Does it Look Like Ten Years Later?**

**The Results of Jacob's Compromise:**

**This story is about Dinah and/or \_\_\_\_\_ (v.1)**

**Dinah:** Judgment (Hitchcock's)

**Result 1: Jacob's daughter is \_\_\_\_\_ (v.2)**

*Shechem...took her and lay with her by force.*

*- Genesis 34:2-3 (NASU)*

**Shechem is part of the Hivites:** Wicked, wickedness (Hitchcock's)

**The father (Hamor) offers no \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.8-10)**

**Hamor:** Donkey (NBD)

**Result 2: Dad is no longer seen as the \_\_\_\_\_ (v.13)**

**If a Dad doesn't lead his family \_\_\_\_\_ will**

**(v.25) Result 3: Jacob's sons are \_\_\_\_\_**

*... the wrath of man does not produce the righteousness of God.*

*- James 1:20 (NKJV)*

**Result 4: Jacob's sons are \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.27-29)**

**Result 5: Jacob's sons lose all \_\_\_\_\_ for Dad (v.31)**

*But they replied, "Should he (JACOB) have treated our sister like a prostitute?" - Genesis 34:31 (NIV)*

**Fortunately, Jacob is ready to hear God again**

*Then God said to Jacob, "Arise, go up to Bethel and dwell there; and make an altar there to God, who appeared to you when you fled from the face of Esau your brother." - Genesis 35:1 (NKJV)*

**Notice: God just \_\_\_\_\_ what He already \_\_\_\_\_**