

My Time with God



Name: _____

Jacob Fled From Canaan

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Genesis 28 & 32

(Grades 3-6)

Parents:

Please use this weekly devotional to encourage your children to spend time praying and reading God's word. Our prayer is that they will know Christ as He has revealed himself through Scripture.

Psalms 119:11

I have hidden your word in my heart
that I might not sin against you.

Also, we want to encourage parents to spend time reading Scripture and praying with your child. Each week, a question and answer about God and a related Bible verse will be included. By answering these daily, you will be building a Biblical foundation for a relationship with God for your child.

In Christ,
Sara Schiflett

Day 1

Pray: “Dear God, please teach me through reading your word, Amen.”

Read: Genesis 28:1-9

Where did Isaac send Jacob to look for a wife?

What blessing did Isaac want to have God pass along to Jacob?

Where did Esau go to get a wife that he hoped would be pleasing to his parents?

Read and Praise God: Genesis 50:20

Day 2

Pray: “Dear God, please teach me through reading your word, Amen.”

Read: Genesis 28:10-22

What did Jacob use as a pillow when he stopped for the night?

Draw a picture of what Jacob’s dream might have looked like.

What promise did God make to Jacob in his dream?

What vow did Jacob make when he woke up the next morning?

Read and Praise God: Genesis 50:20

Jacob's Dream Decoder

Stairway to Heaven

"I am the LORD, the God of your father Abraham and the God of Isaac. I will give you and your descendants the land on which you are lying. Genesis 28:13b (NIV)

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.



P	R	U	E	H	T	B	N	M	L	X	F	K	O	Q	Y	D	Z	C	V	W	J	S	A	I	G
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

- 23-6-14-8-4 _____
- 5-4-24-17 _____
- 23-10-4-4-1 _____
- 17-2-4-24-9 _____
- 23-6-24-25-2-21-24-16 _____
- 5-4-24-20-4-8 _____
- 24-8-26-4-10-23 _____
- 1-2-14-9-25-23-4 _____

DREAM
PROMISE

SLEEP
HEAVEN

STAIRWAY
ANGELS

STONE
HEAD

Day 3

Pray: “Dear God, please teach me through reading your word, Amen.”

Read: Genesis 32:1-8

Jacob was returning to the land of his father Isaac. Who did Jacob send ahead of him to greet Esau?

How many men were coming with Esau when he went to greet Jacob?

How did Jacob feel when he heard that Esau was coming out to meet him?

What was Jacob’s response?

Read and Praise God: Genesis 50:20

the **GOSPEL** **GOD'S PLAN FOR ME**

gos-pel – *noun*. good news. the message about Christ, the kingdom of God, and salvation.



GOD RULES.

The Bible tells us God created everything, including you and me, and He is in charge of everything. *Genesis 1:1; Revelation 4:11; Colossians 1:16-17*



WE SINNED.

We all choose to disobey God. The Bible calls this sin. Sin separates us from God and deserves God's punishment of death. *Romans 3:23; 6:23*



GOD PROVIDED.

God sent Jesus, the perfect solution to our sin problem, to rescue us from the punishment we deserve. It's something we, as sinners, could never earn on our own. Jesus alone saves us. *John 3:16; Ephesians 2:8-9*



JESUS GIVES.

He lived a perfect life, died on the cross for our sins, and rose again. Because Jesus gave up His life for us, we can be welcomed into God's family for eternity. This is the best gift ever! *Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21; 1 Peter 3:18; Ephesians 2:8-9*



WE RESPOND.

Believe in your heart that Jesus alone saves you through what He's already done on the cross. Repent, turning from self and sin to Jesus. Tell God and others that your faith is in Jesus. *John 14:6; Romans 10:9-10, 13*

Day 4

Pray: “Dear God, please teach me through reading your word. Amen.”

Read: Genesis 32: 9-21

What was the prayer Jacob prayed when he heard that Esau was coming to greet him?

What gift did Jacob prepare for Esau?

How many groups did Jacob send ahead of him and what did he want to make sure each group said?

Read and Pray: Genesis 50:20

Day 5

Pray: “Dear God, please teach me through reading your word. Amen.”

Read: Genesis 32:22-32

Who did Jacob send first across the stream?

What did he send after them?

When Jacob was left alone, who came to him?

When the man could not overpower Jacob, what did he do?

Jacob’s name was changed to what?

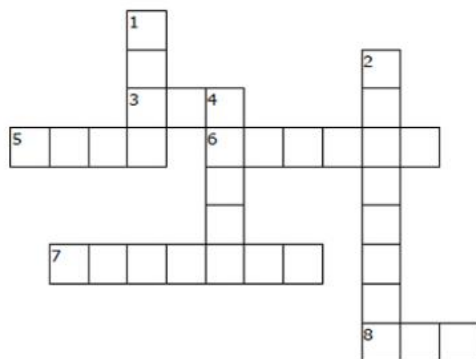
Read and Pray: Genesis 50:20

Jacob Wrestles with God Crossword

Jacob Wrestles with God

So Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him till daybreak. Genesis 32:24 (NIV)

Puzzle is based on Genesis 32:22-31



ACROSS

3. An adult male human
5. The part of the body where the mouth, nose, and eyes are
6. The new name that God gave to Jacob
7. To struggle and try to throw an opponent to the ground
8. The creator of heaven and earth

DOWN

1. What a person is called
2. To give wealth or happiness upon someone (I'm not sure if this is the right form of the word to use)
4. The dark part of day from sundown to sunup

NAME	GOD	WRESTLE	MAN
ISRAEL	FACE	BLESSING	NIGHT

Funny of the Week

Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Luke.

Luke who?



Luke through the peephole and
find out!



BIG PICTURE
**QUESTIONS
& ANSWERS**
FOR KIDS



Who is in control of everything?

God is in control of everything in heaven and on earth. Nothing is outside of God's good plan.



“You planned evil against me; God planned it for good to bring about the present result—the survival of many people.”

Genesis 50:20