

Jacob Marries Leah and Rachel

1. Carefully read through Genesis 28:10-30:24. Highlight with different colors all of the words spoken by different people. Mark in yellow everywhere the name of God is used. Mark in green everywhere a place is named. Mark in blue everywhere a person is named. Circle, underline, or color any repeated phrases. What patterns do you notice?
2. Memorize Genesis 28:15, "Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land. For I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you."
3. Create your own detailed outline of Genesis 28:10-30:24.
4. What happens to Jacob at Bethel? What happened at Bethel earlier in Genesis? What does Jacob do in response?
5. How does Jacob meet Rachel? How is this account similar to the way Isaac met Rebekah? How is it different?

6. Why does Jacob need to serve Laban in order to marry Rachel?

7. How does Laban deceive Jacob? How is this account similar to the way Jacob deceived Isaac? How is it different?

8. How does God intervene on behalf of Leah? Why does he do this?

9. How does Rachel respond? Why does she do this?

10. How does Leah respond? Why does she do this?

11. How does God intervene on behalf of Rachel? Why does he do this?