



"How sweet are your words to my taste,  
sweeter than honey to my mouth!"

Psalm 119:103

# THE BOOK OF GENESIS

## PART II

### GRADE 2

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# INTRODUCTION

## ABRAHAM



- Meaning “the father of a multitude”
- God’s friend
- He believed in God and it was counted for him as righteousness
- So loved God as to give up his only son
- He was obedient:

*He left his house to go to a place he did not know  
He offered his only son as a sacrifice*

## ISAAC

- Meaning “laughter” or “he laughs”
- The son of Abraham and Sarah
- The man whose birth caused a laugh
- He was the child of promise
- He was obedient to his father when he offered him as a sacrifice
- A symbol of Christ who obeyed his father to death



## JACOB

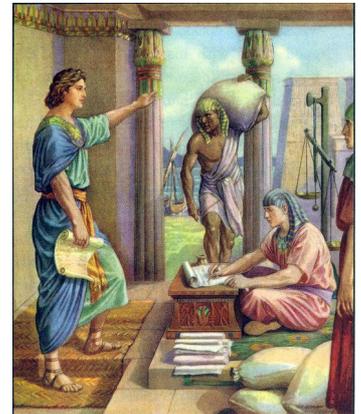


- Meaning "grabber"
- A man of faith
- A man of prayer
- Wrestled with an angel, asking for a blessing. At last the angel blessed him and gave him a new name: Israel

*"You have struggled with God."*

## JOSEPH

- Meaning “Jehovah increases”
- The man whose dream came true
- He went from pit to palace
- He worked as a slave but was faithful in hard places
- He resisted temptation
- He knew how to return good for evil



## Questions

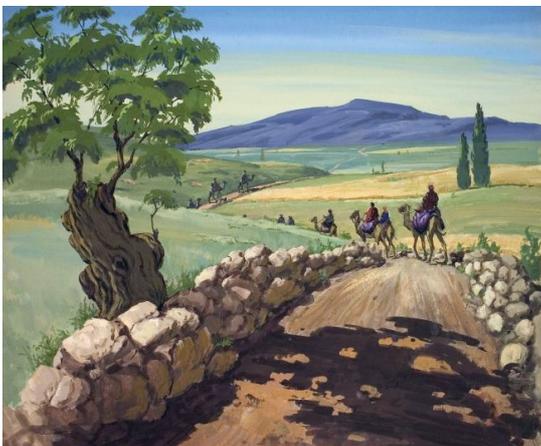
- 1- "Abraham" means
  - a) Father of a multitude
  - b) Father of the promised son
  - c) Father of all nations
  
- 2- Who was the child of promise?
  - a) Jacob
  - b) Joseph
  - c) Isaac
  
- 3- Isaac is a symbol of Christ. True – False
  
- 4- Jacob's name was changed to
  - a) Canaan
  - b) Israel
  - c) Judah
  
- 5- "Joseph" means
  - a) Son of the promise
  - b) The grabber
  - c) Jehovah increases

# A wife for Isaac

Genesis 24

When Abraham was old, he was concerned about finding a wife for Isaac. One day, he said to his servant, "Promise me you will return to my home land to find a good wife for Isaac." God has promised to increase my family. He will help you.

*Isaac must not go back*

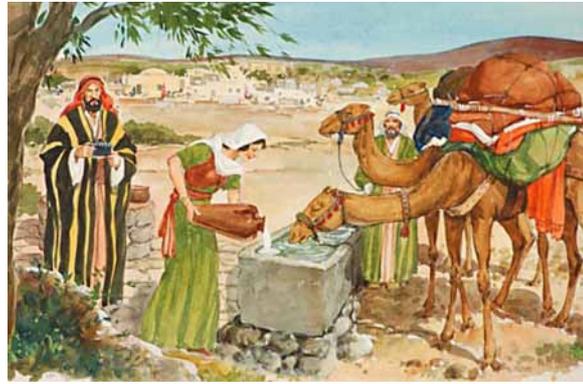


So the servant took ten camels loaded with many gifts, and traveled to Mesopotamia, the city of Nahor (*Abraham's homeland*). When he arrived, he and the camels were very thirsty. He stopped by a well and prayed, "God, please help me find a good wife for Isaac. When I ask a girl for a drink, let her offer to get water for all of my camels also."

Soon a beautiful girl named Rebekah came and filled her jar with water.

"Please, may I have a drink?" the servant asked.

"Certainly," she said with a smile. "And when you're done, let me also draw water for your camels." She worked hard, and then invited him to stay at her father's home. The servant told her family about Abraham and Isaac, and how he had prayed for God to show him the right woman for Isaac's wife. Rebekah's family believed Abraham's servant. They asked her if she wanted to return with him to become Isaac's wife. Rebekah said, "Yes!"



### Questions

- 1- Abraham asked his servant to find a wife for his son Isaac from the daughters of the Canaanites. True - False
- 2- Where did Abraham's servant go to find a wife for Isaac?
  - a) Constantinople
  - b) Mesopotamia
  - c) Canaan
- 3- Abraham asked his servant to take Isaac with him to look for a bride. True - False
- 4- What would the woman chosen by God to be Isaac's wife do for Abraham's servant?
  - a) Give him and his camels a drink
  - b) Give him a drink
  - c) Give him something to eat
- 5- What is the name of Isaac's wife?
  - a) Rachel
  - b) Rahab
  - c) Rebekah

# Jacob and Esau

Genesis 25

Isaac and Rebekah were married. And Isaac loved Rebekah, but for many years they had no children.



Finally, Isaac asked God to give Rebekah a child. God answered Isaac's prayers and Rebekah became pregnant. But the children struggled together within her; and she said, "If all is well, why am I like this?" So she went to inquire of the Lord. And the Lord said to her: "Two nations are within you," "The older will serve the younger." Then Rebekah had twins.

*The first was named Esau and the second, Jacob.*



As the boys grew older, Esau became a skilled hunter a man of the field; but Jacob was a mild man, dwelling in tents.

One evening, Jacob made a stew. Esau came home and said, "Hurry up, give me some of your stew. I'm starving!" "I'll trade you some stew for your birthright," said Jacob. "Fine!" said Esau. "My birthright is worthless if I die from hunger!"

***Because the stew was red, Esau was called Edom.***

**So Esau gave Jacob his birthright.**

## **What is the Birthright?**

*The Birthright was a special right enjoyed by the firstborn son of the family to receive a special blessing from the father to become head of the family after the father dies and to receive double portion of the inheritance of his father's possessions.*

## Questions

- 1- Isaac prayed for Rebekah because
  - a) She was very sick
  - b) She did not have children
  - c) She was travelling

- 2- Esau was a
- Farmer
  - Soldier
  - Skillful hunter
- 3- Jacob was a
- Dweller of tents
  - Man of field
  - Skillful hunter
- 4- What did Esau ask Jacob for, when he came hungry from the field?
- Water
  - Stew
  - A place to rest
- 5- Because the stew of red Esau was called
- Israel
  - Canaan
  - Edom
- 6- In exchange for the stew Jacob asked Esau to
- Give him some money
  - Sell him his birthright
  - Find his own food
- 7- Fill in the blanks: The Lord spoke a prophecy to Rebekah before her twins were born. He told her:  
Two \_\_\_\_\_ are within you. The \_\_\_\_\_ shall serve the \_\_\_\_\_ -.

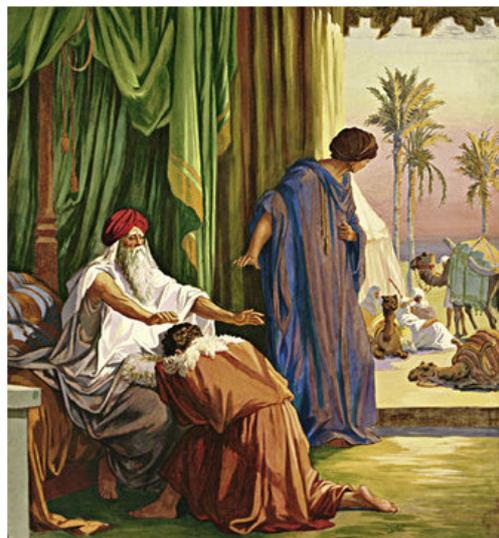
## Isaac blesses Jacob

Genesis 27



Years later, Isaac grew old and weak and blind. He knew he would soon die, so he called to Esau and said, "Go hunt me some wild game, then come and prepare me a tasty meal. After that I will give you my blessing."

Rebekah heard Isaac and was concerned about Jacob, she wanted him to have Isaac's blessing.



Rebekah called Jacob and told him “Go bring two goats; “I’ll prepare your father's favorite meal. Then you can serve it to him and get Esau's blessing.” “But he'll know I'm not Esau,” said Jacob. “Esau is hairy; my skin is smooth.” So Rebekah wrapped goatskins on Jacob's arms dressed him with Esau’s clothes, and Jacob set the meal before Isaac. When Isaac finished eating, he gave Jacob the blessing.

When Esau discovered that Jacob had tricked him. He was very angry. Rebekah asked Jacob to flee from his brother and go to her brother Laban in Haran.

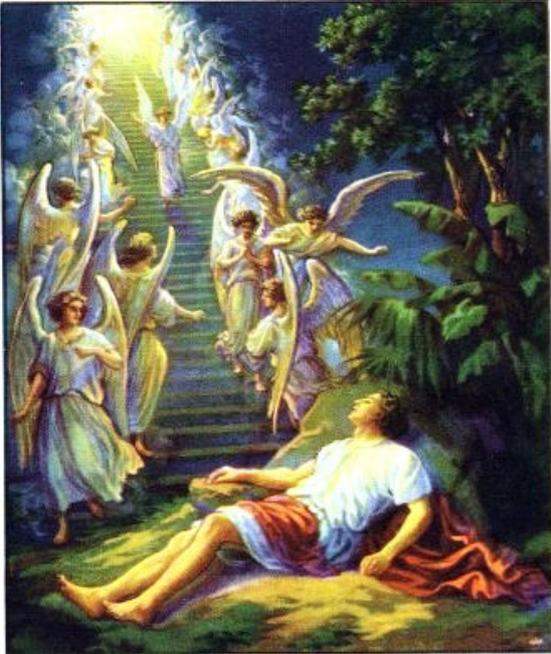
***Isaac could not take away the blessing he had given to Jacob***

#### Questions

- 1- Who was listening when Isaac was talking to Esau about the blessing?
  - a) Jacob
  - b) Rebekah
  - c) One of the servants
  
- 2- Rebekah was happy that Isaac was going to give the blessing to Esau. True/False
  
- 3- Esau was a hairy man but Jacob’s skin was smooth. True/False
  
- 4- What did Rebekah do to Jacob before he went to Isaac?
  - a) She wrapped his arms with goat skin
  - b) She dressed him with Esau’s clothes
  - c) A & B
  
- 5- Isaac gave the blessing to Jacob thinking he was Esau. True/False
  
- 6- Because Esau was angry, Rebekah told Jacob to
  - a) Flee to her brother
  - b) Flee to Egypt
  - c) Apologize to Esau
  
- 7- What was the name of Rebekah’s brother?
  - a) Isaac
  - b) Laban
  - c) Ishmael

# Jacob's Dream

Genesis 28



Jacob left quickly, traveling all day. When night came, he fell asleep under the stars, using a stone for a pillow. As he slept, he had a dream about a beautiful ladder that reached all the way from earth up to heaven! Angels came up and down the stairs, and God said, “I am the Lord God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and your descendants. Also your descendants shall be as the dust of the earth; you shall spread abroad to the west and the east, to the north and the south; and in you and in your seed all the families of the earth shall be blessed. 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 spoken to you.”

Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, “Surely the Lord is in this place, and I did not know it.” And he was afraid and said, “How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven!” And he made a vow to God. Then he took the stone that he had put at his head, set it up as a pillar, and poured oil on top of it.

He called the name of that place Bethel

Then Jacob made a VOW, saying, “If God will be with me, and keep me in this way that I am going, and give me bread to eat and clothing to put on, so that I come back to my father’s house in peace

The Lord shall be my God.  
This stone which I have set as a pillar shall be God’s house  
Of all that You give me I will surely give a tenth to You.

## GOD'S THREE PROMISES TO ABRAHAM, ISAAC, JACOB

### THE NATION PROMISE

TO ABRAHAM: I will make you a great nation. Gen. 12:2

TO ISAAC: I will make your descendants multiply as the stars of heaven. Gen 26: 4

TO JACOB: Your descendants shall be as the dust of the earth. Gen 28: 14

### THE LAND PROMISE

TO ABRAHAM: To your descendants I will give this land. Gen: 12: 7

TO ISAAC: I will give to your descendants all these lands. Gen 26: 4

TO JACOB: The land on which you lie I will give to you. Gen 28: 13

### THE SPIRITUAL PROMISE

TO ABRAHAM: In you all the families of the earth shall be blessed. Gen 12: 3

TO ISAAC: In your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed. Gen 26: 4

TO JACOB: In your seed all the families of the earth shall be blessed. Gen 28: 14

### Questions

- 1- Jacob dreamed of \_\_\_\_\_ set upon the earth and the top of it reached to heaven.
  - a) Ladder
  - b) Tower
  - c) Pillar
  
- 2- The Lord repeated to Jacob the promise he had given to Abraham and Isaac. True/False
  
- 3- Jacob took the stone that he had put at his head and set \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) An altar
  - b) A pillar
  - c) A memorial
  
- 4- Jacob called the name of the place \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Bethsaida
  - b) Bethlehem
  - c) Bethel

5- Fill in the blanks using the following words:

God – Pillar – house – tenth – give

Jacob vowed that if the Lord would be with him. The Lord would be his \_\_\_\_\_, the stone set up for a \_\_\_\_\_ would be God's \_\_\_\_\_ of all that the lord gave him, he would \_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord.

# Jacob and Laban – Jacob's Family

Genesis 29, 30: 1-24; 35: 16-20



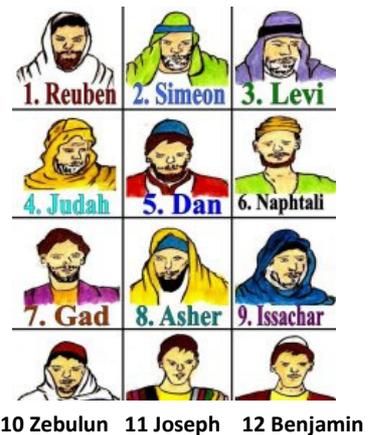
Jacob arrived at his mother's hometown and asked about his relatives. A man said, "That's your relative, Rachel." So Jacob introduced himself to her and went to meet her father, Laban. In time, Jacob asked to marry Rachel. Laban agreed, but first Jacob must work for seven years! Jacob loved Rachel, so he worked hard. But when the wedding day came, Laban tricked Jacob, giving his older daughter (Leah) as Jacob's bride. "What have you done?" cried Jacob. He was told that their custom required that the firstborn marry before the younger. Laban then agreed to allow Jacob to marry Rachel after one week provided he would serve for another seven years."

## **Jacob's Family:**

*Jacob loved Rachel more than Leah. While Rachel remained childless, Leah bore Jacob four sons. Rachel gave her handmaid Bilhah to Jacob as his wife in order to have children by her. Bilhah bore two sons to Jacob. Leah then gave her handmaid Zilpah to Jacob as wife, and she too, had two sons. Finally God remembered Rachel, and she conceived and had a son. Following the birth of her second son sometime later, Rachel died.*

## Questions

- 1- Laban had two daughters, \_\_\_\_\_ was the older.
  - a) Rachel
  - b) Leah
  - c) Rebekah
  
- 2- Jacob loved Leah more than Rachel. True/False
  
- 3- In order to marry Rachel Jacob agreed to serve Laban for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) 7 weeks
  - b) 14 years
  - c) 7 years
  
- 4- Laban tricked Jacob and gave him Leah as a bride. True/False
  
- 5- Laban agreed to allow Jacob to marry Rachel after one \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Week
  - b) Year
  - c) Day



6- Rachel brought 4 sons to Jacob but Leah did not have any children. True/ False

## Joseph

Genesis 37

After many long years of waiting, Jacob and Rachel finally had a son. It was a day of great rejoicing, and they named this son Joseph.



Jacob had eleven other sons, but Joseph was his favorite son. So he made Joseph a beautiful tunic with all the colors of the rainbow woven into it. One night, Joseph had an unusual dream. The next day, he told his brothers, "I dreamed we were bundling up wheat. Suddenly, my bundle of wheat rose high in the air, and all of your bundles bowed down before it." "So you must think you're better than we are!"

When Joseph was 17 years-old his father sent him to check on his brothers.

They were far off, tending flocks of sheep, but they spotted him walking in the distance. "Here comes the dreamer," they said. "Let's kill him!" And they began to plot against him. "No, don't kill him," said Reuben, the oldest. "Just throw him into this pit" (*he was planning to come and rescue him*). When Joseph arrived, they jumped on him, ripped off his beautiful tunic, and threw him down into a pit. Then they sat and ate their lunch. When a band of merchants passed by, the brothers sold Joseph as a slave for twenty pieces of silver. And they took Joseph's tunic, killed a goat, and dipped the tunic in the blood. They brought it to their father and said, "We have found this. Do you know whether it is your son's tunic or not?" And he recognized it and said,



"It is my son's tunic. A wild beast has devoured him."

Then Jacob tore his clothes, put sackcloth on his waist, and mourned for his son many days.

### Questions

1- Joseph was Jacob's favorite son. True/False

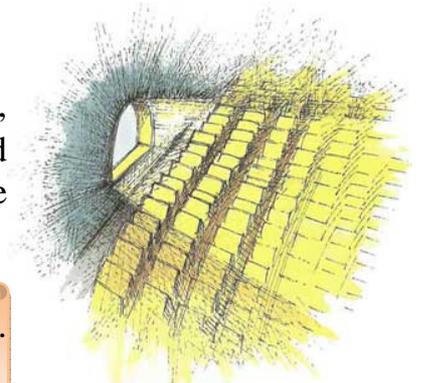
- 2- What did Jacob make for Joseph ?
- a) A colored tunic
  - b) A nice suit
  - c) A green shirt
- 3- Joseph had a dream that his brothers bundles
- a) Ate his bundle
  - b) Bowed down before his bundle
  - c) Were cut by a strange hand
- 4- When his brothers saw Joseph coming they said here comes \_\_\_\_\_
- a) Our brother
  - b) The smart boy
  - c) The dreamer
- 5- Who saved Joseph from being killed by his brothers?
- a) Reuben
  - b) A soldier
  - c) Benjamin
- 6- Joseph's brothers killed a goat and put Joseph's tunic in its blood. True/False
- 7- When they took the tunic to Jacob, he said
- a) This is not Joseph's tunic
  - b) A wild beast devoured Joseph
  - c) You killed Joseph
- 8- Joseph was sold by his brothers for \_\_\_\_\_ pieces of silver.
- a) 20
  - b) 30
  - c) 50

## Joseph in Prison

Genesis 39

Joseph was taken to Egypt and sold to a man named Potiphar, an officer of Pharaoh, captain of the guard. Joseph worked hard, and soon Potiphar put him in charge of his entire household.

The Lord was with Joseph, and he was a successful man: Gen. 39: 2



But Potiphar's wife was not a good woman, and one day she accused Joseph of betraying her husband. Although her words were false, Joseph was put in prison. But even in prison, he obeyed God. Joseph liked helping people.

Again the Lord was with Joseph, and eventually the keeper of the prison placed him in charge of all the prisoners. The prison keeper did not concern himself with anything under Joseph's authority, for whatever Joseph did the Lord made it to prosper.

#### Questions

- 1- Joseph was brought by the merchants to
  - a) Canaan
  - b) Egypt
  - c) Haran
  
- 2- Joseph was bought by
  - a) Potiphar
  - b) Pharaoh
  - c) A Pagan priest
  
- 3- The Lord was with Joseph and he was \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Set free by his master
  - b) A successful man
  - c) A very rich man
  
- 4- Why was Joseph put into prison?
  - a) Because he broke precious statues
  - b) Because Potiphar's wife accused him falsely
  - c) Because he left the house without permission
  
- 5- The keeper of the prison
  - a) Allowed Joseph to escape
  - b) Put Joseph in charge of all the prisoners
  - c) Allowed Joseph to visit his family

## The Butler and the Baker

Genesis 40

One day Pharaoh, the king of Egypt, became angry with his butler and baker and put them in prison where Joseph was confined. The prison keeper placed Joseph in charge of the King's two servants.

One night each had a dream. When morning came they were sad because they did not know the meaning of the dreams.

**The Butler Dream:** Behold, in my dream a vine *was* before me, and in the vine *were* three branches; it *was* as though it budded, its blossoms shot forth, and its clusters brought forth ripe grapes. Then Pharaoh's cup *was* in my hand; and I took the grapes and pressed them into Pharaoh's cup, and placed the cup in Pharaoh's hand."

**The Baker Dream:** "I also *was* in my dream, and there *were* three white baskets on my head. In the uppermost basket *were* all kinds of baked goods for Pharaoh, and the birds ate them out of the basket on my head."



Joseph told them that the interpretations belong to God and proceeded to tell them the meaning of their dreams. Joseph asked the butler to remember him in front of Pharaoh. Joseph's interpretations for both men came to pass. The butler was restored to his position in Pharaoh's service, and the baker lost his life. Yet the butler did not remember Joseph but forgot about him.

#### Questions

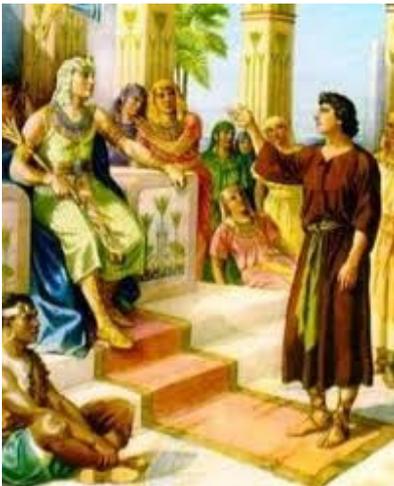
- 1- Who offended the king of Egypt?
  - a) His baker
  - b) His butler
  - c) A & B
  
- 2- Joseph said that interpretations belong to \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Him
  - b) God
  - c) His father
  
- 3- What request did Joseph make of the butler?
  - a) To remember him in front of Pharaoh
  - b) To come back and visit him
  - c) To bring him food and drink
  
- 4- The butler remembered Joseph's request and helped him. True / False
  
- 5- Who dreamed that he was pressing grapes in Pharaoh's cup?
  - a) The butler
  - b) The baker
  - c) The prison keeper

# Pharaoh's Dream

Genesis 41

Two years later, Pharaoh's had two troubling dreams.

*Behold, he stood by the river. Suddenly there came up out of the river seven cows, fine looking and fat; and they fed in the meadow. Then behold, seven other cows came up after them out of the river, ugly and gaunt, and stood by the other cows on the bank of the river. And the ugly and gaunt cows ate up the seven fine looking and fat cows. So Pharaoh awoke. He slept and dreamed a second time; and suddenly seven heads of grain came up on one stalk, plump and good. Then behold, seven thin heads, blighted by the east wind, sprang up after them. And the seven thin heads devoured the seven plump and full heads.*



When the wise men of Egypt could not interpret the dreams, the butler then remembered Joseph and informed the king about the young Hebrew prisoner.

Soon he was released to help Pharaoh, "Joseph, I've heard you are able to explain dreams," said Pharaoh. "Only with God's help," replied Joseph.

God showed Joseph what Pharaoh's dreams meant (*the cows and the 7 heads of grains represents 7 years*).

Joseph said, "God is warning you. After seven years with plenty of food, the rains will stop. Nothing will grow for the next seven years. But if you plan, you can save your people from starving. Set over the land of Egypt a wise man, who would store food during the good years. Then he can feed your people during the bad years." Then Pharaoh said to Joseph,

***"Inasmuch as God has shown you all this, there is no one as discerning and wise as you. You shall be over my house, and all my people shall be ruled according to your word; only in regard to the throne will I be greater than you." Gen. 41: 40-41***

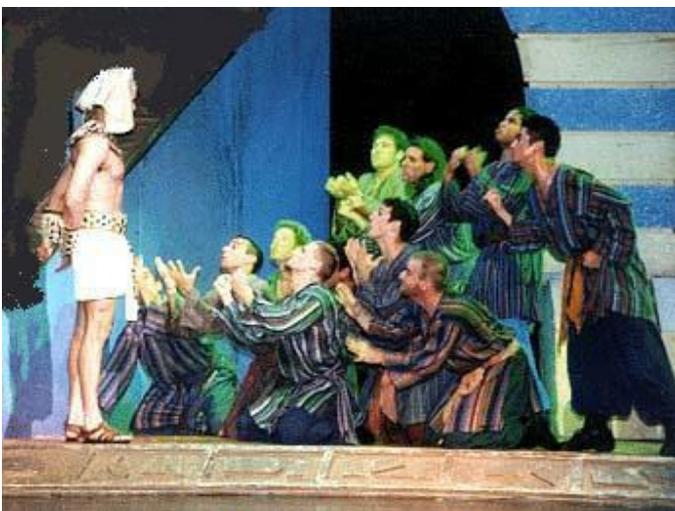
Joseph worked hard to carry out the plans that God showed him. He made sure that huge amounts of grain were stored. And when the bad years came, Egypt had plenty of food to feed its people.

## Questions

- 1- Who told pharaoh about Joseph?
  - a) Potiphar
  - b) His butler
  - c) The prison keeper
  
- 2- All the magicians and the wise men could interpret Pharaoh's dreams. True/False
  
- 3- In pharaoh's dream both the seven cows and the seven heads of grain represented \_\_\_\_
  - a) Seven years
  - b) Seven months
  - c) Seven days
  
- 4- What did Joseph suggest to pharaoh to save Egypt from the famine?
  - a) To buy grains from all the surrounding countries
  - b) To store grains from the good years
  - c) A & B
  
- 5- Joseph told pharaoh that he should set over the land of Egypt a man who was \_\_\_\_
  - a) Wise
  - b) Committed
  - c) Strong
  
- 6- Whom did pharaoh pick to rule over Egypt?
  - a) Joseph
  - b) Potiphar
  - c) The chief magician

## Joseph meets his brothers

Genesis 42-46



People from all over came to Egypt for food. Even Joseph's brothers came to buy grain. They bowed before the Egyptian governor—not knowing he was Joseph!  
"We are the twelve sons of Jacob," they said. "But one brother is dead, and our youngest brother, Benjamin, is at home."

"I think you are spies," said Joseph. "But if what you say is true, then send for this other brother."

They were frightened. Was God punishing them for selling Joseph as a slave? Finally, Joseph allowed them to return to their homeland with food. But he kept one brother, and made them promise to return with Benjamin.

When he heard his sons' story, Jacob sadly agreed to let Benjamin go to Egypt. This time, Joseph invited the brothers into his home, but Joseph still didn't say who he was. Before they left, he asked his servant to hide his silver cup in Benjamin's sack. Then he sent his servant after them. "You've stolen my master's cup!" said the servant. "Now Benjamin must return to Egypt!"

"Please don't take him!" they cried. "Our father lost his son Joseph. It would kill him to lose Benjamin too."



At last Joseph cried out. "I am Joseph! God spared me so I could help you."

*"So now it was not you who sent me here, but God; and He has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house, and a ruler throughout all the land of Egypt." Gen. 45: 8*

### Questions

1- Why did Joseph's brother come to Egypt?

- a) To buy grains
- b) To see Joseph
- c) To check the land of Egypt

2- Joseph's brothers bowed before him not knowing that he was Joseph. True/False

3- All Joseph's brothers went to Egypt except \_\_\_\_\_

- a) Judah
- b) Benjamin
- c) Reuben

- 4- Where did Joseph's servant hide his cup?
  - a) In Benjamin's sack
  - b) In the corner of the house
  - c) In Judah's sack
- 5- Joseph wanted to keep Benjamin, and his brothers agreed. True/False
- 6- Joseph told his brothers that it was God's plan that he came to Egypt. (True/False)

## Jacob moves to Egypt – Death of Joseph

Genesis 46– 50



After Joseph revealed himself to his brothers, he instructed them to return to Canaan and bring their father and their families to Egypt, for there were still five more years of famine. Pharaoh sent wagons to transport their families and goods and provided their dwelling in the area in Egypt called Goshen.

Joseph brought Jacob before Pharaoh, and Jacob blessed Pharaoh.

When Jacob was near death, he asked to be buried, not in Egypt, but in the field of Machpelah, in the land of Canaan.

The book of Genesis ends with the death of Joseph. Before Joseph died he told his brothers that God would bring them out of Egypt and give them the land promised to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Then Joseph took an oath from the children of Israel, saying,

***“God will surely visit you, and you shall carry up my bones from here.”***  
***Gen. 50: 25***

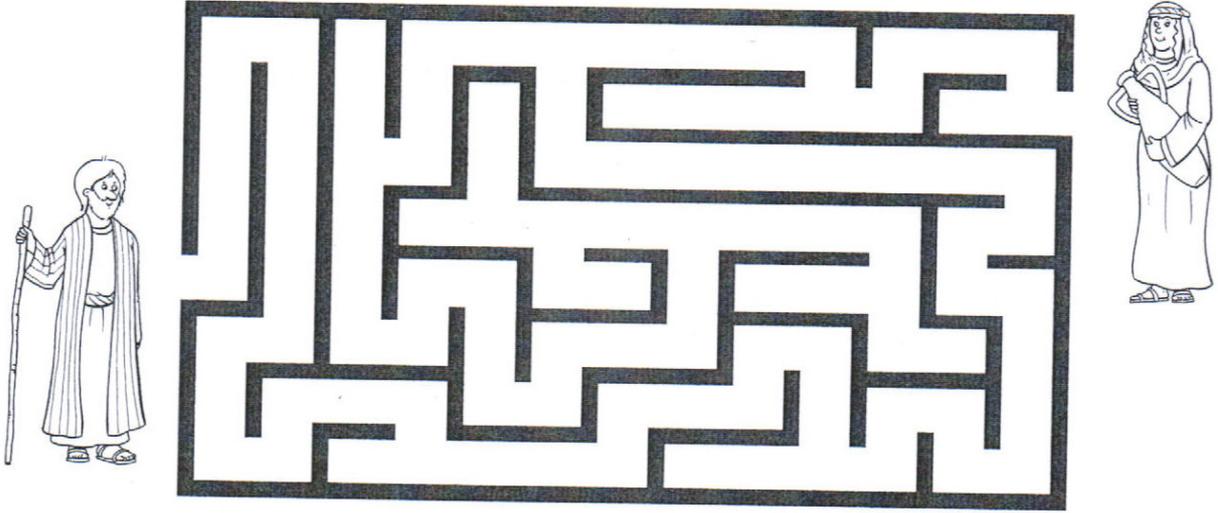
### Questions

- 1- Where did Joseph's family dwell in Egypt?
  - a) In the city of Pithom
  - b) In Goshen
  - c) In Luxor

- 2- Joseph brought Jacob before Pharaoh and Pharaoh blessed him. (True/False)
- 3- Jacob asked Joseph to bury him in \_\_\_\_\_ after he died.
- a) Egypt
  - b) In Canaan
  - c) Anywhere he liked
- 4- What oath did Joseph take from the children of Israel?
- a) That they never leave Egypt
  - b) That they carry up his bones from Egypt
  - c) That they leave his coffin in Egypt
- 5- The book of Genesis ends with
- a) The anointing of Moses
  - b) The rising of a new Pharaoh who disliked the Hebrews
  - c) The death of Joseph

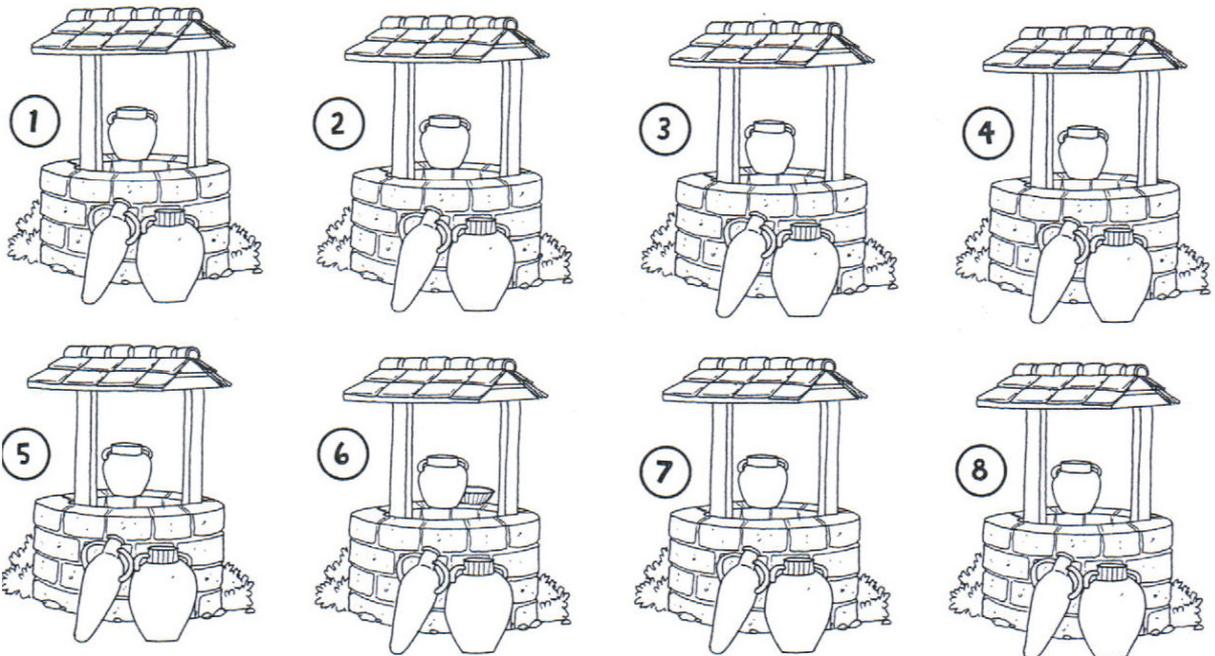
# Marriage Maze

Which way should Isaac go to ask Rebekah to marry him?



## Well, Well!

Abraham's servant met Rebekah by a well, when she kindly offered him and his camels a drink. Which of these wells is different from the others?

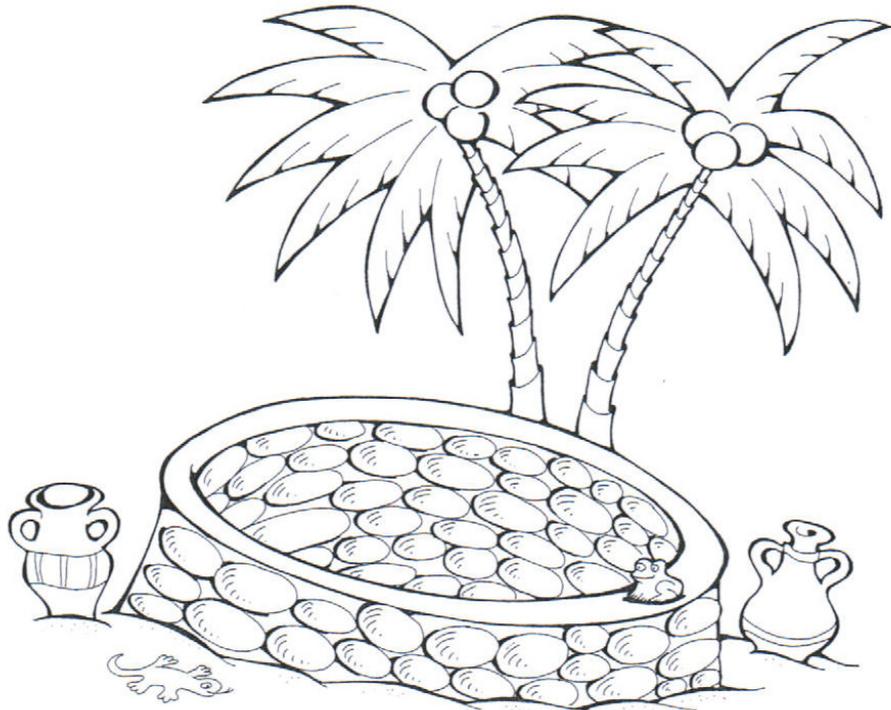


When Abraham's son Isaac became old enough, Abraham decided to find a wife for him. Look up the Bible story. Using the words in the box, complete the story.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ sent his (2) \_\_\_\_\_ to (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to find a wife for (4) \_\_\_\_\_. The servant took (5) \_\_\_\_\_ of his master's (6) \_\_\_\_\_ with him. The servant waited by the (7) \_\_\_\_\_ until the women came to get (8) \_\_\_\_\_. (9) \_\_\_\_\_ offered to get water for the servant and his camels. The servant gave Rebekah a (10) \_\_\_\_\_ and bracelets. He offered her family (11) \_\_\_\_\_ of gold and silver. Rebekah agreed to go back to Canaan and become Isaac's (12) \_\_\_\_\_.

**Word Box**

water, ten,  
camels,  
Abraham,  
Rebekah,  
gifts, wife,  
ring, well,  
Isaac,  
servant,  
Nahor



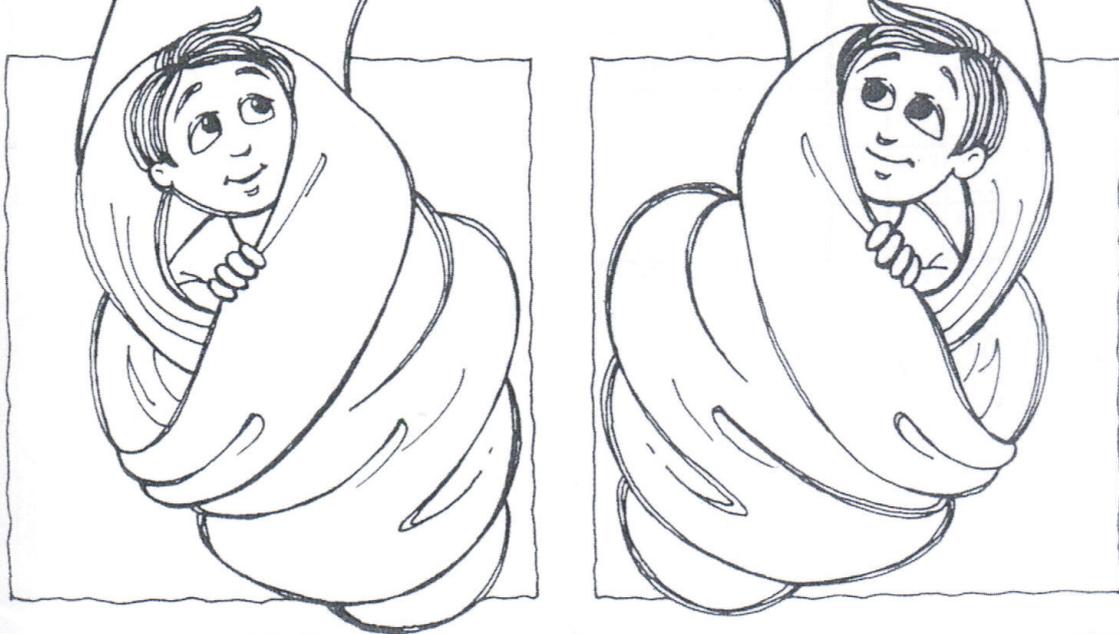
# Twins!

by Janetta Drake

Cross out every X, Y and Z to find the names of Isaac and Rebekah's twin sons. Write their names on the lines. Read Genesis 25:25-26 to check your answer.

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

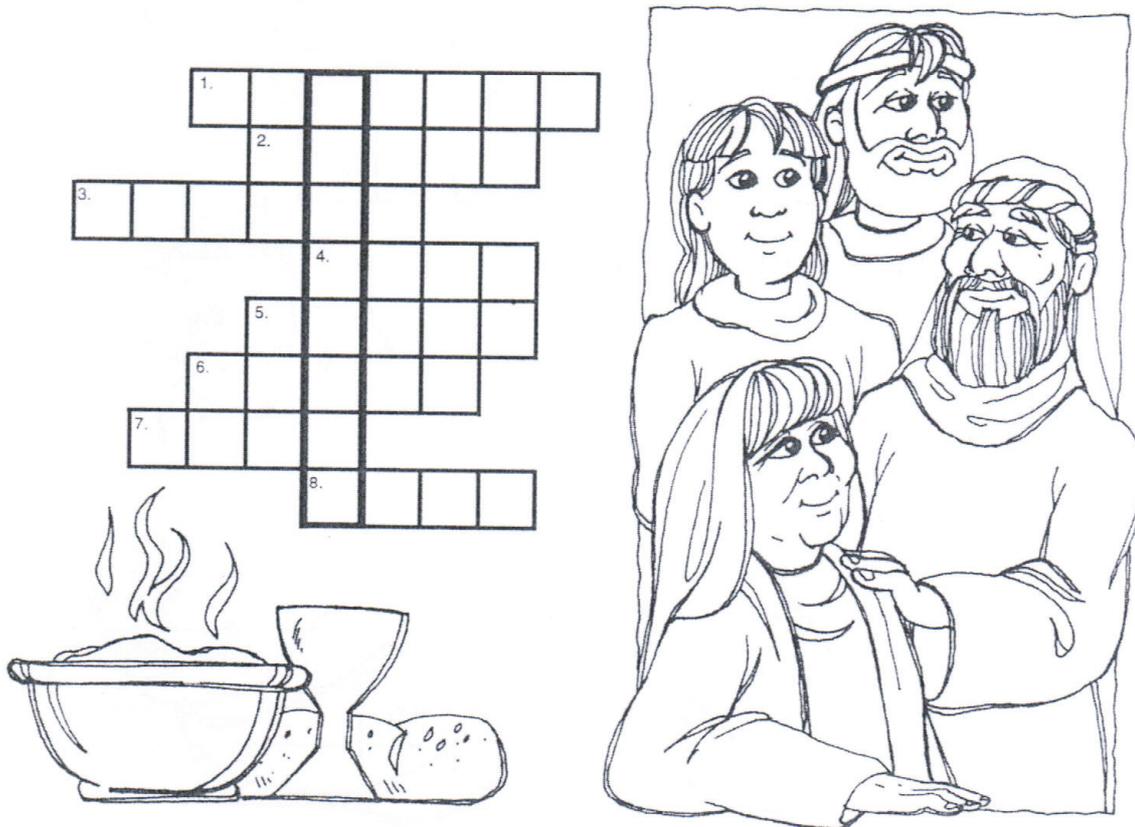
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Z	X	Y	O	X	Z	Y
X	Y	Z	X	B	Y	Z



# Jacob and Esau Acrostic

Read the clues and print the correct words in the squares. Then read the word in the center squares to see what Jacob stole from Esau. Read Genesis 27:35 to check your answer.

1. Mother of Jacob and Esau (Genesis 25:26)
2. Old Testament place to worship God (Genesis 26:25)
3. Esau's job (Genesis 25:27)
4. Food that Jacob sold to Esau (Genesis 25:29)
5. Father of Jacob and Esau (Genesis 25:26)
6. Jacob and Esau were \_\_\_\_\_. (Genesis 25:24)
7. Jacob had smoother \_\_\_\_\_. (Genesis 27:11)
8. The food Jacob fed to Isaac to trick him into giving away Esau's blessing (Genesis 27:6-10)



# Jacob's Dream

Look carefully at this picture. Do you know the story that it comes from? The story tells of Jacob's amazing dream about a ladder that led up to heaven.



## Awesome Angels

Jacob saw angels drifting up and down the steps in his dream. Which of these angels is about to travel up the ladder to heaven?

A matching exercise featuring three angels labeled A, B, and C on the left, a large central maze, and three landscape scenes on the right. Lines connect each angel to a specific path through the maze:

- Angel A is connected to the top path, which leads to a landscape with a river and hills.
- Angel B is connected to the middle path, which leads to a landscape with a ladder of light extending from the ground to the sky.
- Angel C is connected to the bottom path, which leads to a landscape with a river and hills.

Can you help Jacob find the stairs, food, clothes, older sister Leah and finally Rachel?



# OH, BROTHER!

## The Challenge

Genesis 37: 21-25

Unscramble the names of Joseph's brothers. (Hint: Read Genesis 35:23-26.) Then choose one brother and draw a line to link him with the brother with the same ID number. Link all the brothers, being careful not to cross any lines when forming your links!



I E L V



O E H J S E P



A D N



A H S A C R I S



A D G



B U L Z U N E



H A S R E



E O S I N M



H A U J D



E I J M N B N A



B E R E N U



H P A I N L T A

## The Super Challenge

Take the circled letters in the names to spell out the important trait that Joseph showed when dealing with his brothers.

\_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

# Joseph



Joseph's father gave him a coat of many colors.  
Help him find his way to the end of the rainbow.

# Joseph's New Coat

Genesis 37:1-11

**J**acob was Isaac's son and Abraham's grandson. Jacob had 12 sons, but his favorite was Joseph. Use the words in this puzzle to help you tell the story of what happened when Jacob gave Joseph a new coat. The secret phrase reveals what Joseph's brothers did to him out of jealousy.

JACOB	TENDING	ORNAMENTED	SHEAVES	ELEVEN
STAYED	FLOCKS	ROBE	STOOD	STARS
CANAAN	LOVED	BROTHERS	UPRIGHT	FATHER
JOSEPH	MORE	HATED	BOWED	REBUKED
YOUNG	MADE	DREAM	REIGN	JEALOUS
SEVENTEEN	RICHLY	BINDING	RULE	

Y T H E B F P S T A R S A  
 T L M R I A R E B U K E D  
 Y D H A N T I V B O W E D  
 G O E C D H A A S O Y L R  
 C N U T I E H E T A R U E  
 B M I N N R V H T E B R S  
 E R A D G E G S I S O S O  
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 E J O T R E N A A N A C L  
 V S E P H D T E N P J O H  
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Secret Phrase

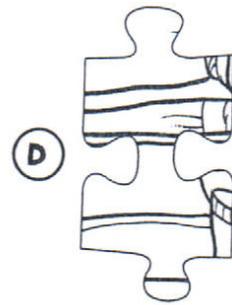
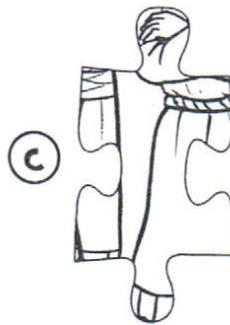
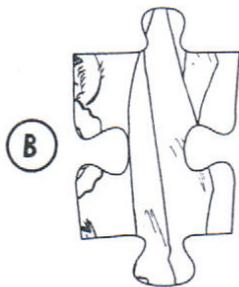
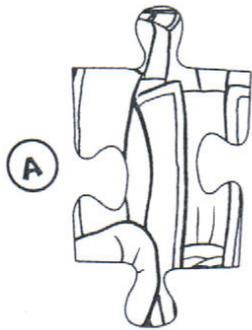
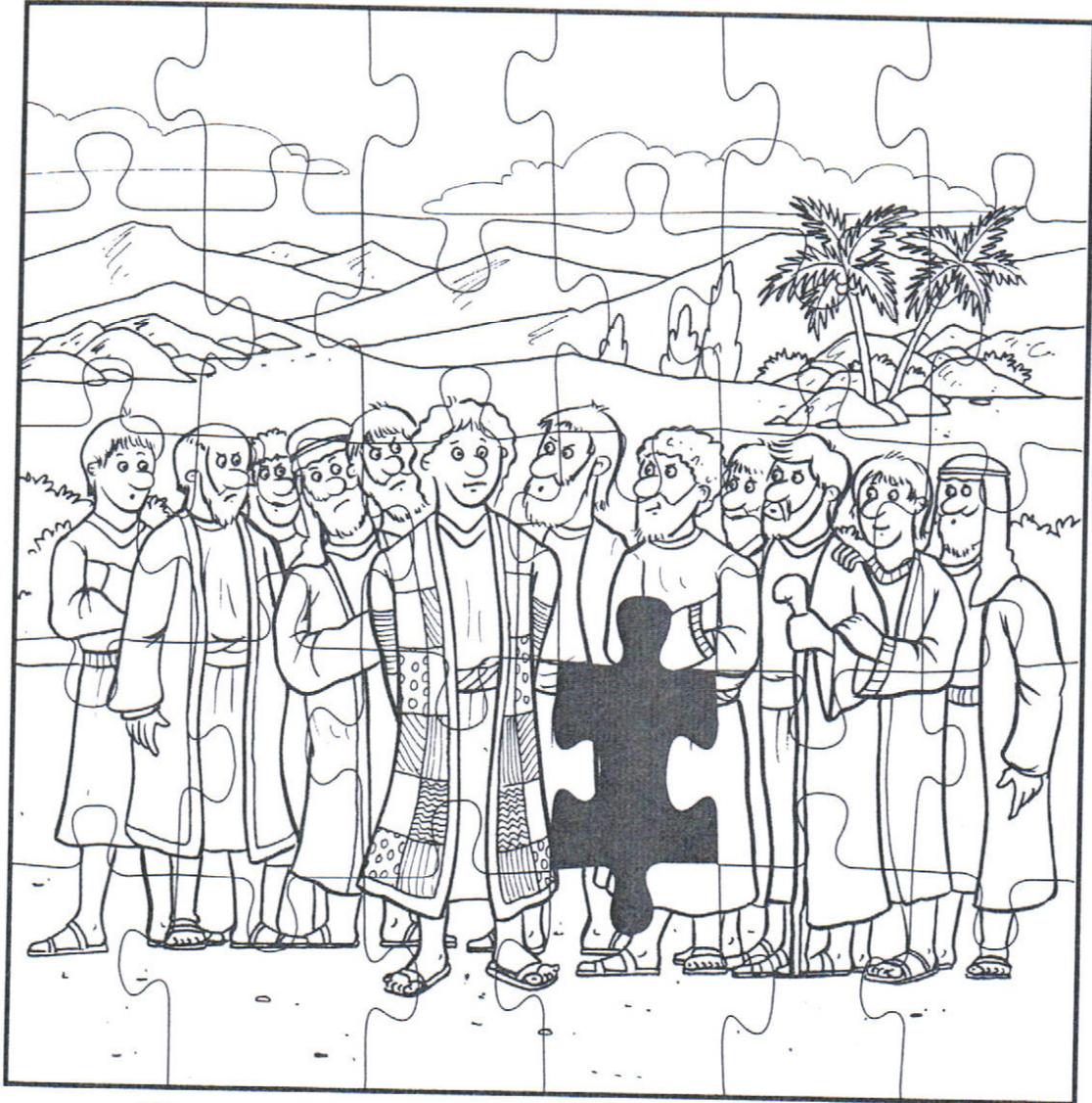
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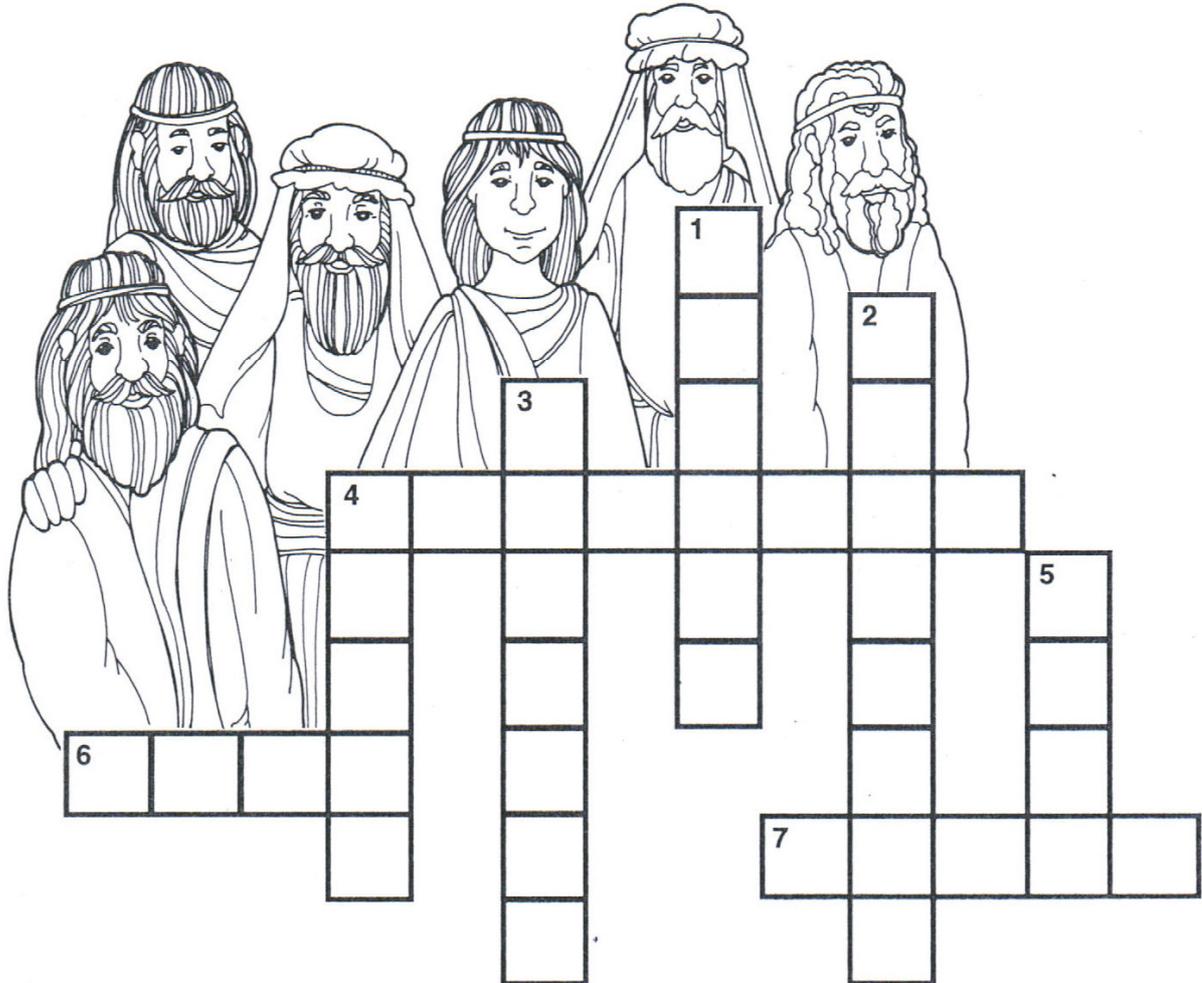
# Envious Brothers

Joseph's brothers knew he was their dad's favourite and they weren't happy about it at all! Which piece completes this picture of Jacob's sons?



## Joseph and His Brothers

After you hear the story of Joseph and his brothers from Genesis 45, underline the correct answer for each clue. Then use the answers to fill in the crossword puzzle.



### ACROSS

4. What Joseph gave all his brothers (CLOTHING, EMERALDS, JEWELRY)
6. What Joseph did after revealing himself to his brothers (FLED, WEPT, DIED)
7. What God sent Joseph to Egypt to save (LIVES, MONEY, BAKER)

### DOWN

1. Whom Joseph sent for (FATHER, MOTHER, UNCLES)
2. Brother to whom Joseph gave most gifts (BENJAMIN, ISSACHAR, MATTHEW)
3. Joseph sent his father provisions loaded on these. (DONKEYS, CANINES, CAMELS)
4. Pharaoh told Joseph to send these for the wives and children. (PLANE, CARTS, SLEDS)
5. When Joseph revealed himself to his brothers, there were still this many years of famine to come. (NINE, FOUR, FIVE)

# The Cupbearer and the Baker

Circle the key words in the puzzle.

B	A	K	R	B	L	R	D	B
C	G	R	D	I	A	S	G	A
B	U	E	A	R	C	K	R	K
C	Z	P	E	D	A	A	A	E
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C	U	P	B	E	A	R	E	R
B	A	S	K	E	T	S	S	U



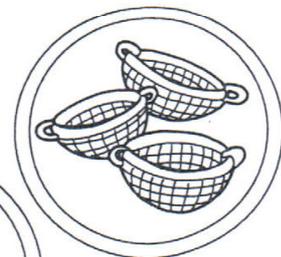
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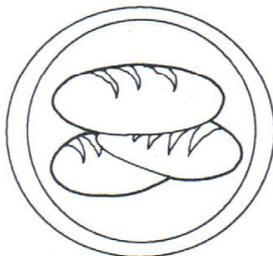
CUP



BAKER



BASKETS



BREAD



BIRDS



GRAPES

“ . . . After they had been in custody for some time, each of the two men – the cupbearer and the baker of the king of Egypt, who were being held in prison – had a dream the same night, and each dream had a meaning of its own.”

Genesis 40:4-5

# Interpreting Pharaoh's Dream

Pharaoh's dream was filled with symbols. God made their meaning clear through Joseph. Fill in the matching letters for the symbols to find out the meaning of Pharaoh's dream.

A	!	E	%	I	(	O	<	T	¢	Y	÷
B	@	F	^	L	)	P	>	U	∅		
C	#	G	&	M	+	R	?	V	~		
D	\$	H	*	N	=	S	'	W	-		

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