

Jacob & the Twelve Sons of Israel

Study 13: Genesis 28, 32 & 35

1. Again read **Genesis 25:19-28**: Who is Jacob? Who is Jacob's father? Who is Jacob's twin brother? Why does God favor Jacob over his twin brother?
2. Read **Genesis 28:10-17**. What happens in this passage? What does Jacob see? What do you think is the point or purpose of what Jacob saw? What specifically God promise Jacob in this dream?
3. Read **Genesis 32:22-32**. What happens to Jacob in this passage? What does God change Jacob's name to? Why does God change Jacob's name? What does Jacob's new name mean?
Look it up if necessary
4. Read **Genesis 35:9-29**. In verses 12-13, what does God again promise to Jacob? In your opinion, what is Jacob's significance and role in the covenant promises that God has already made with Abraham and Isaac?
5. How many sons did Jacob have? What are the names of Jacob's sons? Write down each son's name.
6. What, if anything, do these passages say to you about the LORD God? What thoughts, comments, encouragements, or questions do you have through what God has shown you in our first 13 studies in the Old Testament?