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Lesson 16

ANSWER KEY

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Q&A



JACOB, PART 1

1. Why did God choose Jacob to be the next heir to the promises of Abraham?

God looked into Jacob's future and saw the man he would become.

2. Complete the sentence. As the firstborn son of Isaac, Esau was entitled to special privileges, status and monetary gain. This inheritance was known as the **birthright**.

3. On the day that Isaac intended to bless Esau, what did Isaac specifically ask Esau to prepare?

venison/savoury meat

4. Who devised the plan that enabled Jacob to steal the blessing from Esau?

Rebekah

5. What did Rebekah put on Jacob's hands in order to deceive Isaac?

Goats' hair

6. Jacob obtained the family blessing by deceiving his father, Isaac. Which of the following statements were included in that blessing?

- ☐ dew of heaven
- ☐ fatness of the earth
- ☐ corn and wine
- ☐ let people serve thee
- ☐ nations bow down to thee
- ☐ be lord over thy brethren
- ☐ let thy mother's sons bow down to thee
- ☐ cursed be every one that curseth thee
- ☐ blessed be he that blesseth thee
- ☒ all of the above

7. According to Genesis 28:3-4, when Isaac charged Jacob to go to Haran, what was the blessing that was passed down from father to son?

The Blessing of Abraham

15. Fill in the blanks. "For whom the LORD **loveth** _____
he **correcteth** _____; even as a father the son in whom
he **delighteth** _____." (Proverbs 3:12)
16. What is one of the common approaches which God uses to teach his children and conform them to His image?
Tribulation
17. According to Ephesians 5:25, what is the primary command given in Scripture to husbands regarding their wives?
to love them
18. Why was Laban reluctant to allow Jacob to leave?
God blessed Laban as long as Jacob was there.
19. Fill in the blanks. Jacob, taking advantage both of Laban's preferences and his own knowledge of heredity, proposed that his wages would consist only of future offspring that were: **speckled**,
spotted and **ringstraked**.
20. Fill in the blank. **Prenatal influence**
is the belief that the physical traits of the unborn can be manipulated by providing appropriate visual stimuli to the females during gestation.
21. What is the correct Biblical meaning of the Hebrew phrase "set the faces"?
to set a course or direct one's efforts or intentions in a certain way
22. True science will always support the accuracy of Scripture.
☒ True
☐ False

23. What did Laban unashamedly change ten times when he noticed Jacob's growing wealth?
Jacob's wages
24. To whom did Jacob ultimately give credit for his success in the breeding of livestock?
God
25. What was the most important thing that Jacob learned from his time with Laban?
He learned to believe God.
26. Fill in the blanks. "...without **faith** _____
it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must
believe that he is _____, and that he is
a **rewarder** _____ of them that diligently seek
seek him _____." (Hebrews 11:6)

8. What was Jacob's reaction when he awoke from his dream and realized that God had appeared to him?
He was afraid OR He made a vow of obedience OR He promised that God would be his God
9. Complete the following sentence. The primary focus of Jacob's vision at Bethel was to confirm **the transfer of the Abrahamic promises**.
10. Fill in the blanks. As a man, Jesus overcame **sin** and **death**, and became the perfect **Mediator** between God and men, the **ladder** by which one may pass from earth **into the presence of God**.
11. Fill in the blanks. In John 14:6, Jesus declares, "... I am the **way**, the **truth**, and the **life**: no man cometh unto the Father, but by **me**."
12. How many years did Jacob offer to serve Laban for Rachel?
Seven years
13. Fill in the blanks. "Be not **deceived**; God is not **mocked**: for whatsoever a man **soweth**, that shall he also **reap**."
(Galatians 6:7)
14. How did Laban deceive Jacob on his wedding night?
Laban substituted Leah for Rachel