

THE Teachers' Preparation Leaflet

LESSON 10.

MARCH 11th, 1894.

1st QUARTER.

Jacob at Bethel. Gen. 28: 10-22.

GOLDEN TEXT: "I am with thee, and will keep thee." Gen. 28: 15.

COMMIT TO MEMORY verses 12-14. **CHILDREN'S HYMNAL** 107, 131, 160, 105.

PROVE THAT—Angels help the righteous. Heb. 1: 14.

SHORTER CATECHISM—Quest. 92. What is a sacrament? Quest. 93. Which are (the sacraments of the New Testament?

DAILY PORTIONS.

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MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.	SABBATH.
Gen. 23: 10-22	Gen. 27: 41-23; 5	Gen. 35: 6-15	Isa. 41. 8-14	Ps. 91	Ps. 121	Ps. 110: 7-19

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NOTES AND EXPLANATIONS.

According to the common chronology, the events narrated in our lesson occurred about B. C. 1760, when Jacob was 77 years old. With us he would be considered a very old man, but seeing that his life spanned 180 years, his age would compare rather with that of a man of 34 in our time. Read the intervening chapters and note how one sin leads to another, and the downward course ends in disaster.

LESSON PLAN. I. The Dream. vs. 10-12. II. The Promise. vs. 13-15. III. The Vow. vs. 16-22.

I. THE DREAM 10. Beersheba—What does this name mean, and when was it given? Gen. 21: 25-31. He went away quite alone (Gen. 32: 10). His road lay through Canaan from South to North, past Hebron, Moriah, Bethel, and Sichem, across the Jordan, through the land of Gilead and Bashan, past the city of Damascus to "the field of Syria" (Padanaram) in which Haran, the "city of Nabor" (ch. 24: 40) was situated. This journey would be about 150 miles long. Jacob reaps what he has sown. His dishonest plans for winning the heirship led to his exile from home. Rebekah, too, suffers for her part. She never sees her dear son again. She thought she was only

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