

Esau; "keep what you have for yourself." But Jacob pleaded so hard, that at last Esau accepted his present.

Esau offered to guard Jacob and his company with his men on the rest of their desert journey. But Jacob said that they must travel slowly on account of the little children and the flocks, and begged Esau to go on without him. He would not even keep any of Esau's men, for he knew that God Himself was watching over them. So the brothers separated again, but this time with no angry feelings in their hearts.

Questions on the Lesson

1. How long did Jacob live with his uncle Laban?
2. What did he receive as wages?
3. On what journey did he set out?
4. Whom and what did he take with him?
5. What news did he receive that frightened him?
6. When did his fears leave him?
7. What did he do to soften his brother's heart?
8. What did Jacob see at sunrise?
9. What did he do?
10. How did Esau receive him?
11. What was the first question Esau asked?
12. What did Jacob answer?
13. What was Esau's next question?
14. What did he do when he heard for whom the cattle were?
15. What did Esau offer?
16. Why did Jacob refuse?
17. What is the Golden Text?

Lesson Story

"I didn't!" "You did!" "I did not!" And then Eddy and Terry flew at each other and fought as if they were two little cats, instead of being two little brothers. Half an hour later, Uncle Bob came out on the veranda. "Seems to me I heard a terrible 'scrap' a while ago," he said, looking in surprise at Eddy and Terry playing quite

happily together again. The boys looked at each other slyly—but rather ashamed. "Oh, we made that up ages ago, Uncle. We never stay angry very long." "How is that?" questioned Uncle Bob, with twinkling eyes. "Don't know. Yes we do, too! Guess it's 'cause we're brothers," they said together.

Lesson Hymn

Then we may stay the angry blow,
Then we may check the hasty word,
Give gentle answers back again—
And fight a battle for our Lord. Amen.
—Hymn 527, Book of Praise

I Have Learned To-day

THAT GOD WILL WATCH OVER ME

The Catechism

PRIMARY CATECHISM—23. For what purpose was man made? Man was made to love and serve God, and to be happy with Him forever.

SHORTER CATECHISM—53. Which is the third commandment? A. The third commandment is, Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

The Question on Missions

3. What Protestant missions are now carrying on work in the island? The Canadian Presbyterian Church carries on work among the Chinese in the north. The English Presbyterian Church has a mission among the Chinese in the south. The Church of Christ in Japan has a mission to the Japanese.

SOMETHING TO DO AT HOME

Copy these words, and ask Jesus to help you to forgive all who do you harm.

FORGIVING ONE ANOTHER