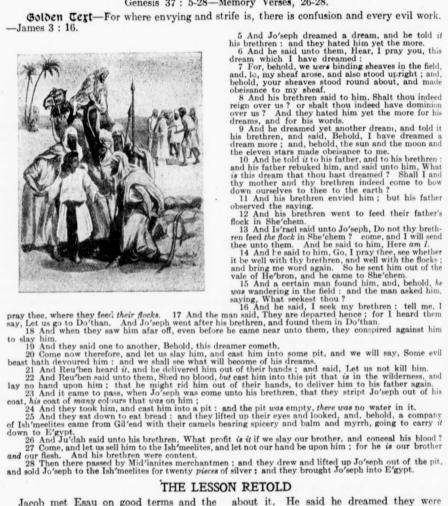
Lesson III.

JOSEPH SOLD BY HIS BROTHERS

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Genesis 37: 5-28-Memory Verses, 26-28.

Golden Text-For where envying and strife is, there is confusion and every evil work.



THE LESSON RETOLD

Jacob met Esau on good terms and the brothers parted, with their quarrel all settled. Then Jacob finished his journey to his old home and settled near by.

Jacob had now twelve sons, ten of whom were grown up, but the youngest, Joseph and Benjamin, were only boys. Jacob loved Joseph very much and gave him a beautifully colored coat, and this made his brothers very jealous.

Now it happened that, one night, Joseph had a strange dream, and he told his brothers about it. He said he dreamed they were all in a field, making up large bundles of grain called sheaves, and all his brothers' sheaves bowed down to his sheaf.

The brothers were very angry when they heard this, and said, "We suppose you mean that some time we shall bow down to you," and they hated him more than ever.

Soon after, Joseph had another strange dream, which he told to his father, as well as to his brothers. He thought he saw the sun, moon and eleven stars in the sky, and they