

REAL BIBLE HEROES

Jacob

Part 1: Deception

In royalty, the eldest child usually succeeds the throne unless there are unforeseen circumstances. It is similar in Hebrew tradition. Being the first child has its advantages and disadvantages as well. In "Jacob, Part 1", we see how Jacob obtained blessing from his father, Isaac.

(A) MATERIAL:

Read Genesis 25:29-34, 27:18-29

Talk it Out

- Esau sold his birthright to his brother in exchange for stew. What does this tell you about Esau? Could it be Esau undervalued his birthright?
- Jacob wanted to be blessed, he knew that what he was doing had consequences but he took the risk. How much risk do you take for the things you want or for the things of God?
- Do you run away after your deception? The devil uses deception to prevent the will of God. What should you do?

(B) MISSION:

If Esau was furious that this happened to him. How more much do you think God is? Many people take things for granted.

THIS WEEK, share this story with your non- Christian friend about what God has done for you on the cross and how he can redeem your past.

(C) PRAYER:

Dear Lord, I don't want to do things that displeases you. I do not want to fall into the traps of the enemy who is trying to bring me down. I shall do things Your way rather than my own way which only bring sorrow to you. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen.