



The Promise Continues

Old Testament 4

INTRODUCTION

+ **BOOKS OF THE HB**

+ **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

LESSON

+ **THEME VERSE** _____

+ **OPENING PRAYER**

+ **SKIT: ELECTION**

+ **IMAGES AND ANALOGIES**

- **Art Attack**

What do you see?

What does this picture have to do with our theme of the day?

- **No Fair!**

What do you do when you are treated unfairly?

What would you say to people who feel like God isn't treating them fairly?

Do you blame God for the bad things that happen to you? _____

Does God control every aspect of the universe?

remember 1 thing:

In spite of our sin, the God of the covenant is faithful and will never abandon us.

Count on it.

+ **WEAKEST FINK** Write down the word and definition.

+ **BIBLE TIME**

- **Look up Genesis 32:24, 25a, 26-28**

Read and highlight the verse of the week. Connect the following verses.

- **The Ankle-Grabbing Cheat (Jacob)**

Genesis 25:24-26 Write "Jacob = ankle grabber" in the margin

Genesis 25:29-34 Write "Jacob steals the birthright" in the margin

Genesis 27:1-4 Write "Jacob Steals the blessing" in the margin

Genesis 28:13-14 Write "God continues the blessing" in the margin

Genesis 29:21-25 Write "The cheat gets cheated" in the margin

Genesis 32:24-28 Write "Jacob wrestles the angel" in the margin

Rather than simply getting Jacob out of trouble, the Lord changes his name from "the cheat" to "the one who strives with God." Write "Israel" in the margin by verse 28.

In the ancient world, a name as more than a name – it carried the essence of being.

- **The Amazing Technicolor® Dreamer (Joseph)**

Genesis 30:22-24 Write "Joseph is born" in the margin

Genesis 37:3-5 Write "Joseph's Coat = Trouble" in the margin

Genesis 39:11-12 Write "Almost seduced" in the margin

Genesis 39:20-21 Write "Joseph in prison" in the margin

Genesis 41:25,39-40 Write "Pharaoh's dream" and "Joseph becomes Ruler" in the margin

Joseph holds on to God in bleak times and God stays true.

+ **CLOSING PRAYER**