

# GENESIS

## Sermon Questions & Verses

### Genesis 32:22-32

1. This text reminds us that God works differently than we do and in ways we never expect. That is so we know that it is all about God and has nothing to do with us and our own strength and abilities. **Reflect on** Joshua 6, Judges 6, and Matthew 20:20-28. Where does your perspective need be corrected in light of how God works.
2. If we do not deal with our pride it will destroy us. Where do you continue to wrestle with God and refuse to let go? Where does pride threaten to destroy you?  
*Proverbs 16:18, 15:25-33; James 4:6; 1 John 2:16; Philippians 2:3*
3. God will do what is necessary to humble us. This can often be painful experiences. But also show us God's grace and mercy as he will not let you stay where you are. What is God allowing in your life right now to humble you?  
*Psalms 51:17; Hosea 12:6; Job 1:20-21*
4. Where are you seeking your own wisdom instead of trusting Christ? Where are you a "heel catcher"? Where do you refuse to trust in God's plan and in God's timing?  
*Proverbs 3:5-6; Jeremiah 9:23-24; James 1:5*
5. This text reminds us that redemption begins with a broken spirit. Take time each day to remind yourself that a right heart is one that is broken before God. Take time each day to remind yourself of your need for Christ.  
*Luke 9:23; Psalm 46:10; Matthew 6:11*