

"Jacob and Esau"

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Introduction:

Hello, everyone! Today we will watch a new Superbook adventure called "Jacob and Esau". Our video today tells the story of twin brothers, Jacob and Esau, and how jealousy and get the better of us. We'll also check in with Chris, Joy, and Gizmo and see how this story applies to their situation.

Play Video on the Church App, Website, or YouTube: https://youtu.be/zhykNXjGQuA

Play Video: Chris and Joy's Dillema (3:00 minutes)

• Pause video and ask the following question.

Follow up Questions

Chris and Joy are good friends...

i. Why did he get very angry at her?

Play Remainder of Video: Bible Story and Resolution

What is a birthright, and why did Jacob want it? What do you think Esau was thinking when he sold his birthright for a bowl of stew? What is the most precious possession you own, and would you trade it for a sandwich—even if you were really hungry at the moment?

We all may feel hurt, angry or jealous sometimes—but what can happen if we stay that way?

Bible Reading:

Isaac and Rebekah each had a favorite son. Who favored Esau and who favored Isaac? How do you think this made the twins feel when they were growing up together?

Read Galatians 2:6

What does this mean, and how does it make you feel?

People in the Bible were not perfect, and God's Word tells the truth about things they did.

How did Jacob lie and steal to get Esau's blessing? **Read Genesis 27:18-27.** If you were Esau, what would you want to do?

Joy not only told Chris she was sorry, she also asked him to forgive her. What's the difference, and why is it important? Do you need to ask anyone for forgiveness?

Read Genesis 33:3. How did Jacob show Esau he was sorry? Have people ever hurt you so badly that you thought you couldn't forgive them?

Read Ephesians 4:31-32

Jesus tells us something amazing about the importance of forgiveness.

Read Matthew 6:14-15

Do you think Jesus understands what it's like to be hurt? He was betrayed by a friend, mocked, whipped and crucified—yet can you guess what He said on the cross? **Read Luke 23:34.**

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