

# GENESIS 31

“JUST DO IT”

SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE



LET'S TALK!

## #1 LISTEN

- Read Genesis 31:1. What did Jacob hear Laban's sons saying?
- Check out Genesis 31:3. What did Jacob hear God saying?
- Look at James 1:19. Why is it important to be quick to listen and slow to speak?

## #2 LOOK

- Check out Genesis 31:2, 4-16. What are some of the things Jacob sees in these verses?
- Multiple times in this chapter, God says He will be with Jacob. Why was it critical for Jacob to look and keep looking to the Lord?
- Read Genesis 31:16 again. Talk about the phrase “Whatever God has said to you, do.” Why must that be the heartbeat of every Christian (see James 1:22-25)?

## #3 LEAVE

- Look at Genesis 31:17-24. Why did Jacob choose to take his family and sneak away from Laban?
- Why did Rachel steal her father's household gods and why would that be significant?
- When God tells you to go, or leave somewhere, why is it essential to do what God says when He tells you to do it?

## #4 LEAD

- Read Genesis 31:25-55. How does Jacob show leadership in these verses?
- How did God show His presence and protection over Jacob and his family?
- Being a Christian leader is first about being a Christ-follower. How does following Jesus help us to become the leader He wants us to be?
- What is something God is telling you to “just do?” What is holding you back from obeying Him?