

Family Discussion Questions

As a family read Genesis 27-33

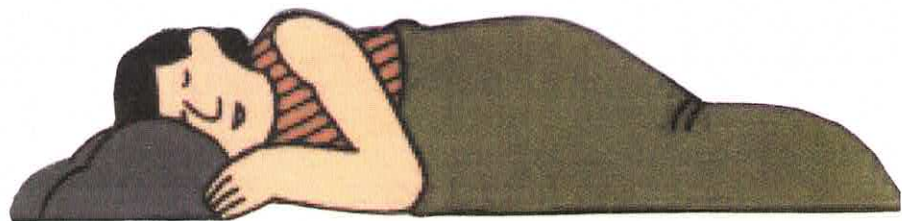
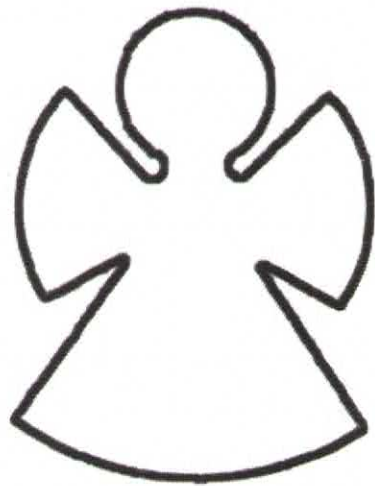
- **Why did Jacob wrestle with God?**
- **Why did God change Jacob's name to Israel?**
- **Who can change our lives and give us a new identity?**



FAMILY

Activity

As a family, have a thumb wrestling war. Talk about times you might feel like you are wrestling with God.



Craft

When Jacob woke up from his dream, he realized that God was truly the Lord and would be with him always and protect him wherever he went! Just as God had spoken to his grandfather Abraham and his father Isaac, God had also spoken to him to always trust the promises of God!

What you need:

Printable

Cotton balls

Toothpicks

Markers

Glue

Scissors

- **Print the online printable.**
- **Color the angels on the printable.**
- **Cut out angels and Jacob from the printable.**
- **Cut a small strip of the green paper to look like grass.**
- **Glue the grass to the bottom of the blue piece of paper.**
- **Draw two parallel lines going up the paper to help form the ladder.**
- **Glue the toothpicks going down the two lines horizontally to make the ladder.**
- **Glue cotton balls to the top of the paper.**
- **Glue the angles going up the ladder.**
- **Glue Jacob sleeping on the ground.**

