

Life of Jacob Series — Part 7

Crops Always Come In

Galatians 6:5–9

Main Truth

We reap what we sow — in the flesh or in the Spirit — and the harvest always comes.

1. Jacob's Life in Review

Jacob repeatedly sowed to the flesh:

- Took advantage of Esau
- Deceived his father
- Fled consequences
- Manipulated relationships and marriages
- Trusted his own plans over God's
- Family disorder followed him

Events surrounding Dinah and his sons' violence forced Jacob to confront the condition of his house and return to God at Bethel.

Lesson: Our past sowing eventually produces a harvest.

Notes:

2. Bad Seed, Bad Crops

Galatians 6:8a

Jacob sowed favoritism and deception.

Results later appeared:

- Joseph became the favored son
- Brothers grew jealous and hateful
- Joseph was sold into slavery
- Jacob reaped grief and family division

Lesson: Fleshly choices eventually produce painful consequences.

Notes:

3. Good Seed, Good Crops

Galatians 6:8b

God used Joseph's suffering for salvation:

- From pit to palace
- Joseph trusted God's plan
- God preserved Jacob's family through Joseph

Lesson: When we sow to the Spirit, God brings life and restoration.

Notes:

4. Crops Always Come In

Galatians 6:9

Many quit sowing good seed because they are still reaping old bad seed.

Truths to remember:

- Reaping is unavoidable

- Seasons take time
- God gives increase in His time
- Do not quit before harvest

Lesson: Stay faithful until God's harvest comes.

Notes:

Final Reflection Questions

- What kind of seed am I sowing now?
- What harvest am I seeing from past choices?
- Am I trusting God through the waiting season?
- Am I weary in well doing?

Closing Thought:

God's harvest always comes in His season — and His fruit brings rejoicing.
