

God's Dealing with Jacob

Matthew 22:32 "I am the God of Abraham and the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob. I am not God of the dead, but of the living.

Genesis 28:13-15, 20-21 And there was Jehovah, standing above it; and He said to Jacob, **the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac.** The land on which you are standing is mine, and I will give it to you and to your seed. [14] And your seed will be as the dust of the earth, and you will spread to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south, and in you and in your families of the earth be blessed. [15] And, behold, **I am with you and will keep you, and will cause you to return to this land,** for I will not leave you until I **have promised you.** [20] And Jacob vowed a vow, saying, If God **will be with me in this way that I go and will give me bread to eat and garments to put on, and will return me in peace to my father's house in peace,** then Jehovah will be my God,

Genesis 29:13a, 15, 20, 27 And when **Laban** heard the news of **Jacob his sister's husband,** Laban said to Jacob, Because you are my relative, **should you therefore serve me for nothing?** **Tell me, what shall your wages be?**[20] And **Jacob served seven years for Rachel,** and it seemed to him only a few days because of the love he had for her. [27] Complete the service of the first seven years, and we will give you the other also for the service which you will **serve with me for seven years.**

Genesis 30:27-28; 31:6-7 And Laban said to him, If you please, I have divined that **Jehovah has blessed me on account of you.** [28] And he said, **Name me your wages,** and I will give them. And you yourselves know that **with all my strength I have served your father-in-law,** and your father-in-law has cheated me and changed my wages ten times, but God did not allow him to do so.

Genesis 31:13 I am the God of Bethel, where you anointed a pillar, where you vowed a vow. **Rise up now; go out from this land, and return to the land of your birth.**

Genesis 31:20, 36, 41-42a And **Jacob deceived Laban** the Aramaean by not telling him that **he was fleeing.** [36] And **Jacob became angry and contended with Laban;** and he said to Laban, What is my transgression? What is my sin, that you have so hotly persecuted me? [41] These twenty years have I been in your house; I served you fourteen years for your daughters and six years for your flock, and you have changed my wages ten times. [42] If the God of Abraham, and the Dread of Isaac, had not been with me, surely now you would have sent me away empty...

Romans 8:28 And we know that **all things work together for good to those who love God,** those who are called according to *His* purpose.

2 Corinthians 3:18 But **we all** with unveiled face, beholding and reflecting like a mirror the Lord, **are being transformed** into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit.