

A New Name - Genesis 31-32

- 1. Jacob stayed faithful under Laban's schemes (Genesis 31:6–9). Where are you tempted to cut corners instead of remaining faithful, and how might God be calling you to trust Him in those unseen moments?
- 2. Rachel and Leah admitted their father had treated them as outsiders (Genesis 31:14–16). How does this remind us that following God sometimes means leaving behind unhealthy family patterns or expectations?
- 3. Rachel stole her father's idols (Genesis 31:19). What "idols" do people today still cling to for security or identity, and how can we lay those down before God?
- 4. Jacob could defend his integrity before Laban (Genesis 31:36–42). If someone examined your life closely, what would they find?
- 5. Proverbs 10:9 says integrity brings security. How have you personally experienced peace by walking in honesty and obedience?
- 6. Jacob prayed honestly before meeting Esau (Genesis 32:9–12). How can bringing our fears to God in prayer reshape the way we face relational conflicts?
- 7. Jacob's new name, Israel, marked a new identity (Genesis 32:28). How does 2 Corinthians 5:17 remind you that your identity is secure in Christ, no matter your past?

