

Lesson #17: "The Death and Descendants of Abraham"

Genesis 25:1-34



Division 1: God promised descendants to Abraham and God enabled Abraham to fulfill that promise.

Genesis 25:1-18

Genesis 17:17: 'Then Abraham fell on his face and laughed and said to himself, "Shall a child be born to a man who is a hundred years old? Shall Sarah, who is ninety years old, bear a child?" '

Genesis 23:1: "Sarah lived 127 years; these were the years of the life of Sarah."

Genesis 22:17: "I will surely bless you, and I will surely multiply your offspring as the stars of heaven and as the sand that is on the seashore."

Genesis 24:1: "Abraham was now very old, and the Lord had blessed him in every way."

Genesis 16:3: "So, after Abram had lived ten years in the land of Canaan, Sarai, Abram's wife, took Hagar the Egyptian, her servant, and gave her to Abram her husband as a wife."

1 Chronicles 1:32: "The sons of Keturah, Abraham's concubine: she bore Zimran, Jokshan, Medan, Midian, Ishbak, and Shuah. The sons of Jokshan: Sheba and Dedan."

Genesis 17:19b: "I will establish my covenant with him [Isaac] as an everlasting covenant for his descendants after him."

Genesis 15:15: "You [Abraham] will go to your ancestors in peace and be buried at a good old age."

Hebrews 11:8-13: By faith Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going. . . ."

Genesis 21:11: The matter distressed Abraham greatly because it concerned his son [Ishmael]."

Genesis 21:12-13: "Do not be so distressed about the boy and your slave woman. Listen to whatever Sarah tells you, because it is through Isaac that your descendants shall be named. . . ."

Genesis 16:6b: "[Sarah] dealt harshly with her, and Hagar fled from the camp."

Principle #1: God promises are true.

Division 2: Prayer fulfills promises.

Genesis 25:19-26

Genesis 24:63: "And Isaac went out to meditate in the field toward evening. And he lifted up his eyes and saw, and behold, there were camels coming."

Psalm 1:1-2: "Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; 2 but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night."

James 4:2b: "You do not have because you do not ask God."

James 4:3: "When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives . . ."

Principle #2: The LORD answers the prayers of the faithful.

Division 3: Esau despised his birthright.



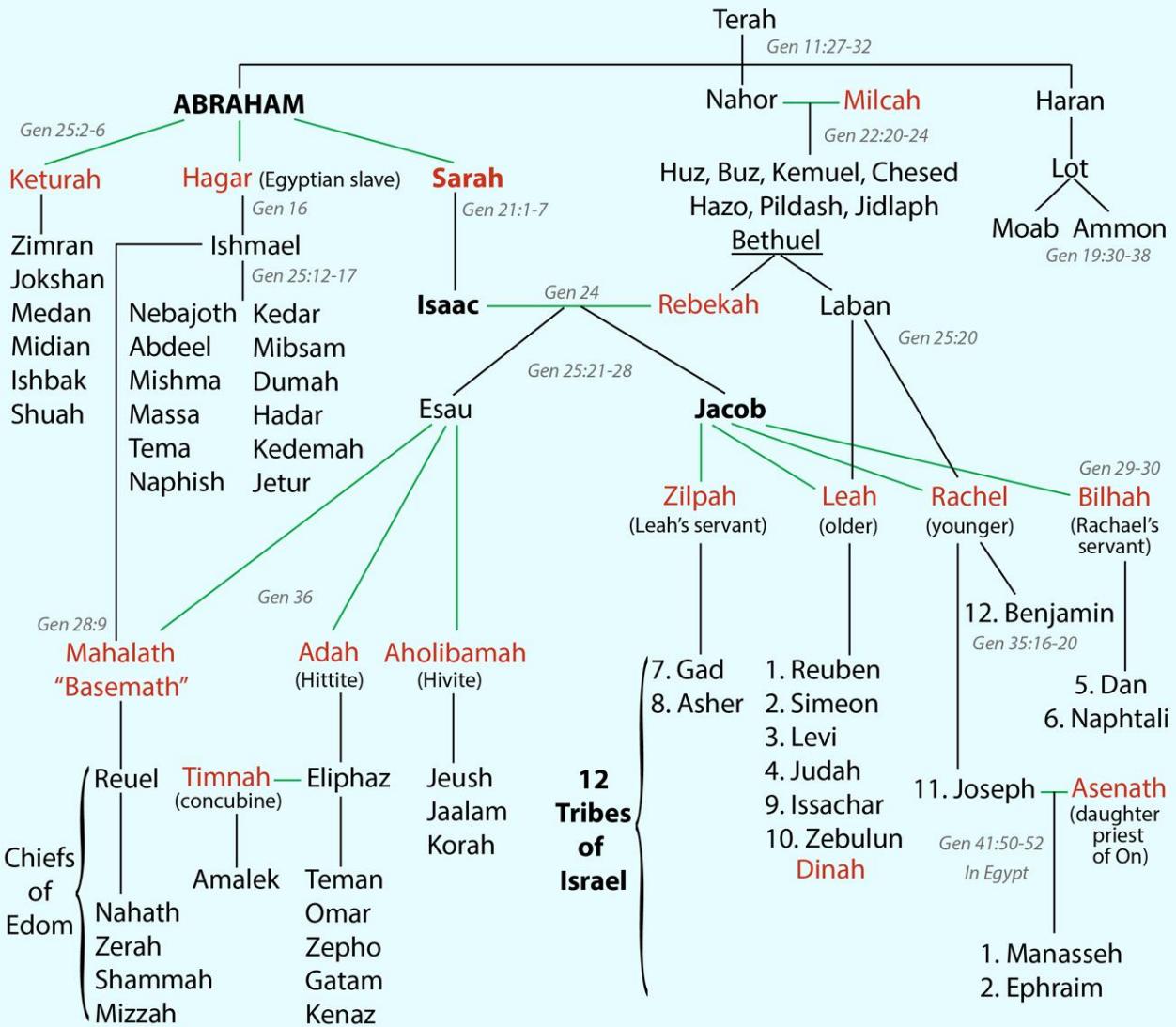
Genesis 25:27-34

Hebrews 12:16: "See that no one is . . . godless like Esau, who for a single meal sold his inheritance rights as the oldest son."

Principle #3: Decisions have consequences.

(Additional notes)

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