

Genesis 24-26 - Life of Isaac

Bride for Isaac (24)	Isaac's Sons (25:19-34)	Settling in Gerar (26)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - oldest, most trusted servant and charged him with task of finding a wife for Isaac (2-3) - Gen 15:2? - Eliezer? - Didn't want a wife from the Canaanites - go back to my family (3-4) - If the woman won't come - you are free from your vow (5-9) - Goes to Mesopotamia and Nahor (10) - Looking for the response of drink and I will water your camels (11-14) - God led the servant to Rebekah - he worships the Lord for answering his prayer - Rebekah responded positively and was willing to immediately go with the servant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Isaac was 40 when he married Rebekah (20) - After 19 years - she was barren and Isaac prayed for her (21) - Rebekah conceived twins - struggled in her womb (22-23) - God said there were 2 nations in her womb - the older would serve the younger - Esau - "red" - hairy all over - Jacob - "supplanter" (supersede another especially by force or treachery) - (24-26) - Isaac loves Esau - skillful hunter, and man of the field, Isaac loves game (27) - Rebekah loves Jacob - peaceful man (28) - Jacob forces Esau to choose between satisfying his fleshly desire (eat!) or holding on to his legacy (29-32) - Esau despised his birthright (34) <p>He 12:14-17 Ro 9:1-16 - God has made choices and His purpose stands! There is no injustice with God! (Ro 1:18-end) (Num 14)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - another famine in land (1) - Goes to Gerar to Abimelech king of the Philistines (1) - Promises were passed down through Isaac (3-5) - Lie about Rebekah (6-7) - motivated by fear - Abimelech confronts Isaac (9-11) - God greatly blessed Isaac (12-13) - Philistines stopping up the wells that were dug by Isaac (14-15) - Contention over the wells and Isaac choose to just move on and leave it be (16-22) - Lived in peace with the Philistines even when they took advantage of him - Covenant promises confirmed (23-24) - Makes a covenant with Abimelech (26-33) <p>Esau marries 2 Hittites women who bring grief to Isaac and Rebekah - he was 40 yrs old</p>