

Isaac Blesses His Sons

Genesis 27



Isaac













Esau
















Jacob















Rebekah







 and  were twins.  was the older and the favorite of his father, . One day,  called  into his room.  was getting very old and he wanted to give  the blessing that was given to the oldest son. “Go out and hunt,” his father said, “and then prepare my favorite meal. Bring it to me, and I will bless you,” said .  left to go hunting.



Now ,  and ’s mother, heard what  was planning. She wanted  to receive the blessing. She told  to get a few goats. She prepared a meal that  would like. Then she dressed  in ’s clothing and sent him in to  with the food to get the blessing.

, who was nearly blind, asked who was there.  lied and said, “.

 still wasn’t sure, so he asked him to come near him so he could feel him. Then he hugged  and smelled ’s clothes.  then blessed , telling him that he would rule over all his brothers.

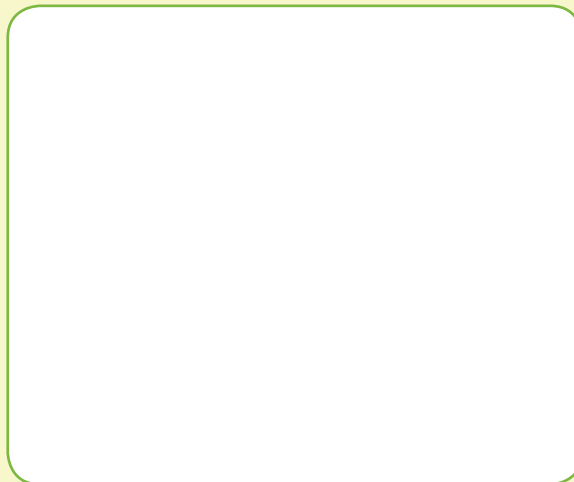
After  left the room,  entered with the food he had prepared. But he was too late, and  could not take back the blessing he gave . Now  hated  because of the blessing his father had given .

 was so angry that  thought he would kill . For ’s safety,  told Isaac that  should leave and travel many miles to live with her brother. There he could find a wife. And that is what happened.

The promise of a Savior passed from Abraham to  and now to .

Although all these men were sinful, God was faithful and kept His Word.

Sharing God's Love and Forgiveness



Bible Words to Remember

Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you. Matthew 5:44

