

ISAAC

Day 1: Review

1. What is something new you learned from the commentary notes?

2. What did you find helpful from the lecture?

Day 2: Read Genesis 26:1-17 [\[Open NIV\]](#) [\[Open NKJV\]](#)

3. FACTS:
 - A. What did the Lord tell Isaac to do about the famine (verses 1-2)?

 - B. What promise did the Lord make to Isaac concerning the future (verses 3-4)?

 - C. For what reason did the Lord make the promise (verse 5)?

 - D. What same mistake did Isaac make that his father, Abraham, made years earlier (verses 7-11)?

 - E. How did God bless Isaac, despite his sin of lying about Rebekah (verses 12-17)?

4. LESSONS:
 - A. What warning should you receive from Isaac repeating Abraham's sin?

 - B. What do you learn about God's faithfulness to bless Isaac, despite his sin?

5. APPLICATION: How might you apply a lesson or warning you received from verses 1-17?

Day 3: Read Genesis 26:18-35 [\[Open NIV\]](#) [\[Open NKJV\]](#)

6. FACTS:

- A. What difficulty did Isaac have over the wells that Abraham had dug, and later that Isaac dug?
- B. What did God say to Isaac one night in Beersheba, and why do you think these specific words might have encouraged Isaac (verses 23-24)?
- C. Why did Abimelech, king of the Philistines, come to Isaac (verses 26-29)?
- D. What was the outcome of the meeting with Abimelech (verses 30-33)?
- E. What happened (verses 34-35) that caused grief to Isaac and Rebekah?

7. LESSONS: In verses 26-29, King Abimelech (with Ahuzzath and Phicol) recognized that God was with Isaac. What principle is being illustrated by this clear and obvious blessing on Isaac's life that was recognizable to their enemies?

8. APPLICATION: Have you ever had a non-believer recognize God's presence in or blessing on your life? If so, explain the circumstances.

Day 4: Read Genesis 27:1-17 [\[Open NIV\]](#) [\[Open NKJV\]](#)

9. FACTS: Make a bullet point summary of Genesis 27:1-17:

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10. LESSONS: What family dynamic warnings are given in today's Bible verses?

11. APPLICATION: How will you apply a warning from today's lesson?

Day 5: Read Genesis 27:18-29, Genesis 25:23 [\[Open NIV\]](#) [\[Open NKJV\]](#)

12. FACTS:

A. How did Jacob deceive Isaac?

B. Summarize the blessing Isaac gave to Jacob, even though he thought he was blessing Esau (verses 27-29).

13. LESSONS: What had God said about Jacob and Esau from Genesis 25:23? Explain how you see God's sovereignty at work, despite the deception and wrong motives being displayed in verses 18-29.

14. APPLICATION: Explain your understanding of God's sovereignty and how His sovereignty applies to your life today.

Day 6: Read Genesis 27:30-46, Hebrews 12:16-17 [\[Open NIV\]](#) [\[Open NKJV\]](#)

15. FACTS:

A. Describe the scene when Esau returned to Isaac to receive his blessing (verses 30-31).

B. How did Isaac respond when he realized he had been deceived (verses 32-33)?

C. Summarize Isaac's reply to Esau's appeal for a blessing (verses 34-40).

D. What did Esau threaten to do after Isaac died and what was Rebekah's reaction (verses 41-46)?

16. LESSONS: Using Hebrews 12:16-17, what do you learn about the consequences of sin from this text?

17. APPLICATION: What is something from today's scripture that you might apply to your life?

MEMORY VERSE:

“But seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.” Matthew 6:33