

# **THE BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM**

## **WEEK 6 – Genesis 31-36 & Matthew 11-12**

### **WEEK 6 – ANSWERS**

1. **Sunday** – Worship/Time With Family/Review Answers With Others
2. **Monday** –
  - 1) Genesis 31 – Read & Answer Below
    - a) Who accused Jacob of taking away all that belonged to Laban? (Laban’s sons, vs. 1)
    - b) How did Jacob say that he had served Laban? (with all his power, vs. 6)
    - c) According to Genesis 31:18, Jacob and his wives were leaving \_\_\_\_\_ to go to Isaac in, the land of \_\_\_\_\_. (Padanaram, Canaan)
    - d) The images that Rachel took belonged to what person? (Her father, Laban, vs. 19)
    - e) What did Jacob say could be done to the person who had stolen Laban’s images? (Jacob said the person should not live, vs. 32)
    - f) How many years did Jacob say that he was with Laban? (20 years, vs. 38)
    - g) According to Genesis 31:7 and 41, how many times did Jacob say that Laban had changed his (Jacob’s) wages? (10 times)
    - h) Did Laban and Jacob do battle or make a covenant of peace? (Peace, vs. 51-55)
  - 2) Matthew 11 – Read Only
3. **Tuesday** –
  - 1) Genesis 32 – Read & Answer Below
    - a) The country of Esau is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_? (Edom, vs. 3)
    - b) How many men were coming with Esau to meet Jacob? (400, vs. 6)
    - c) According to Genesis 32:10, did Jacob approach God in arrogance or humility? (Humility; He said, “I am not worthy of the least of all the mercies...)
    - d) Per Genesis 32:20, what did Jacob hope to appease Esau with? (A present or gift of livestock, etc.)
    - e) What did Jacob do until the break of day? (He wrestled with a man; obviously not a “mere man,” vs. 24)
    - f) What was Jacob’s name changed to? (Israel, vs. 28)
    - g) What did Jacob call the place of his encounter with God? (Peniel or the Face of God, vs. 30)
    - h) How was Jacob physically affected after his wrestling encounter? (He limped, vs. 31)
  - 2) Matthew 11 – Read & Answer Below
    - a) According to Matthew 11:1, Jesus had just finished commanding His \_\_\_\_\_ disciples. (twelve)

- b) While John the Immerser was in prison, he heard about the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ. (works, vs. 2)
- c) Did Jesus think and speak highly of John? (Yes, vs. 7-11)
- d) Who did Jesus liken John unto in Matthew 11:14? (Elias or Elijah)
- e) In Matthew 11:18-19, Jesus is repeating what “they say” (that is, what others had falsely said about John and Him). Jesus then says that \_\_\_\_\_ is justified of her children. (wisdom)
- f) Per Matthew 11:20, what had the cities He was addressing “not” done? (repented)
- g) Did Jesus say, “Come unto me ALL or SOME that are heavy laden?” (All, vs. 28-30)

4. **Wednesday** –

1) Genesis 33 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Who did Jacob put at the back of the pack when approaching Esau? (Rachel and Joseph, vs. 2)
- b) What did Esau do when he met with Jacob? (He ran to meet him, embraced him, kissed him and wept, vs. 4)
- c) Did Esau want the gift from Jacob? Did he finally take it? (No, Esau said he had enough, vs. 9; Yes, Jacob urged him and he finally took it, vs. 11)
- d) Did Jacob come to the land of Canaan? (Yes, vs. 18)
- e) What did Jacob call the altar he made? (EleloheIsrael, vs. 20)

2) Matthew 11 – Read & Word Study/Research

- a) What evidence did Jesus reference as proof to John that He (Christ) was the Messiah? (Jesus referenced things seen and heard such as: Blind receiving sight, lame walking again, lepers being cleansed, deaf hearing, dead being raised from the dead and the poor having the gospel preached to them, vs. 4-5)
- b) What Old Testament prophecy is referenced in Matthew 11:10? (Malachi 3:1)
- c) As great as John the Baptizer was, who did Jesus reference as being greater? (The least in the kingdom of heaven, vs. 11)
- d) According to Matthew 11:13, all the prophets and the Law prophesied until \_\_\_\_\_. (John)
- e) In Matthew 11:14, Jesus links John to Elias (or Elijah). What passage in Malachi chapter 4 prophesies regarding this linkage? (Malachi 4:5-6)
- f) Did John “actually” have a devil? Did Jesus “actually” live as a glutton and winebibber (or wino) or did the people unjustly and falsely accuse them? (No!, They were falsely accused; Plainly, the accusers lied; As the text says, “they say”)

5. **Thursday** –

1) Genesis 34 – Read & Answer Below

- a) What is Leah’s daughter’s name? (Dinah, vs. 1)
- b) Genesis 34:2 says that Shechem defiled Dinah by committing sexual sin before marriage. Genesis 34:7 says he had wrought \_\_\_\_\_ in Israel in lying with Jacob’s daughter; which thing \_\_\_\_\_ to be done. (folly; ought not)
- c) What did the sons of Jacob ask Shechem and Hamor along with all their males, to do? (To be circumcised, vs. 15-17)

- d) Who were the two sons of Jacob that were involved in the slaughter of all the males? (Simeon and Levi, vs. 25)
- e) Was Jacob excited about the consequences of Simeon's and Levi's actions? Why not? (No; Jacob feared the Canaanites would gather themselves and destroy he and his house, vs. 30)

2) Matthew 12 – Read Only

6. **Friday** –

1) Genesis 35 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Where did God tell Jacob to go and dwell? (Bethel, vs. 1)
- b) What did Jacob tell his household to “put away” from them? (Strange gods or idols, vs. 2)
- c) Where did Jacob hide the idols? (Under the oak which was by Shechem, vs. 4)
- d) What is the location of Bethel also referred to as? (Luz, vs. 6)
- e) In what verses does God repeat the promises to Jacob? (Verses 11-12)
- f) What was the name of Rachel's son that she gave birth to? (Benjamin, vs. 18)
- g) What happened during Rachel's child birth? (Rachel died, vs. 18-19)
- h) At what age did Isaac die? (180 years, vs. 28)
- i) Who buried Isaac? (Esau and Jacob, vs. 29)
- j) Does it appear that Esau and Jacob “personally” restored their relationship? (Yes)

2) Matthew 12 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Read Matthew 12:1 and then read Deuteronomy 23:25. Did the disciples of Jesus violate the Law? (No)
- b) Did the Pharisees accuse them wrongly of violating the Sabbath? (Yes; Jesus and His disciples did NOT break the Sabbath but rather they only broke the “man-made traditions” of the Pharisees regarding the Sabbath, vs. 2f)
- c) Jesus referenced David and those with him as eating the shewbread, “which was \_\_\_\_\_ lawful...to eat.” (not, vs. 4)
- d) On the other hand, Jesus said the Pharisees had “condemned the \_\_\_\_\_” in Matthew 12:7 as it references His disciples. (guiltless)
- e) In Matthew 12:12 and in line with proper Old Testament teaching, Jesus clearly stated that it was “\_\_\_\_\_ to do well on the Sabbath days.” (lawful)
- f) After Jesus performed a miracle, the people connected Him with the lineage of what great king? (David, vs. 23)
- g) What did Jesus say had come per Matthew 12:28? (The Kingdom)
- h) Jesus said “out of the abundance of the \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ speaketh. (heart; mouth, vs. 34)

7. **Saturday** –

1) Genesis 36 – Read & Answer Below

- a) Esau is called \_\_\_\_\_ in Genesis 36:1? (Edom)
- b) Per Genesis 36:3, who was Ishmael's daughter? (Bashemath)
- c) What verse speaks of the riches of Esau and Jacob? (Verse 7)
- d) Esau lived (or dwelt) in mount \_\_\_\_\_: Esau is \_\_\_\_\_. (Seir; Edom, vs. 8, 19)

- e) Who was the father of the Edomites? (Esau, vs. 9)
  - f) Who found the mules (probably “hot springs” as he fed the mules) in the wilderness? (Anah, vs. 24)
  - g) Did Edom or Israel have kings first? (Edom, vs. 31)
  - h) The last verse of this chapter reminds us again that Esau was the father of the \_\_\_\_\_. (Edomites, vs. 43)
- 2) Matthew 12 – Read & Word Study/Research
- a) What Old Testament section addresses what Jesus spoke of in Matthew 12:3-4? (1 Samuel 21)
  - b) What Old Testament section addresses what Jesus spoke of in Matthew 12:5? (Leviticus 24:5-9; Numbers 28:9-10)
  - c) What Old Testament passage is referenced in Matthew 12:7? (Hosea 6:6)
  - d) What passage in Isaiah is referenced in Matthew 12:14-21? (Isaiah 42:1-4)
  - e) What Old Testament prophet is referenced in Matthew 12:40? (Jonah)
  - f) What chapter in 1 Kings is “the queen of the south” (or the queen of Sheba) (cf., Matthew 12:42) referenced in? (Chapter 10)
  - g) In Matthew 12:45, Jesus said, “Even so shall it be also unto \_\_\_\_\_ wicked \_\_\_\_\_. (this; generation)