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JACOB

Gen 12:3; 25:27-34; 27; 28:13-15;
31:11-13; 32:1,13-20,31; 33;
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Nu 20:14-21

2Chr 28:17

Ps 27:1-3; 33:13-22; 34;
46:1,10,11; 55:16-18; 56:3,4

Is 41:10

Ezek 25:12-14

Obadiah 1

Rom 10:19

Gal 6:7,8

2Tim 1:7

1Jn 4:4



Lesson 11: It had been an incredible night. A stranger appeared and wrestled with Jacob. The event last for hours. Sometime during the match, Jacob discerned it was God with Whom he was fighting. Jacob refused to let go until God blessed him. After dislocating Jacob's thigh, God complied with Jacob's demand. Jacob would now be called Israel—one who strives with God. Jacob's limp would remind him of God's reality and power. Jacob named the place of his wrestling match with God Peniel meaning "I have seen God face-to-face, yet my life has been preserved." We continue today in Genesis chapter 32:

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