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CHODAE COMMUNITY CHURCH

## **FAMILY CELL WORSHIP**

Connecitng Parent and Child Generation through a Spiritual Conversation



GOD HAS AN AMAZING PLAN FOR YOUR AND ME BY HIS GRACE!

**READ GENESIS 27:11-19** 

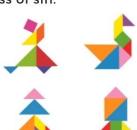
I AM WITH YOU. I WILL WATCH OVER YOU EVERYWHERE YOU GO. AND I WILL BRING YOU BACK TO THIS LAND. I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU UNTIL I HAVE DONE WHAT I HAVE PROMISED YOU (GEN 28:15)

# FAMILYACTIVITY "TANGRAM OF GRACE"

Prepare: Tangram template, color pencils or markers, scissor.

- 1. On the back of each piece of Tangram, write down some of your sin or weakness. On the front side, color it with color pencils and markers. Say these colors symbolize the grace of God.
- 2. Cut out the tangram pieces and put together to make various figures of person, animal or objects. Talk about how God is able to create something beautiful out of our weaknesses and brokenness of sin.





God has a wonderful plan for all of us even though we do not deserve it. Jacob did not deserve God's blessings at all. He tricked and lied to steal the blessings from Esau and as a result he had to leave his beloved family for so many years. When we look at ourselves, we are just as bad as Jacob in many ways. Yet, we find that God is gracious. He chooses to bless us as He transforms us along the way because He loves us.

God carries out His wonderful plan even in troubled families. Jacob's family had lots of troubles. There was a favoritism, and the mom and the son worked together to lie and cheat. Think about some troubles in your family that discourage you. Do you think God is aware of this? Do you think He still has a wonderful plan for your family?

God carries out His wonderful plan even to those who are not trustworthy. Jacob was definitely not trustworthy but he learned his own lesson later as he himself was tricked by his uncle Laban. Shaping and molding Him to be a better person was part of God's wonderful plan for him.

God carries out His wonderful plan even to those who are in despair. Jacob was in despair when he had to run away from angry brother Esau. He felt like he had no future. But God met Jacob when he was afraid and powerless. God promised that He will bless him not because of his good works but because of His perfect plan, and His love and grace for Jacob.

In the same way, God decided to bless and offer us a wonderful plan in our lives not because we are good or that we deserve any of it, but because God is good and gracious. And in order to do that, He will make sure to change and transform us to be fit and ready for His wonderful plan.



- 1. What was some problems that Jacob and His family had?
- 2.Try sharing some of your sins, weakness or brokenness that could be a problem in God's eyes. Do you want God to transform these troubles in your life?
- 3. Share the moments of experiences where you experienced God's grace.

### **CONCLUSION**

Jacob was not a good person. He was a liar, a deceiver and a cheater. So was his mom! When God made a plan to bless Jacob, his plan wasn't about Jacob. God's plan was about His love and grace for all of His children. God already knew that His people were full of sin. Yet, God still chose to bless them because He loved them. But in order to bless, Jacob had to change. Jacob's transformation was part of God's wonderful plan. When God wants to bless us with His wonderful plan, He will change us too.



### **ENDING PRAYER**

Dear God, we confess that we are all so sinful and troubled just like Jacob used to be. It encourages us to know that you still chose to bless and offer a wonderful plan for Jacob's life. You taught him your ways and changed and molded him along the way so he will be ready for your plan. Do the same with us. Change us and transform us.

Cleanse us of our sins. Help us to obey and follow you in every way. In Jesus' Name we pray, Amen.