

## 7. The Birthright home lesson preschool

### Genesis 25:29-34

October 18, 2020

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### OPENING

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#### Greeting

**ASK:** Let's talk about choices. What would you do if your mom or dad asked you to pick up your toys? What would you do if you were asked to sit down in a chair to listen to a story?

**SAY:** Today we are going to learn about some people who didn't make good choices. The children of Isaac and Rebekah were very different and Esau and Jacob didn't always get along. God still had a plan for both of them.

**PRAY:** Dear God, when we do something we shouldn't, you still love us. Thank you for your wonderful plans for our lives. Amen.

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#### Dot to Dot.

- Give your child a copy of "A pot of stew" (from the Children's Ministry page).
  - Connect the dots starting at number 1. Then color the page.
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### NOURISH and EXPLORE

#### Learn the Bible Story

- [Watch the Bible story](#) from Crossroad Kids Club. The specific section is minute 1-4. However, you can watch from the beginning for review!

#### Discussion questions:

- What is a birthright? (the oldest child would get more of his father's inheritance and would be the one in charge when his father dies)
  - What was Esau doing all day? (hunting)
  - What was Jacob doing all day? (cooking stew)
  - What did Esau ask Jacob to give him? (some of the stew because he was hungry)
  - What did Jacob ask Esau to give him in exchange for the stew? (his birthright)
  - Did Esau and Jacob make good or bad choices?
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**Try one of the following activities!**

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#### 1. Soup Pot – Craft

Supplies needed: Copy of the soup pot from the Children's Ministry page, scissors, glue, crayons or markers.

- You have a couple of different options. Your child could color the vegetables and pot that are on the page. Then they could cut everything out and glue the vegetables to the pot. OR if your child would prefer to draw the vegetables onto the soup, they can do that.
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#### 2. Soup Making – Family Activity

Make this a family activity by having some soup this week! Decide on a soup everyone would like to eat, find the recipe and cook it together.

Here's one idea for a kid friendly [Chicken Noodle Soup](#).

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#### 3. Play Doh - Activity

Get out the Play Doh and have your child make a pot. They could even make some vegetables to put in the pot. Talk about what they are making and the different choices they have.

**PRAY:** Thank you for loving us. Help us to make good choices in our lives. Amen.