



## When A Mother's Faith Gets Complicated Genesis 24-27

### I. An Inspiring Faith That Steps Out (Gen. 24)

- A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of her faith (vv. 15-20)  
(Col. 3:23; Jms. 2:17)
- B. The \_\_\_\_\_ of her faith (v. 58)  
(Heb. 11:8; Psa. 119:60)
- C. The \_\_\_\_\_ of her faith (vv. 61-67)  
(Prov. 3:5-6; Lk. 9:23)

### II. An Inquiring Faith That Struggles (Gen. 25)

- A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of her faith (v. 21)  
(Psa. 34:18; Rom. 8:22-23)
- B. The \_\_\_\_\_ within her faith (v. 22a)  
(Jms. 1:2-4; 2 Cor. 4:16-18; Psa. 66:10-12)
- C. The \_\_\_\_\_ of her faith (v. 22b)  
(Jms. 1:5; Psa. 13:1-2)

### III. An Instructed Faith That Knows the Truth (Gen. 25:23)

- A. The \_\_\_\_\_ she receives (v. 23a)  
(Gen. 50:20; Acts 17:26; Rom. 8:28)

- B. The \_\_\_\_\_ she must accept (v. 23b)  
(Isa. 55:8-9; Rom. 9:10-12; 1 Cor. 1:27-29)
- C. The \_\_\_\_\_ she should have embraced  
(Psa. 37:7; Heb. 10:23)

### IV. An Interfering Faith That Takes Over (Gen. 27)

- A. The \_\_\_\_\_ she sees (vv. 1-4)  
(Rom. 9:12; 2 Cor. 5:7; Prov. 28:26; Job 42:2)
- B. The \_\_\_\_\_ she takes (vv. 5-17)  
(Jer. 17:7-8; Rom. 3:8)
- C. The \_\_\_\_\_ she pays (vv. 18-45)  
(Gal. 6:7; Jms. 1:20)

### V. An Insufficient Faith Doesn't Disrupt God's Plans (Gen. 27-28)

- A. The failure that didn't \_\_\_\_\_ God (27:46)  
(Gen. 26:34-35; 50:20; Rom. 8:28; Acts 2:23)
- B. The promise that still \_\_\_\_\_ (28:13-15)  
(Rom. 11:29; Phil. 1:6)
- C. The sovereignty that \_\_\_\_\_ it all (28:16-22)  
(Isa. 46:10; Eph. 1:11)

### TAKE HOME:

- Trust God in the \_\_\_\_\_ moments
- Take your \_\_\_\_\_ to God, not away from Him
- \_\_\_\_\_ what only God can control

## **Application Questions**

James 1:22 says, *“But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.”* These questions are designed to help you apply today’s message in your life. We encourage you to thoughtfully answer these questions and discuss your answers with others.

1. Where is God calling me to show faithful obedience in the ordinary, unseen tasks today?  
(Col. 3:23; Jms. 2:17)
2. Is there an area where I’m delaying obedience because I want more details or control—and what would it look like to obey quickly? (Heb. 11:8; Ps. 119:60)
3. What “unknown” is God asking me to surrender right now, trusting Him to direct my path?  
(Prov. 3:5–6; Lk. 9:23)
4. What pain or confusion am I carrying that I need to bring honestly to the Lord instead of handling alone?  
(Ps. 34:18; Jms. 1:5)
5. Where am I tempted to interpret life by what I see rather than what God has said? (2 Cor. 5:7; Prov. 28:26)
6. What promise from God do I already know is true—but I’m struggling to wait for His timing?  
(Ps. 37:7; Heb. 10:23)
7. In what situation am I trying to “help God out” through pressure, manipulation, or control instead of trusting Him? (Jer. 17:7–8; Rom. 3:8)
8. What regret or failure do I need to place under God’s sovereign care, believing He can still work for good and finish what He started? (Rom. 8:28; Phil. 1:6)

*“The greatest thing a mother can do for her children is to love Christ more than she loves them.”*

- John Piper