Series: "DANGEROUS PRAYERS"
Part 2: "BREAK ME"
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[16] You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings.[17] My sacrifice, O God, is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart you, God, will not despise.
Psalm 51:16-17 (NIV)

[36] Esau said, "Isn't he rightly named Jacob? This is the second time he has taken advantage of me: He took my birthright, and now he's taken my blessing!" Genesis 27:36a (NIV)

[22] That night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two female servants and his eleven sons and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. [23] After he had sent them across the stream, he sent over all his possessions.[24] So Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him till daybreak.[25] When the man saw that he could not overpower him, he touched the socket of Jacob's hip so that his hip was wrenched as he wrestled with the man. [26] Then the man said, "Let me go, for it is daybreak." But Jacob replied, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." [27] The man asked him, "What is your name?" "Jacob," he answered. [28] Then the man said, "Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel, because you have struggled with God and with humans and have overcome." [29] Jacob said, "Please tell me your name." But he replied, "Why do you ask my name?" Then he blessed him there. [30] So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, "It is because I saw God face to face, and yet my life was spared." [31] The sun rose above him as he passed Peniel, and he was limping because of his hip. [32] Therefore to this day the Israelites do not eat the tendon attached to the socket of the hip, because the socket of Jacob's hip was touched near the tendon.
Genesis 32:22-32 (NIV)

Jacob: An example of brokenness

1. **God brings Jacob to a place of _____**
2. **So that God might bring Jacob to a place of _____**
3. **So that God might bring Jacob to a place of _____**
4. **That God might bring Jacob to a place of _____**

- **When in brokenness we _____ who we really are to God, God then tells us who we _____ to him!**
- **Resisting brokenness is a battle we cannot afford to _____**
- **Satan's lie regarding brokenness is that we should _____**
- **God's truth regarding brokenness says _____**

Remember:

- **There is no true _____, apart from embracing _____**

Sermon Notes: