



ESAU – Pastor Mark Pope
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1. Think of a situation when you made a bad deal. What led to that decision? What did you learn from that experience?
2. Read Genesis 25:24-34 How did Esau's bad decision impact him for the rest of his life?
3. Consider why urgency in making decisions is risky. How many bad consequences are connected to quick decisions? Is your pace prone to making good choices?
4. Read John 4:6, Luke 4:1 & Luke 24: 13 Why is it important not to rush ahead of God's pace? What steps do you take to allow God to speak into your decision-making?
5. In what ways do you guard against "unrecognized enemies"? What triggers your awareness and what is your response?
6. Pastor Mark suggested we can avoid making "bad deals" when we walk away, pray against, or confront. Which action(s) are you most likely to use? Which do you need to work on?
7. Read Psalm 46:10 What can you do this week that will allow you to rest and "be still"; to allow God to help you in making decisions/good trades that you are facing?