



## PRINCIPLE for TRANSFORMATION

*Learning to love and serve others*

*helps free you to become the person God made you to be.*

*Learning to manipulate and use others*

*alienates you from who God made you to be.*

## NEXT STEPS

- o Learn Jacob's Story — Read Genesis 12 - 50
- o Learn Your Story — Recommended Readings
  - Till We Have Faces* by CS Lewis
  - To Be Told: Know Your Story, Shape Your Future* by Dan B. Allendar
  - Boundaries* by Henry Cloud
  - The Gift of Being Yourself* by David Benner
  - Good & Beautiful God* by James Bryan Smith
- o Share Your Story — Groups
- o Enter Jesus' Story

## A CLASSIC STORY OF RIVALRY

Jacob & Esau

Gen 27:1 — 28:9

## WHO IS JACOB?

- o A Con Artist
- o A Mamma's Boy
- o An Opportunist
- o A Victim

## JACOB IS A PRODUCT OF HIS ENVIRONMENT

- o He is Shaped by his Family System
- o He is an Unwitting Student of Manipulation

## WHO ARE WE?

- o Products of our Environment
- o Active Participants in Our Own Lives
- o Followers of Jesus

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