

## Genesis 33

- I. Esau, with four hundred men, meets Jacob. Genesis 33:1**
- II. Jacob places his children under their respective mothers, and passes over before them, and bows seven times to his brother. Genesis 33:2-3**
  - A. Bilhah, Dan and Naphtali**
  - B. Zilpah, Gad and Asher**
  - C. Leah, Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah, Issachar, Zebulun, and Dinah.**
  - D. Rachel and Joseph**
  - E. Jacob goes before them.**
  - F. Jacob bows to the ground, walks a little closer, bows again, walks a little closer, and does this seven times until he is near Esau.**
- III. Esau receives Jacob with great affection. Genesis 33:4**
- IV. Esau receives homage of the handmaids, Leah, Rachel, and their children. Genesis 33:5-7**
- V. Jacob offers Esau the present of cattle, sheep, goats, and camels which he at first refuses, but after much entreaty accepts. Genesis 33:8-11**
- VI. Esau invites Jacob to accompany him to Mount Seir, about 65 miles south of Peniel. Genesis 33:12-15**
  - A. Jacob excuses himself because of his flocks and his children, but promises to follow him. Genesis 33:13-14**
  - B. Esau offers to leave him some of his attendants, which Jacob declines. Genesis 33:15**
- VII. Esau returns to Seir. Genesis 33:16**
- VIII. Jacob journeys to Succoth, which is northwest of Peniel. Genesis 33:17**
  - A. Jacob goes in the opposite direction.**

**IX. Jacob journeys to Shalem, which is about 18 miles northwest of Peniel. Genesis 33:18-20**

- A. Buys a parcel of ground from the children of Hamor.**
- B. Erects an altar which he calls El-elohe-Israel.**
- C. Jacob does not follow Esau to Mount Seir, but goes in the opposite direction and buys property in Shalem, which is about 80 miles northwest of Mount Seir.**