

Isaac gets a Bride

Genesis 24:1- 66

God had promised Abraham and his wife Sarah a son and made special promises about him and their descendants. They had waited a long time for their son Isaac to be born and now he was grown up.



Abraham was getting very old and he thought that it was time for Isaac to get married but the young girls in their town didn't know and love God.



Abraham didn't know what to do but then he had an idea. 'I will send my faithful servant back to the country where I was born to find a girl who really loves God to be a wife for Isaac.' He thought.



Before the servant set off on the long journey to the town where Abraham's brother lived, he asked God to help him find the right girl for Isaac to marry. 'She must be kind, hardworking and love God', thought the servant.



'... I think the girl who gives me water to drink and gets water for my camels as well will be the right bride for Isaac.' He thought. It wasn't long before a girl called Rebekah came to the well to get some water. She was carrying a water pot.



The servant asked her for a drink. She gave him some water and then asked him if he would like her to give water to his camels as well. The servant watched her giving water to the camels. He thought that this must be the right girl for Isaac.



When she had finished The servant gave her two gold bracelets and said, "This is a gift from my master Abraham. He sent me here to find a bride for his son Isaac.



So Rebekah took the servant to her home to meet her family and he explained that he had come to find a wife for Isaac. Then the next day Rebekah agreed to go with the servant to meet Isaac and his family.



When they arrived, Isaac saw them coming and went to meet them. They were both very happy and Abraham was delighted that God had provided a wife for Isaac.



Not long after, Isaac and Rebekah were married and then, after a while, they had twin boys who were called Esau and Jacob. Everybody was very happy.



God answered Abraham's prayers.
God answered the prayers of his servant.
He answers our prayers too.

A verse to remember

In the bible in the book of Hosea, God says:

“I the Lord am the one who answers your prayers.”

Hosea 14:8

Prayer



Thank you God that you are our heavenly Father.

Thank you God that you love each one of us so much.

Thank you God that you can hear us when we can talk to you.

Thank you God that you don't just listen to our prayers but you answer them.

Amen

Video links

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xrwZrMzX09o> Teaching Kids about Jesus (3mins)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7AvQ0d6HB1I> Primary Year A Quarter 3 (5mins)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JCuNVYC7HrE> Bible Stories for Kids (1½mins)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ssdceciBAXQ> The Holy Tales (3½mins)

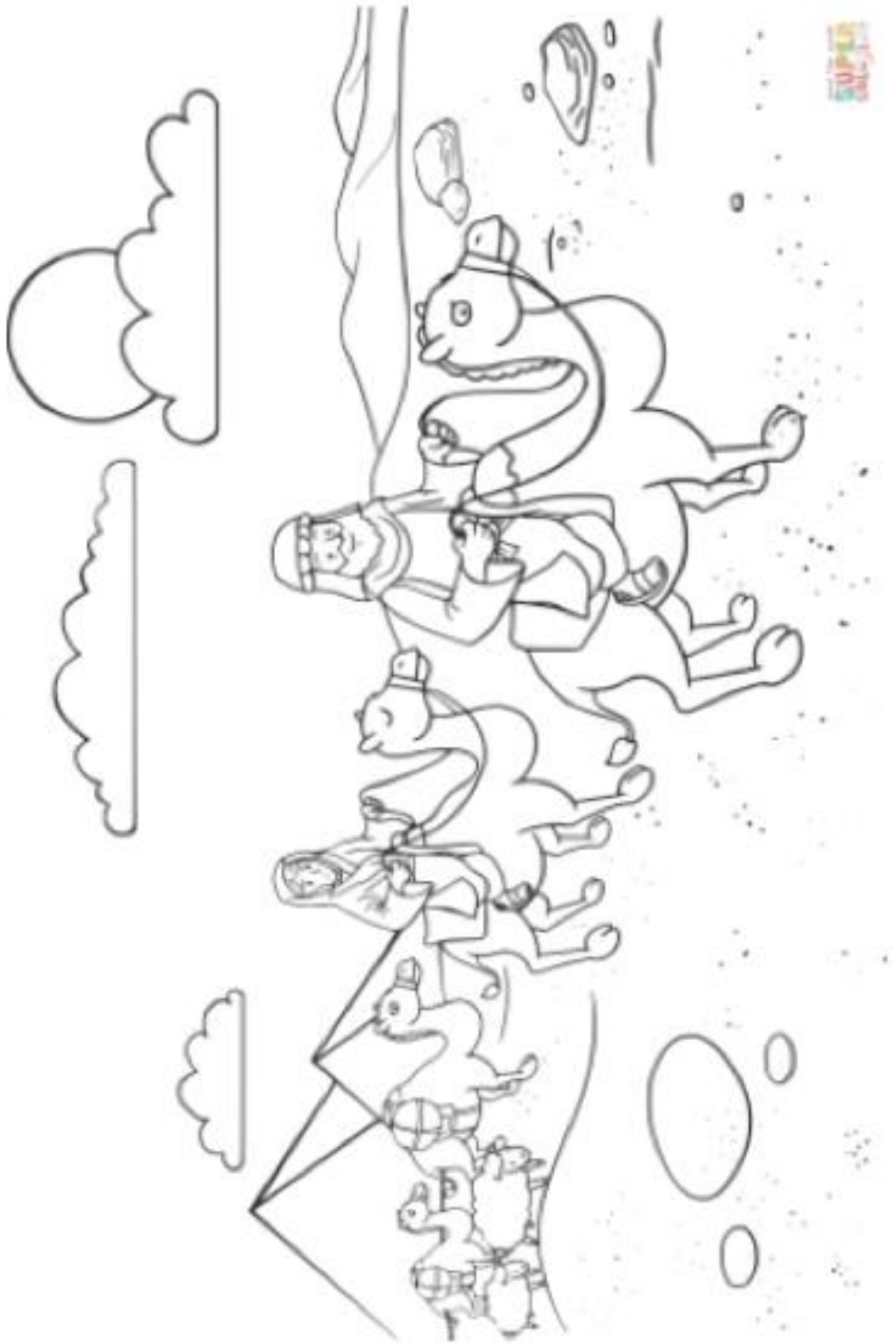
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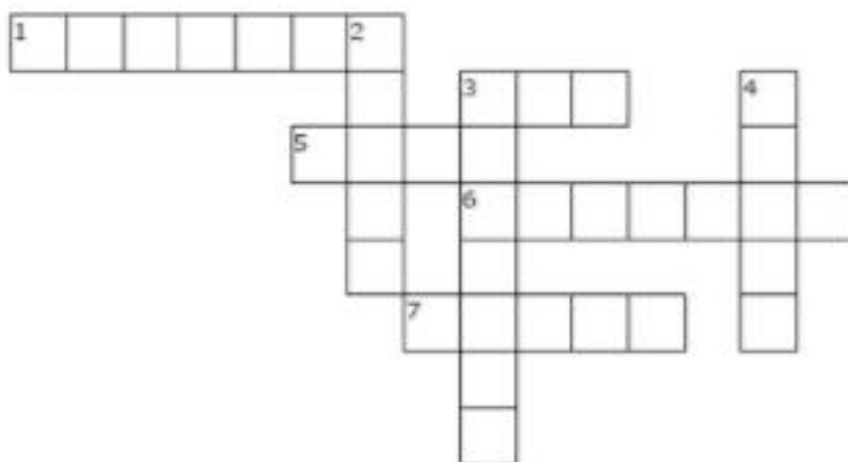
Isaac and Rebekah

Genesis 24:1 - 66





Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- To be united as husband and wife
- A male human offspring
- A man's partner in marriage
- The wife of Isaac
- A large animal used for transportation in the desert

DOWN

- To take liquid into the mouth and swallow it
- A person who works for another person
- The son of Abraham

REBEKAH	MARRIED	SERVANT	ISAAC
DRINK	SON	CAMEL	WIFE



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A Bride for Isaac

Genesis 24:1-67

Word Search Puzzle

L O W I S A A C F F T E S S I
F K Q U M A I D E N A P F H W
N S E C A M E L S Q N M U Z P
S E B D T T K U K G W W I Y X
I R H B L N H E N R J A K L X
D V B G I E K I K D W T L W Y
G A O R P C R N W S W E Q D M
K N D A N P E G I B P R E A H
G T Z D S S S H F E G I H A R
S D Y E O N T C E Z R A K P S
G O T H A F G E Q R R E V D O
M Z C K Z X H B A B B S T T N
X R K F F R V M A E A Y L C Y
L J H Q P L U F R Z L N Y K M
O W E A L T H Y M T O F F X P

FAMILY
DRINK
WATER

WIFE
ABRAHAM
SON

MARRIED
WEALTHY
CHOSEN

CAMELS
SPRING
ISAAC

SERVANT
MAIDEN
REBEKAH