

Moore's Memorial Baptist Church
Genesis Life Application Bible Study
"The effects of jealousy"
Genesis 29:30-30:13

Introduction

1. Has there ever been a time in which you were jealous? What actions did you take because of your jealousy?
2. What were some of the effects of your jealous acts?
3. What does jealousy do within a marriage?

Bible Study

Read Genesis 29:30-30:15

1. Jacob was married to both Leah and Rachael, who gave him children first? What does the bible say about why the Lord did this?
2. What was Leah's reaction to the first three children that were born? What was her reaction to the last son in verse 35?
3. What was Rachael's reaction in 30:1? Was this action selfish and why?
4. Out of jealousy what did Rachael do?
5. What was Leah's response?
6. What was the ultimate problem between the sisters?

Life Application

1. Do I need to control my jealousy? What are the consequences for jealousy? If I let it continue, what will jealousy do?
2. How should I handle each situation in which jealousy is involved?
3. What should be my response when I find out someone is jealous of me?