

The Jacob Generation

*"Then as Jacob went on his way, the angels of God met him [to reassure and protect him].
When Jacob saw them, he said, "This is God's camp."
Genesis 32:1-2*

Intro

Several years ago, the prophet John Paul Jackson gave a talk outlining many events that would, and indeed have now come to pass. He said that we are the 'Jacob Generation' for this historical and tumultuous time. Here are some qualities of the Jacob Generation¹:

- A much clearer definition of Christian; no lukewarm.
- Will ascend to the hill of the Lord, be elevated, and promoted above those around you.
- Will live in the thick Holy presence of God; you will hear from Him and be guided by Him.
- The gates of heaven will be open to you. The spiritual questions that have been difficult for you to know or understand will become easy to understand.
- The everlasting or ancient doors will be opened. Ancient spiritual truths that have been hidden for a long, long time will be revealed.
- The might, strength and power of the Lord and His Hosts will come into your situations and circumstances and they will fight on your behalf.
- The Glory of the Lord will rest in your house. Selah.

THIS is the Strike Force Mission

1. Truly seek the Face (Penei or Presence) of the Lord. You're so close you can literally see His Face.
2. If you meet the qualifications, something wonderful will happen... The qualifications are:
3. Must have clean hands and not have harmed others. If you have, must have repented to be clean.
4. Must have a pure heart with no hidden motives or agendas, other than God's agendas for you.
5. Must not be driven by ego or be self-promoting.

To prepare this teaching/prayer protocol, I dove deeper to discover dimensions of Jacob that would provide clues to what it means to be part of the 'Jacob Generation'. As usual, the scriptures reveal all kinds of gems of revelation and inspiration.

The purpose of this protocol is to provide support for our walk as the 'Jacob Generation'.

Preferential Treatment.

God chooses who to favor. In spite of his twin brother Esau being firstborn, Jacob was favored of God to create a great number of nations through his 12 sons. *"But Isaac replied to Esau, 'Listen carefully: I have made Jacob your lord and master; I have given him all his brothers and relatives as servants; and I have sustained him with grain and new wine.'" Genesis 27:37*

"The older (Esau) will serve the younger (Jacob). JACOB I LOVED (chose, protected, blessed)." Romans 9:12-13

So the Jacob Generation is favored of God to generate and lead great nations. The power of the Holy Spirit through us will fulfill this.

¹ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kzPJjOzZorg>

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- Has God given you any visions of the nations? Of what a 'Covenant nation' looks like?
- What is *your* role in incubating, nurturing or birthing this vision?

Rightly Yoked.

Before Jacob left his family home to make his way in the world, his father advised him to yoke rightly, and not to intermarry with someone of a different spiritual seed. *"So Isaac called Jacob and blessed him and charged him, and said to him, "You shall not marry one of the women of Canaan." (Genesis 28:1)*

This instructs the Jacob Generation to un-yoke from ungodly things and relationships and to rightly yoke with spiritual kin.

- From what things, activities or persons do you need to unyoke?
- What does 'rightly yoked' look like in your life and relationships?

God Forgives Us for and Awakens Us from Our Spiritual Sleep.

Genesis 28:16 says: *"Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and he said, "Without any doubt the Lord is in this place, and I did not realize it."*

- What spiritual amnesia or fuzziness do you need to awaken from or shake off?
- What habits, beliefs or relationships have caused or contributed to this spiritual sleepiness?
- What are your remedies for shaking off this sleepiness and experiencing God 'in this place'?

Jacob Makes an Altar & a Vow.

Altars and vows are for consecration, sanctification and holiness. We tend to think of altars and vows as the realm of clergy, pastors, nuns or monks, people who have chosen a religious vocation. Jacob, however, was no such thing. He was not of the priest class.

"So Jacob got up early in the morning, and took the stone he had put under his head and he set it up as a pillar [that is, a monument to the vision in his dream], and he poured [olive] oil on the top of it [to consecrate it]."
Genesis 28:18

"Then Jacob made a vow (promise), saying, "If God will be with me and will keep me on this journey that I take, and will give me food to eat and clothing to wear, and if [He grants that] I return to my father's house in safety, then the LORD will be my God." Genesis 28:20-21

- What kind of altar can you create to establish a holy meeting place with God in your life?
- A vow is a part of forming a covenant with someone else. How might you make your own personal covenant with God through a sacred vow?
- Is there a vow you previously made to God that could be renewed to refresh your relationship with Him?

Jacob Contends with God.

As Jacob is preparing to re-enter his homeland and reunite with his brother Esau, he has an unusual encounter. He is confronted and engages in a tussle with a being. Some scripture translations identify him as God; some say it is an angel of God. (Genesis 32) Whether it was a representative of God (an angel or messenger) or the Lord, either way, this event represents Jacob contending with God.

Who doesn't contend or argue with God? What is striking is Jacob's boldness, courage and tenacity. He is not the one to cry 'uncle!' God is the one who says: *"Let Me go, for day is breaking."* In his audacity and boldness, Jacob responds: *"I will not let You go unless You declare a blessing on me."*

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- What are some constructive ways to contend with God for our Covenant blessings and promises?
- (Hint: we have been doing this in our petitions to God using the scriptures as our case arguments.)

Transformation from Struggle.

It is profound to realize that God truly does reward those who diligently seek Him (Hebrews 11:1). God *does* reward boldness, courage and tenacity. A mighty transformation follows.

God replies: *“Your name shall no longer be Jacob, but Israel; for you have struggled with God and with men and have prevailed.” And He declared a blessing [of the covenant promises] on Jacob there.”* Genesis 32:28-29

Jacob survived contending with God: *“So Jacob named the place Peniel (the face of God), saying, “For I have seen God face to face, yet my life has not been snatched away.”* Genesis 32:29-30

A Better Country.

“But the truth is that they were longing for a better country, that is, a heavenly one. For that reason God is not ashamed [of them or] to be called their God [even to be surnamed their God—the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob]; for He has prepared a city for them. Hebrews 11:16

We have been called to prepare the way of the Lord, so that the government shall rest upon His Shoulders. (Isaiah 9:6-7) This is surely for ‘a better country.’

- What does that ‘better country’ look like to you?
- What does the culture look like? The communities? The governing?
- How can we use our heart as a womb to hold this vision?

By Faith.

Hebrews 11:21 tells us: *“By faith Jacob, as he was dying, blessed each of the sons of Joseph, and bowed in worship, leaning on the top of his staff.”*

This is such a powerful phrase, ‘by faith’. In spite of his own shortcomings, Jacob surely had a lot of faith.

Faith is an eternal inheritance, to continually pass down to future generations. It is also outside of time and space constraints. We do not ever know *when* God will fulfill a promise, but faith instructs us that every promise God makes, shall be fulfilled. Faith is unselfish. We may not personally partake of every promise, but faith tells us that future generations surely will. As the Jacob Generation, we are sowing seeds of God’s Promise into our families, communities and country.

In great uncertainty, faith gives us a supernatural sight that we hold in our hearts, the substance of something not yet seen with our physical eyes. Jacob’s lineage was stamped with this faith: *“By faith he lived as a foreigner in the promised land, as in a strange land, living in tents [as nomads] with Isaac and Jacob, who were fellow heirs of the same promise.”* Hebrews 11:9

A lot of God’s people feel like foreigners, strangers in a land that was promised to us. Part of being the Jacob Generation is to hold that vision, hold the faith of God’s Covenant Promise.

Purity.

“Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, and said of him, ‘Here is an Israelite indeed [a true descendant of Jacob], in whom there is no guile nor deceit nor duplicity!’” John 1:47

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This is such a beautiful moment. The Amplified bible expounds on ‘an Israelite indeed’ – as *a true descendant of Jacob*: no deceit, no hidden agendas, no selfishness. What a compliment to Nathanael! Incidentally, the Hebrew meaning of Nathanael is ‘gift from God’ or ‘God has given’.

So now we know some of the important character traits of *‘the Jacob Generation’!*

Jesus Honored Jacob’s Territory.

Nothing that Messiah Jesus did was by accident, random or coincidence. That’s what is so exciting and fun about reading the scriptures – there are always new and deeper mysteries to uncover. Jesus was notably cautious in the early part of his ministry. He did not reveal His true identity, yet He chose a place of *Jacob’s territory* to first reveal Himself, the Samaritan region. It was near land that Jacob had given to his favorite son, Joseph.

Now in Jesus’ time, the Jews did not like the Samaritans. Many years prior, when the Israelites were coming out of Babylonian captivity and planning to re-build the temple, the Samaritans were troublemakers, wanting to block the project. There was no love lost between these two groups. Yet the land had a special history as a gift from Jacob to Joseph. We see in John 4:5-6: *“So He arrived at a Samaritan town called Sychar, near the tract of land that Jacob gave to his son Joseph.”*

Why did Jesus choose the unpopular Samaritan people to first reveal His identity as the Messiah? John 4:26 says: *“Jesus said to her, ‘I who speak to you, am He (the Messiah).’”* Jesus would go on to have His own 12 ‘sons’, His 12 apostles. The Samaritan woman had the revelation of who Jesus was – she brought her whole village to Him! Was that place, the Samaritan region, and were the Samaritan people then redeemed? It would certainly seem so!

God designated and gifted that land to Jacob’s generations. The Samaritans were descendants of Jacob, in spite of battles and division that had later transpired on that land and with other tribes of Jacob. Through His revelation to the broken branch represented by the Samaritans, the land and people came into redemption.

- ➔ Are we to be redeemers of the land that has been placed in Covenant with God?
- ➔ If so, how does that change your view of your purpose and Covenant with God?

Jacob’s Pillow. Jacob’s Ladder. Jacob’s Well.

- ➔ Consider these three famous objects of Jacob: his pillow, ladder and well.
- ➔ What do these represent and tell us about being the Jacob Generation?

Jacob’s Pillow represents God’s rest, resting in the Lord. God emphasizes the importance of resting in Him: *“Therefore I swore [an oath] in My wrath, ‘They absolutely shall not enter My rest [the land of promise].’”*

Deuteronomy 12:9 says: *“...or you have not yet come to the resting place and to the inheritance which the LORD your God is giving you.”*

Resting in the Lord also infers waiting on the Lord. Acting in God’s timing is critical to best outcomes. Throughout the scriptures, people made mistakes by taking matters into their own hands and not acting in God’s timing and ways. They did not wait on the Lord which comes from resting in the Lord.

Jacob’s Ladder represents our connection to God, His angels and His realm. The Jacob Generation helps others in their personal relationship with God, brings the Gospel to them, encourages and inspires them.

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Jacob's Well represents the container and means of delivering the living water of the Word, the Gospel, the spiritual sustenance we bring to humanity. Jesus Christ Yeshua *is* the well of the new living waters, which is the spirit of God within us waiting to be drawn out: ***"the water that I give him will become in him a spring of water."***

Let's look at how Jesus used Jacob's Well to introduce the concept of spiritual living water ...

*"And Jacob's well was there. So Jesus, tired as He was from His journey, sat down by the well." ⁷ Then a woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give Me a drink." ¹² Are You greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well, and who used to drink from it himself, and his sons and his cattle also?" ¹³ Jesus answered her, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again. ¹⁴ But whoever drinks the water that I give him will never be thirsty again. But **the water that I give him will become in him a spring of water** [satisfying his thirst for God] welling up [continually flowing, bubbling within him] to eternal life." John 4:6-7, 12-14*

The Jacob Generation is surely called to BE that spring of water and provide the living waters to all who thirst.

The purpose of this prayer protocol is to strengthen us as the Jacob Generation, so that we may fulfill the destiny that God has for us in these historic times.

Prayer & Courts of Heaven Protocol for the Jacob Generation

This is constructed as a protocol going before God in the Courts of Heaven. As Intercessors, we renounce, repent and plead guilty for all transgressions on behalf of those for whom we are standing in the gap. We then ask God to pass judgements on our behalf. The adversary operates through legality, which is why we conduct warfare by removing any legal cases the enemy is using against us, our families, communities and nation.

NOTE: Before you go into the Courts of Heaven, take the time to identify your petitions and purposes, what remedies you are seeking, what in your life, family lineage, or the other person's life (if you are standing in for someone else) requires repentance. **Also what requires repentance in your community, region, state and country.** Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to you these things before you go in to the Courts of Heaven. Often times, when you are in the Courts of Heaven, the Holy Spirit will bring other things to mind for which to repent.

1. Opening Protocol in the Courts of Heaven.²

Father God, I come before Your Throne of Grace and ask that the courts be seated and the books be open, according to Daniel 7:10. I ask for the Holy Spirit and the Lord Jesus Christ to be my Holy Advocates to represent me in Your court. I give them full permission to speak on my behalf. I put on robes of righteousness as an officer in Your court and loose the Blood of Jesus over myself so that satan has no access to me. I come into the Courts right now and I thank you that I am accepted here.

I come before Your Throne of Grace to answer the call to be a part of the Jacob Generation, to receive whatever mantle, anointing and supports You so choose to give to me at this time for this purpose. Just as Jacob was a flawed human being, yet You still used him mightily for Your purposes, I come before You in thanksgiving that You may also use me mightily for Your works.

As I stand before Your Court Lord God Adonai, I thank you for everything You've done for me, that when Jesus Christ Yeshua died on the Cross, He gave His body, He gave His blood. That sacrifice is speaking for me right now. I thank You that you love me and care for me.

² Operating in the Courts of Heaven by Robert Henderson.

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I ask Lord God that You release Your highest ranking Notification Angels, Enforcement Angels and Hosts of Heaven to all those humans and non-humans who will be affected by Your Court decisions, to duly inform them of and enforce all of Your decisions and judgements in my case today.

2. Renounce & Repent in Order to Activate the Jacob Generation Anointing.

Father God on behalf of myself, my entire bloodline back to Adam and Eve, and as an Intercessor standing in the gap for the Body of Christ and America, I come in the name of Jesus Christ Yeshua to renounce and repent for all the times and ways I have engaged in wrong yoking personally, socially, professionally; have been lukewarm in my relationship with You and Jesus Yeshua; have harmed others; held or executed wrong or hidden motives or agendas; walked in weak faith; been self-serving, self-promoting, self-centered; lived by and/or driven agendas that were not aligned with You or a part of Your agendas; lived out of my own ego and carnal nature instead of looking to You for right actions and choices; lived in willfulness, stubbornness, resistance and rebellion towards Your will and ways for my life; have insisted on doing things my way, my timing, my needs and desires over Yours.

I renounce, repent for and ask for Your forgiveness for all of the ways I, my bloodline, the Body of Christ and America have created, used, engaged with, participated in, opened doors to ungodly altars and vows; been spiritually lazy, lukewarm and asleep; passive, cowardly and fearful; fought against Your will for my life; believed the lies of the adversary regarding the character, culture and destiny of my country; operated with or from guile, deceit and duplicity; not honored my word and commitments; neglected the importance and dedicated time and effort to rest in You; neglected my need and the time to establish a deeper relationship and connection with You; not honored the living waters of the Holy Spirit that dwell within me.

I renounce, nullify and divorce all ungodly, unjust, unrighteous covenants, contracts and agreements that have worked against Your plans for me and my walk as part of the Jacob Generation.

Lord Jesus, I also forgive myself for all of these iniquities and know that Your blood has washed me clean and white as snow and I therefore refuse to be condemned or to feel guilty. Father God, I now also forgive my ancestors and particularly _____ (name those that the Lord has revealed to you) including those that are already deceased and whom I have not even known, who have walked in stubborn willfulness and not lived to fulfill Your heart, Your will, Your ways and laws on earth. Father God, I repent for neglecting my first love, YOU.

3. Plead Guilty.

Father God, for everything I have repented and renounced here, I plead guilty on behalf of myself, all of my bloodlines and America. I present the Blood of the Lamb of God, Jesus Christ Yeshua as atonement, and the voice of the Blood of Jesus which speaks "Tetelestai", "paid in full" to clear all these transgressions and habits from my record and that of my entire lineage including future bloodlines. Father God, I ask for redemption from the curse, by the Blood of Jesus.

I come into agreement with the Blood of Jesus according to Hebrews 12:24 that speaks what I have come to in the spirit. The Blood of sprinkling speaks a better thing than that of Abel. Jesus' blood cries for mercy, redemption and forgiveness.

I agree with the speaking Blood of Jesus that every judgement against me, my lineage and genetics (my DNA) are revoked now, that every agenda and curse is now revoked, that every word against me and my bloodlines are now silenced, that the enemy no longer has a right to bring any case against me because of what the Blood of Jesus speaks, because of the finished work of Jesus on the Cross according to Colossians 2:14-15 which declares that Jesus *"canceled out the certificate of debt consisting of legal demands [which were in force] against us and which were hostile to us. And this certificate He has set aside and completely removed by nailing it to the*

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cross. When He had disarmed the rulers and authorities [those supernatural forces of evil operating against us], He made a public example of them [exhibiting them as captives in His triumphal procession], having triumphed over them through the cross."

Thank you Father God that breakthroughs and permanent OVERTHROW now come to my life, so that I am able to fulfill my God destiny unencumbered, unobstructed and without delays! In Jesus name!

4. Cleanse, Clear & Release.

Lord God, I ask that Your Holy Spirit fill me to overflowing to purify and cleanse my body, brain, mind, heart, soul and spirit, my conscience, my subconscious and unconscious minds, my memory bank and everywhere in me and my body where I have held traumas, memories, imprints, beliefs, habits and traits having to do with laziness, stubbornness, willfulness, rebelliousness and resistance to doing Your heart and Your will.

Erase them now; erase all damage and confusion in the chambers of my mind. Cleanse my heart, mind, soul and body of all trauma incurred. Place your healing balm of Gilead into all of my places of stored habits, filters, traumas, injuries, beliefs, memories and imprints to clear them out now.

~ Pause in Silence to Receive God's Healing ~

5. We Plead Our Case in Petitions for the Jacob Generation.

Father God Adonai, as Your son/daughter, brethren in King Jesus Yeshua, I dedicate and consecrate my life, my community, state and America to You. I now realize that perversions of righteousness and justice begin with perversions in my own character. Because of these flaws, unrighteousness and injustice have been allowed to prosper, live, operate, dominate and proliferate in my territories and they do not honor or love You. I reject these! I FORBID them! I now take full responsibility for my own character and vow to deepen my relationship with You through true surrender, humility, listening to You and waiting on You.

I am committed to being a 'spotless bride' worthy of the Lamb of God and His government here on earth. I present the following cases for why You should help me to fulfill my destiny as part of the Jacob Generation. Your Word, which is the legal document of my Covenant with You, declares the following:

The Finished Work on the Cross Has Set Me Free.

- ◆ Colossians 2:14 makes it very clear that the finished work on the Cross has erased every indictment against me: *"Through the divine authority of his cross, he cancelled out every legal violation we had on our record and the old arrest warrant that stood to indict us. He erased it all – our sins, our stained soul, and our shameful failure to keep His laws. He deleted it all and they cannot be retrieved. Everything we once were in Adam has been placed unto His cross and nailed permanently there as a public display of cancellation."* (TPT)
- ◆ **Father God, thank you! Thank you, that by my sincere repentance, truly transforming and leaving behind ungodly habits and traits, You have removed every legal case against me!**

Faith is My Title Deed.

- ◆ Hebrews 11:1-2 tells me: *"Now faith is the assurance (title deed, confirmation) of things hoped for (divinely guaranteed), and the evidence of things not seen [the conviction of their reality—faith comprehends as fact what cannot be experienced by the physical senses]. For by this [kind of] faith the men of old gained [divine] approval."*

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- ◆ **Father God, I present to You the title deed of my faith as Your faithful servant. Let this title deed be received by You to take back my life, take back all the land of my state and America, which are all now dedicated and consecrated to You.**
- ◆ **Father God, receive this title deed of faith to place ALL of our governance under Your hand.**

Bring Victories Through My Faith.

- ◆ Hebrews 11:33-34 proclaims: *“Who by faith [with an enduring trust in God and His promises] subdued kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promised blessings, closed the mouths of lions, extinguished the power of [raging] fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became mighty and unbeatable in battle, putting enemy forces to flight.”*
- ◆ **Father God, give me the might and power to subdue wicked kingdoms, administer justice, obtain promised blessings, close the mouths of lions, escape the edge of a sword, be unbeatable in battle and put all enemy forces to flight!**

Bless Me to Walk in Boldness.

- ◆ In Deuteronomy 31:6 You encourage me: *“Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you.”*
- ◆ Psalm 27:1 proclaims: *“The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?”*
- ◆ **Father God, as in Acts 4:29, grant me, Your servant, to speak Your word with all boldness!”**
- ◆ **Father God, bless me to walk in boldness, courage and tenacity as Jacob walked and lived!**

6. Petition.

Lord God Adonai, I am answering the call to be part of the Jacob Generation, to restore America to *Your* design and destiny for her. I hereby request the following from Your Throne of Grace:

- **GRANT ALL OF MY PETITIONS** in the case I have presented to You here.
- **BLESS and ANOINT ME** to walk as a fearless Jacob Generation man/woman of God.
- **POUR OUT YOUR SPIRIT** unto me that I may walk in Your Glory and be a blessing to everyone.
- **SANCTIFY ME IN TRUTH**, set apart for Your purposes, as Your word in John 17:17 promises.
- **RESTORE TO ME 7-fold** everything that the adversary has stolen from me, my bloodline and America according to Your promises in Proverbs 6:30, including time, destiny and blessings.

~ *Pause in Silence to Receive God's Decisions* ~

7. Thanks and Gratitude.

Let this be dedicated time to thank Father God after all of your petitions. You may want to blow a shofar, play or sing praise music, or other ways that you express thanks and praise.

- Thank you God for granting all of my petitions!
- Thank you Lord God for equipping me to be a mighty anchor in the storms!
- Thank you God for equipping me to help others to weather storms and walk in their God purpose.
- To You alone be all the glory in Heaven and upon the Earth forever and ever! AMEN!!!

*“You O God will increase the nation, You will multiply their joy;
They will rejoice before You like the joy and jubilation of the harvest,
as men rejoice when they divide the spoil [of victory].”*

Isaiah 9:3