

MESSAGE NOTES

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THE BLESSING: Why We Need It
Genesis 27:34
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- Did you _____ the blessing from _____? Gen 27
- _____ the blessing can affect us in harmful ways.

Examples:

When Esau heard his father's words, he burst out with a loud and bitter cry and said to his father, "Bless me—me too, my father!" **Genesis 27:34**

HOW THIS MESSAGE SERIES CAME ABOUT

- Esau's _____ is an unfulfilled _____ echoed by many today.
- It's at the _____ of the _____, mentioned over _____ times.
- Reading the _____ *The Blessing* by Gary Smalley & John Trent.
- Big part of the spiritual journey for God's _____ & His _____.

Genesis 1:27-28; 12:1-3; 27:4; 49:28; Numbers 6:23-27; Matthew 3:16-17; Mark 10:16; 1 Peter 3:9

Examples:

- _____ know the blessing even if you _____ receive it as a child.

[God had said to Abram] "I will make you a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing." **Genesis 12:2**

WHERE WE'RE GOING IN THIS SERIES

- God wants us to _____ the blessing so we can _____ the blessing.
- Learn the _____ Bible mentions involved in the blessing.