

Stepping into God's calling changes your identity.

Abram becomes Abraham.

Sarai becomes Sarah.

Saul becomes Paul.

Jacob becomes Israel. Key Thought Your identity (who you are) is tied to your destiny (where you're going). Phase 1: "I Am Not Enough"

Jacob means "supplanter."

Jacob wasn't the firstborn.

He wasn't his father's favorite.

Took Esau's birthright and blessing.

Phase 1 (Cont'd)

The devil attacks your identity to sabotage your destiny.

Wearing someone else's shoes won't take you where God wants you to go.

Questions to Ponder

What names has life given you?

Are you trying to achieve God's promise by being someone you're not?

Phase 2: "I Am Enough (But Just in Case)"

Jacob worked hard for his family, but still used "backup plans."

Jacob and the Sheep (Genesis 30:37-42).

Jacob's Two Camps (Genesis 32:7-8).

Questions to Ponder

Do you say you trust God but still have a backup plan?





Phase 3: "He is Enough"
Jacob wrestles with God (Genesis 32:22-30).
"I will not let you go unless you bless me."
Jacob realized he was wrestling with God after being crippled.

Key Insight

Jacob felt unblessed despite all he had gained. Jacob's true success came when his self-sufficiency was crippled.

God's Message to Jacob "You don't need to fight anymore." Our identity is rooted in God's ability, not our own.

God's Promise

Jacob wrestled with God at the crossing point into his promise. "Face to face with God" (Peniel).

Final Thought

You can't step into God's promise without a limp. You may not be enough, but He is enough.

