The Birthright
Genesis 25:29-34

One day, Esau came home from hunting.

He was very hungry.

"Jacob, let me have some of that stew!"

Esau was very hungry.

"If you trade me your birthright, you can have some stew," said Jacob.

Esau said he was so hungry, he would die!

"Trade me your birthright," said Jacob.

Esau made the trade.

The birthright meant that the brothers' places in the family were switched.

Jacob would be the leader in the family now.

Esau got his bowl of stew.

He did not treasure his birthright.

FAMILY DEVOTION

Sharing a meal is one of the best ways to enjoy time together as a family! Think about a favorite recipe and make dinner together. To connect your meal to the Bible story, consider making a favorite soup or stew.

Write the recipe down and put in a safe place. When you look at the recipe sometime later, you'll remember the special meal you shared together!

BIBLE PASSAGE: Psalm 136:25-26
A Pot of Stew – Coloring Page (Preschool)

Connect the dots in the picture. Start at number 1. When the puzzle is finished, you’ll see what Esau wanted to eat. Then color your page.
Find the Beans – Puzzle (Younger Elementary)

Circle each bean as you find them. Then, color the page.
Silly Story – Puzzle (Older Elementary)

Fill in the blanks using silly words. Then, find Genesis 25:29-34 in a Contemporary English Bible to learn the correct answers.

Once when Jacob was boiling _____, Esau came in from the field ______ and said to Jacob, “I’m starving! Let me devour some of this ______ stuff.” That’s why his name is ______. Jacob said, “Sell me your birthright today.” Esau said, “Since I’m going to die anyway, what good is my _______ to me?”

Jacob said, “Give me your word today.” And he did. He sold his _______ to Jacob. So Jacob gave Esau ______ and ______ stew. He ate, drank, got up, and left, showing just how little he thought of his _______.
Fruit Parfaits – Snack

Use these directions to make a yummy snack to share as a class.

Ingredients:
- Pineapple pre-cut into bite-sized chunks
- 1 orange, peeled and cut into bite-sized chunks
- 1 apple, cut into bite-sized chunks
- Seedless red grapes, halved
- Seedless green grapes, halved
- Strawberry yogurt
- Vanilla yogurt
- Granola

Directions:
- Wash hands. Wash apple and grapes.
- Peel oranges.
- Cut apples and oranges into bite-sized chunks on a paper or plastic plate.
- Slice grapes in half on a paper or plastic plate.
- Place pineapple, orange, and apple chunks in separate serving bowls.
- Place grapes, granola, and yogurt in separate serving bowls.
- Allow each kid in the class to make their own parfait using the ingredients they wish to add.

Other supplies:
- Clear 16-oz. plastic cups
- Disposable spoons
- Disposable knives
- Paper or plastic plates
- Large serving spoons
- Serving bowls for pineapple, orange, and apple chunks; grapes; granola; and yogurt.
Color the letters on the page. Then, decorate the page by gluing seeds in interesting ways all around the words.

GOD KEEPS PROMISES.
Ok, who brought something for show-and-tell?

I wonder what Carmen brought.

In this box, I have something handed down from our abuelo.

Abuelo means grandfather in Spanish.

Whoa! That's Abuelo's copy of Amazing Adventures #1!!
It's really rare.

This was drawn by one of the best comic artists of all time.

Yeah, I can't believe he drew that...

Without computers?

Hey Nicolas, what would you guys trade me for that comic?

I wouldn't trade it for all the video games in the world!