

# Where Is God?



**Jeremiah 23:24**

God fills \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

God is \_\_\_\_\_.

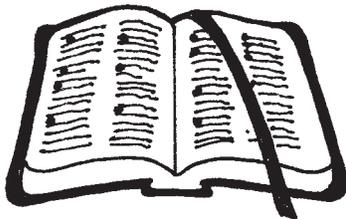


**Psalms 139:7-10**

No matter where we \_\_\_\_\_ we are in

God's \_\_\_\_\_.

God is right \_\_\_\_\_ with me.



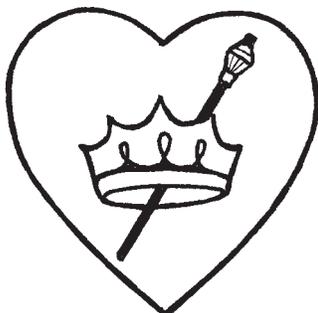
**1 Thessalonians 2:13**

We accept the teachings of the apostles, not

as it actually is, the \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_.

God speaks to me in his \_\_\_\_\_.



**Luke 17:21**

God's \_\_\_\_\_ is within us.

God rules in my \_\_\_\_\_.

# “Meet on the Street” With Francis Fleet

**Francis Fleet:** Hey, everyone! This is Francis Fleet with “Meet on the Street,” the show where we interview whomever we meet on the street! Today we’re talking to Jacob, who’s on his way from Beersheba to Haran. And does he have a story to tell! So, Jacob, tell us why you’re headed to Haran.

**Jacob:** Well, my family’s from Haran, so I’m going back there to find a wife.

**FF:** But that’s not the only reason, is it?

**J:** Well, no. Truth is, I’m running for my life. My twin brother, Esau, is pretty angry with me.

**FF:** And why’s that?

**J:** Well, I tricked my father into giving me the blessing that Esau thought he was going to get. It was a stupid thing to do, because God had already promised it to me. But I tried to do it my own way—a sinful way—and now I’ve got to run away from home to save my skin.

**FF:** This God you mentioned—has he given up on you now? I mean, you did a pretty bad thing.

**J:** Yeah, I did a very bad thing, but God would never give up on me. And he proved it to me last night. He sent me this beautiful dream! There was this huge stairway that went all the way from earth to heaven. And then angels were going up and down it, like they were carrying messages or something. And then at the top—God himself! It was incredible!

**FF:** What did God say?

**J:** He promised me that I’d have all this land and that all people would be blessed through my family. That’s an important promise, because it means the Savior will come from my family. He also promised that he would never, ever leave me.

**FF:** That must’ve made you feel good.

**J:** Yeah, it was amazing. Now I know for sure that he still loves me and he’s forgiven my sins. See, I set up this stone as a memorial, so that I always remember this place. And I’ve given it a new name: Bethel, “House of God.” I feel like the very doorway to heaven is right here!

**FF:** Wow! You know, that promise God gave you makes it sound as if you’re rich or something, but it looks to me like all you’ve got are the clothes on your back and that staff.

**J:** Yes, but I know that God will give me what he’s promised. He keeps all his promises.

**FF:** Even that promise of a Savior?

**J:** That’s the most important one! One day God will send a Savior, and he will save all of us from our sins. We all need a Savior—maybe me most of all.

# The Ladder Shows His Love



Circle the letter for each correct answer. Then put all the circled letters in order in the ladder below to answer question 12.

1. Jacob left Beersheba and set out for \_\_\_\_\_.  
G. Haran     H. Egypt     I. Jerusalem
2. For a pillow, Jacob used a \_\_\_\_\_.  
N. donkey     O. stone     P. bush
3. Jacob dreamed of a heavenly \_\_\_\_\_.  
C. banquet     D. stairway/ladder     E. house
4. In Jacob's dream there were many \_\_\_\_\_.  
G. saints     H. dragons     I. angels
5. In the dream, God said to Jacob, \_\_\_\_\_.  
S. "I am the Lord."  
T. "How have you deceived me, Jacob?"  
U. "You must flee from Esau."
6. God's greatest blessing to Jacob was that \_\_\_\_\_.  
V. Esau would not kill him  
W. all people would be blessed through him  
X. he would see Isaac and Rebekah again
7. God promised to be with Jacob \_\_\_\_\_.  
H. until he got to Haran  
I. wherever he went  
J. only throughout the land of Abraham
8. Jacob believed that the place where he slept was \_\_\_\_\_.  
R. a magical place  
S. very comfortable  
T. God's house, the gate of heaven
9. Jacob set up the stone he had used as a pillow as \_\_\_\_\_.  
G. a foundation for his house  
H. a monument to remember this spot  
I. a landmark to direct his journey home
10. Jacob believed that God \_\_\_\_\_.  
U. would be with him  
V. would make him the richest ruler in the world  
W. would let him have revenge on Esau
11. We are comforted to know that \_\_\_\_\_.  
S. God watches over us wherever we go  
T. God does not forgive our sins  
U. God loved Jacob more than us

12. What comforting truth does this lesson show us?

