

WELCOME TO HAVEN

October 02, 2022

Welcome

Worship Songs

"God is Able"

"Who You Say I Am"

Prayer

Scripture for Today

Genesis 24:12-15 (NIV)

Message

Running with the Big Dogs: Rebekah *Jack D. Cohen*

Offering/Worship Song

"Break Every Chain"

**Closing*



R U N N I N G
with the
B I G D O G S



“Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us.”
– Hebrews 12:1

When there is someone in need... “ _____ to others.”

“Then he prayed, “O LORD, God of my master Abraham, give me success today, and show kindness to my master Abraham. See, I am standing beside this spring, and the daughters of the townspeople are coming out to draw water. May it be that when I say to a girl, ‘Please let down your jar that I may have a drink,’ and she says, ‘Drink, and I’ll water your camels too’--let her be the one you have chosen for your servant Isaac. By this I will know that you have shown kindness to my master.” Before he had finished praying, Rebekah came out with her jar on her shoulder.”
– Genesis 24:12-15

THE REBEKAH CODE

1) You can’t be generous & _____ at the same time

“Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.”
– 2 Corinthians 9:7

2) You can’t walk the _____ until you’ve walked the first

“Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much.”
– Luke 16:10

3) You can’t _____ with you, but you can send it _____

“Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal.”
– Matthew 6:19-20

4) You can’t go by _____, they come later

“For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”
– Matthew 6:21

REBEKAH’S BIG DOG WORDS

1) “Even the _____ acts of generosity make _____”

“And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is my disciple, I tell you the truth, he will certainly not lose his reward.”
– Matthew 10:42

2) “When you give, the _____ of your generosity often outlives you.”

“I sent you to reap what you have not worked for. Others have done the hard work, and you have reaped the benefits of their labor.”
– John 4:38

3) “When you give (your generosity) is really _____”

“I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me.”
– Matthew 25:40