

HOW CAN I CHANGE MY LIFE?

Questions I've Wanted to Ask God
Part 5

Genesis 32:22-32 & Selected

PHASE ONE: _____

"So Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him till daybreak. When the man saw he could not overpower him, he touched the socket of Jacob's hip so that his hip was wrenched as he wrestled with the man." (vs. 24-25)

* God uses crises to _____

We never change until _____

PHASE TWO: _____

"Then the man said, 'Let me go, for it is daybreak.' But Jacob replied, 'I will not let you go unless you bless me.'" (vs. 26)

* God often waits to resolve a problem to see if _____

Many people miss God's best because _____

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." Galatians 6:9

PHASE THREE: _____

"The man asked him, 'What is your name?' 'Jacob', he answered." (vs. 27)

* "Jacob" means _____

Lesson: I'll never be able to change my weaknesses until _____

PHASE FOUR: _____

"Then the man said, 'Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel, because you have struggled with God and with men and have overcome. ... then he blessed him there. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, 'It is because I saw God face to face ...' (vs. 28-30)

(vs. 31) Note: Jacob walked with a limp for the rest of his life. It was to be a constant reminder of 2 truths:

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You don't have to stay the same!

"So, get rid of your old self, which made you live as you used to ... and put on the new self, which is created in God's likeness ... " Ephesians 4:22-23

Jesus said, "... You must be 'born again.'" John 3:7