

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY · STUDY SHEET

Movement X · The Way Across

Esau Ran to Meet Him

The series question: "*And who is my neighbor?*" (Luke 10:29)

GENESIS 32:9 And Jacob said, Oh God of my father Abraham and God of my father Isaac, Jehovah, who said to me, Go back to your land and to your kindred and I will deal well with you.

¹⁰ I am not worthy of all the mercies and all the truth which You have done for Your servant, for I passed over this Jordan with my staff, and now I have become two companies.

¹¹ Deliver me, I pray, from the hand of my brother, from the hand of Esau; for I fear him, lest he come and strike me, mother to sons.

¹² And You said, dealing I will deal well with you, and I will make your seed like the sand of the sea, which cannot be numbered for multitude.

READ ALONG: Genesis 32:9–12; Genesis 33:1–17

Follow along

1. How did Jacob prepare to meet Esau?

2. What did Esau do when he saw him?

3. What did Jacob say Esau's face was like?

4. Why did they part ways afterward, and was that a failure?

5. Whom have you been bracing to face, expecting the worst?

6. When has someone met you with more grace than you expected?

7. What would it cost you to run toward someone who wronged you?

Leave them with

THE ONE QUESTION

Who are you bracing against who might run to meet you?

- 1. Whose face would look to you "like seeing the face of God" if you were reconciled?
- 2. What is one step toward that person you could take this week?

The empty chair. Every week one chair at our table stays empty. It is for the person you would never invite.

Notes
