

Study Guide on Genesis 24:12-21, 61-67 **New International Version**

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

Genesis 24:12-21, 61-67

(Genesis 24:12) Then he prayed, “LORD, God of my master Abraham, make me successful today, and show kindness to my master Abraham.

(Genesis 24:13) See, I am standing beside this spring, and the daughters of the townspeople are coming out to draw water.

(Genesis 24:14) May it be that when I say to a young woman, ‘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.”

(Genesis 24:15) Before he had finished praying, Rebekah came out with her jar on her shoulder. She was the daughter of Bethuel son of Milkah, who was the wife of Abraham’s brother Nahor.

(Genesis 24:16) The woman was very beautiful, a virgin; no man had ever slept with her. She went down to the spring, filled her jar and came up again.

(Genesis 24:17) The servant hurried to meet her and said, “Please give me a little water from your jar.”

(Genesis 24:18) “Drink, my lord,” she said, and quickly lowered the jar to her hands and gave him a drink.

(Genesis 24:19) After she had given him a drink, she said, “I’ll draw water for your camels too, until they have had enough to drink.”

(Genesis 24:20) So she quickly emptied her jar into the trough, ran back to the well to draw more water, and drew enough for all his camels.

(Genesis 24:21) Without saying a word, the man watched her closely to learn whether or not the LORD had made his journey successful.

(Genesis 24:61) Then Rebekah and her attendants got ready and mounted the camels and went back with the man. So the servant took Rebekah and left.

(Genesis 24:62) Now Isaac had come from Beer Lahai Roi, for he was living in the Negev.

(Genesis 24:63) He went out to the field one evening to meditate, and as he looked up, he saw camels approaching.

(Genesis 24:64) Rebekah also looked up and saw Isaac. She got down from her camel

(Genesis 24:65) and asked the servant, “Who is that man in the field coming to meet us?” “He is my master,” the servant answered. So she took her veil and covered herself.

(Genesis 24:66) Then the servant told Isaac all he had done.

(Genesis 24:67) Isaac brought her into the tent of his mother Sarah, and he married Rebekah. So she became his wife, and he loved her; and Isaac was comforted after his mother’s death.

Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?