



28. The Struggle at Night Questions

Genesis 32:22-32, Romans 8:37, Romans 12:18

[Have you studied the online Facilitator Training Session? It can be found on the website as a [downloadable and online](#) video file.]

These questions are designed to guide the presenter of this video in ministering to the children after the video was presented to them. The idea is to

- test how they have listened,
- re-emphasize important truths to solidify it in their minds and spirits, and
- create a foundation for the Holy Spirit to minister to them through the presenter as the facilitator.

Feel therefore free to make use of this opportunity to speak into the children's lives on the topic the video has highlighted.

1. Q: Jacob was scared of Esau. Why did the Lord show Jacob the army of angels??
A: *(So that Jacob could know he was safe in God's hands. The number of angels was more than the men with Esau.)*
2. Q: What did Jacob do to make Esau calm down?
A: *(He sent Esau many gifts.)*
3. Q: Why did the Man, who actually was the Lord, attack Jacob that night?
A: *(He wanted to test Jacob to see how serious Jacob was about God's plans with his life.)*
4. Q: During the struggle, what did Jacob ask the Lord to do for him before he would let Him go?
A: *(He had to first bless Jacob.)*
5. Q: What does this show us about Jacob?
A: *(Jacob fought until he got what God wanted for him. He did not give up easily; for to him it was important to have the Lord's will be done in his life.)*
6. Q: If you believe in Jesus and trust Him, who is it that watch over you?
A: *(Jesus' angels.)*
7. Q: Who is it that won against Satan?
A: *(Jesus.)*
8. Q: What must you therefore do to always be a winner with Jesus?
A: *(You must declare that, because Jesus has won, you also have victory over Satan.)*
9. Q: Should you fight against other people?
A: *(No.)*
10. Q: How should you then fight when people are nasty to you?
A: *(In prayer until God makes things right between you.)*

Memory Verse:

Romans 8:37: In all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. (ESV)

and/or

Romans 12:18: If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. (NIV)

Application:

- If you seek and desire that which is important to the Lord, He will bless you.
- Christ has given you the victory over your circumstances. In Christ you are more than a conqueror.
- We ought to maintain good relationships with people, for people are important to the Lord.
- We ought to repent and make right where we have wronged people.