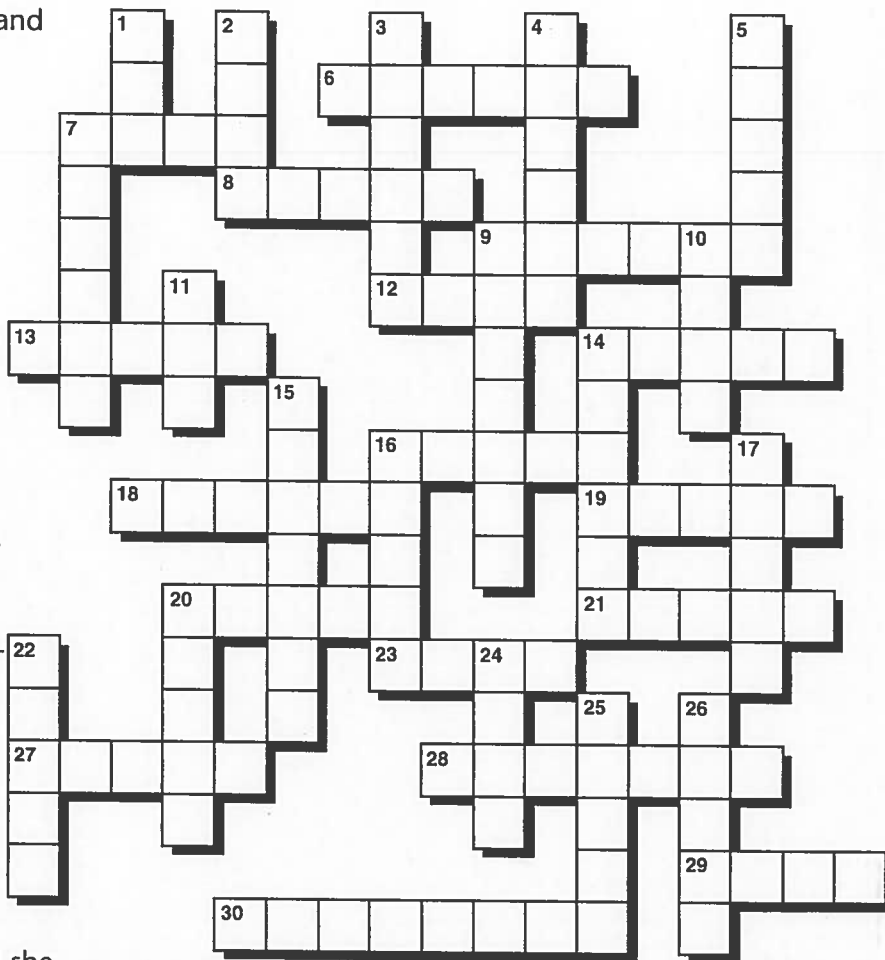


THE BOOK OF GENESIS

The story of the patriarchs and matriarchs of the Old Testament is found in chapters 12 through 50 of the Book of Genesis. Test your knowledge of the patriarchs and matriarchs by completing the crossword below. If you get stumped, refer to the Bible references that are after each clue.

ACROSS

6. Area in Egypt to which Jacob and his sons moved. (47:1)
7. Esau sold Jacob his birthright for this. (25:29–34)
8. Kingdom of Melchizedek. (14:18)
9. He wanted to spare Joseph. (37:21)
12. Jacob was born holding Esau's _____. (25:26)
13. Abraham pleaded for this city. (18:20–33)
14. His father nearly sacrificed him. (22:1–14)
16. Jail mate of Joseph. (40:1–3)
18. Favorite wife of Jacob. (29:30)
19. Abraham's original name. (17:5)
20. God told Abraham his descendants would be as numerous as these. (15:5)
21. Father-in-law of Jacob. (29:16–28)
23. Lot's wife was turned into a pillar of this. (19:26)
27. Daughter of Jacob and Leah. (30:19–21)
28. Sarah did this when she heard she would be a mother. (18:12)
29. Leah's ____ are mentioned in the Bible. (29:17)
30. God and Abraham's agreement. (15:18)



DOWN

1. Nephew who traveled with Abram. (12:4–5)
2. Animals in Pharaoh's dream. (41:1–2)
3. Favorite son of Israel (Jacob). (37:3)
4. Jacob spent the night here. (28:10–22)
5. Jacob's sons went to Egypt to get this. (42:1–3)
7. Joseph took him into custody. (42:24)
9. She plotted to trick Isaac. (27:5–17)
10. Jacob's twin. (25:24–26)
11. Benjamin, to Rachel. (35:24)
14. Jacob's name was changed to this. (32:28–29)
15. Firstborn son of Abram. (16:15)
16. "I will ____ those who bless you." (12:3)
17. Starting place for Abram's journey to the Promised Land. (12:4)
20. Wife of Abraham. (17:15)
22. Son of Jacob. (35:23)
24. Mother of Reuben. (35:23)
25. Sarai and Abram traveled here. (12:10–13)
26. Number of years Jacob offered to work to marry Rachel. (29:18)