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5 Kislev 5781

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*Vicki and Justin Walters on the occasion of
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Led by: Rabbi Paul Freedman

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Parashat Tol'dot

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MINCHA SERVICE

Led by Emily Harris (Bat Mitzvah) and Cantor Sarah Grabiner

Parashat Va-yeitzei

Genesis 29:12-30

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^{טו} וַתִּקַּח רַבֵּקָה אֶת־בְּגְדֵי עֵשָׂו בְּנֵה הַגָּדֹל הַחֲמֹדֹת אֲשֶׁר אֵתָּה
בְּבֵית וַתַּלְבֵּשׁ אֶת־יַעֲקֹב בְּנֵה הַקָּטָן: ^{טז} וְאֵת עֹרֹת גְּדֵי הָעֵזִים
הַלְבִּיֶשָׁה עַל־יָדָיו וְעַל חֻלְקֹת צִוְאַרְיוֹ: ^{יז} וַתִּתֵּן אֶת־הַמַּטְעָמִים
וְאֶת־הַלֶּחֶם אֲשֶׁר עָשְׂתָה בְּיַד יַעֲקֹב בְּנֵה: ^{יח} וַיָּבֹא אֶל־אָבִיו
וַיֹּאמֶר אָבִי וַיֹּאמֶר הֲנִנִּי מִי אֵתָּה בְּנִי: ^{יט} וַיֹּאמֶר יַעֲקֹב אֶל־אָבִיו
אֲנִכִּי עֵשָׂו בְּכֹרֶךָ עָשִׂיתִי כַּאֲשֶׁר דִּבַּרְתָּ אֵלַי קוּם־נָא שָׁבָה
וְאָכְלָה מִצִּידִי בַעֲבוּר תְּבָרַכְנִי נַפְשֶׁךָ: ^כ וַיֹּאמֶר יַצְחָק אֶל־בְּנוֹ
מַה־זֶּה מִהֲרַתְּ לְמַצֹּא בְּנִי וַיֹּאמֶר כִּי הִקְרָה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֶיךָ לְפָנָי:
^{כא} וַיֹּאמֶר יַצְחָק אֶל־יַעֲקֹב גֵּשׁ־נָא וְאִמְשָׁךְ בְּנִי הֲאֵתָּה זֶה בְּנִי
עֵשָׂו אִם־לֹא:

^{כב} וַיִּגֶשׁ יַעֲקֹב אֶל־יַצְחָק אָבִיו וַיִּמְשָׁהוּ וַיֹּאמֶר הַקֹּל קוֹל יַעֲקֹב
וְהַיָּדַיִם יְדֵי עֵשָׂו: ^{כג} וְלֹא הִכִּירוּ כִּי־הָיוּ יָדָיו כִּי־דֵי עֵשָׂו אָחִיו
שָׁעֲרַת וַיְבָרְכֵהוּ: ^{כד} וַיֹּאמֶר אֵתָּה זֶה בְּנִי עֵשָׂו וַיֹּאמֶר אָנֹכִי:
^{כה} וַיֹּאמֶר הַגֵּשָׁה לִי וְאָכְלָה מִצִּיד בְּנִי לְמַעַן תְּבָרַכְךָ נַפְשִׁי
וַיִּגֶשׁ־לוֹ וַיֹּאכַל וַיָּבֹא לוֹ יַיִן וַיִּשְׁתֵּת: ^{כו} וַיֹּאמֶר אֵלָיו יַצְחָק אָבִיו
גֵּשׁ־נָא וְשָׁקָה־לִּי בְּנִי:

^{כז} וַיִּגֶשׁ וַיִּשְׁק־לוֹ וַיִּרַח אֶת־רִיחַ בְּגָדָיו וַיְבָרְכֵהוּ וַיֹּאמֶר רְאֵה
רִיחַ בְּנִי כְרִיחַ שְׂדֵה אֲשֶׁר בֵּרַכְוּ יְהוָה: ^{כח} וַיִּתֵּן־לָךְ הָאֱלֹהִים
מִטַּל הַשָּׁמַיִם וּמִשְׁמַנֵּי הָאָרֶץ וְרֹב דָּגַן וְתִירֵשׁ: ^{כט} יַעֲבֹדְךָ עַמִּים
וַיִּשְׁתַּחֲוּ לָךְ לְאֲמִים הוּוֹה גְּבִיר לְאַחֶיךָ וַיִּשְׁתַּחֲוּוּ לָךְ בְּנִי אָמֵן
אַרְרִיךְ אָרוּר וּמְבָרַכְיָךְ בְּרוּךְ:

GENESIS 27:15-29

¹⁵ Rebekah then took the best clothes of her older son Esau, which were there^o in the house, and had her younger son Jacob put them on; ¹⁶ and she covered his hands and the hairless part of his neck with the skins of the kids. ¹⁷ Then she put in the hands of her son Jacob the dish and the bread that she had prepared. ¹⁸ He went to his father and said, “Father.” And he said, “Yes, which of my sons are you?” ¹⁹ Jacob said to his father, “I am Esau, your first-born; I have done as you told me. Pray sit up and eat of my game, that you may give me your innermost blessing.” ²⁰ Isaac said to his son, “How did you succeed so quickly, my son?” And he said, “Because your God the ETERNAL granted me good fortune.” ²¹ Isaac said to Jacob, “Come closer that I may feel you, my son—whether you are really my son Esau or not.”

²² So Jacob drew close to his father Isaac, who felt him and wondered. “The voice is the voice of Jacob, yet the hands are the hands of Esau.” ²³ He did not recognize him, because his hands were hairy like those of his brother Esau; and so he blessed him. ²⁴ He asked, “Are you really my son Esau?” And when he said, “I am,” ²⁵ he said, “Serve me and let me eat of my son’s game that I may give you my innermost blessing.” So he served him and he ate, and he brought him wine and he drank. ²⁶ Then his father Isaac said to him, “Come close and kiss me, my son”;

²⁷ and he went up and kissed him. And he smelled his clothes and he blessed him, saying, “Ah, the smell of my son is like the smell of the fields that the ETERNAL has blessed”.

²⁸ “May God give you

Of the dew of heaven and the fat of the earth,
Abundance of new grain and wine.

²⁹ Let peoples serve you,

And nations bow to you;

Be master over your brothers,

And let your mother’s sons bow to you.

Cursed be they who curse you,

Blessed they who bless you.”

JUDGES 8:22-28

²²The men of Israel said to Gideon, "Rule over us - you, your son, and your grandson as well - for you have saved us from the Midianites." ²³But Gideon replied, "I will not rule over you myself, nor shall my son rule over you; the ETERNAL alone shall rule over you." ²⁴Then Gideon said to them, "I have a request to make of you: Each of you give me the earring he received as booty." (They had golden earrings, for they were Ishmaelites.) ²⁵"Certainly!" they replied. And they spread out a cloth, and everyone threw onto it the earring he had received as booty. ²⁶The weight of the golden earrings that he had requested came to 1700 shekels of gold; this was in addition to the crescents and the pendants and the purple robes worn by the kings of Midian and in addition to the collars on the necks of their camels. ²⁷Gideon made an ephod of all this gold and set it up in his own town of Orah. There, all Israel went astray after it, and it became a snare to Gideon and his household. ²⁸So it was that Midian submitted to the Israelites and did not raise its head again; and the land was tranquil for forty years in Gideon's time.

PRAYER FOR HEALING

*Mi shebbeirach avoteinu,
avraham, yitschak, v'ya'akov
sarah, rivkah, rachel v'leah
hu y'vareich viyrappei
et ha-cholim.
El na r'fa na lah.*

מִי שִׁבְּרַךְ אֲבוֹתֵינוּ
אַבְרָהָם יִצְחָק וְיַעֲקֹב
שָׂרָה רִבְקָה רָחֵל וְלֵאָה
הוּא יְבָרֵךְ וְיִרְפֵּא
אֶת־הַחֹלִים:
אֵל נָא רְפֵא נָא לָהּ:

May the One who blessed our ancestors, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, Sarah, Rebecca, Rachel and Leah, bless and heal those who are ill. God, please, send healing.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friday 27th November

Erev Shabbat

6.30pm

Saturday 28th November

Shabbat Morning Service with Rafi Martins' Bar Mitzvah

10.30am

Family Havdalah

5.00pm

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