



JESUS  
INVADES  
OUR MESS

# **Genesis 1**

**1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. 2 Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.**

**3 And God said,**

**John 1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was with God in the beginning. 3 Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. 4 In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it...14 The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.**



**The Earth was  
a formless  
empty dark  
place and  
Jesus came to  
create a  
paradise.**

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**A covering**

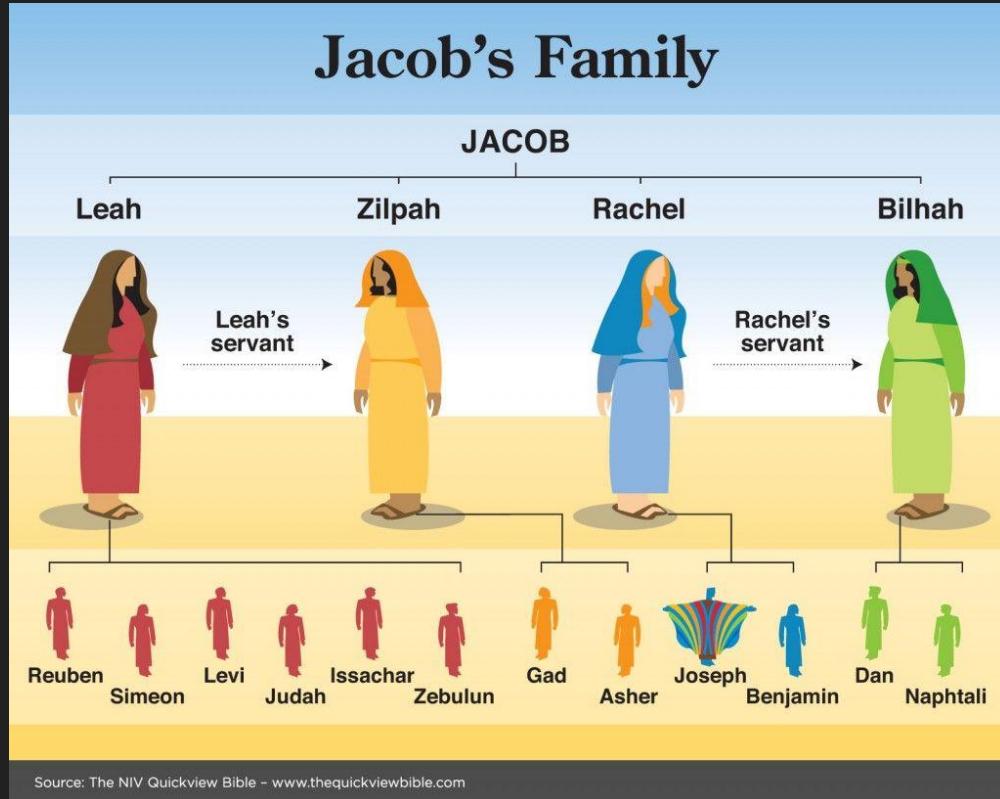


**A promise**



**A covenant**

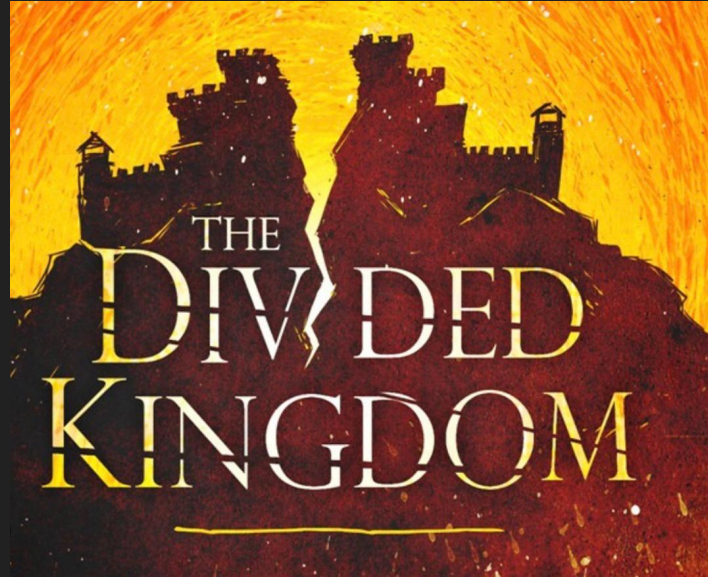
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**Proud Kings**



**Division**



**Exile**



**In the dark silence of exile and subjugation a  
babies cry.**





**You say stay still -I'll run to you**

**You were the there wrapped in a manger from ruler to a  
stranger- to make everything good**

**You were there from King to a baby, came from heaven  
down to save me- now it all works for my good.**

**When humankind messes up like they always do you say  
stay still I'll run to you.**

An artistic rendering of an open tomb. The tomb is a dark, hollowed-out space in a stone wall. A large, smooth, light-colored stone has been rolled away from the entrance. Through the opening, a bright, golden light emanates from a low sun on the horizon. In the distance, three crosses stand on a hill against a sky of orange and yellow clouds. The foreground inside the tomb is dark and textured.

**While we  
were still  
sinners,  
Christ died  
for us.**

Romans 5:8

FOR WHILE WE WERE STILL WEAK AT THE RIGHT TIME

**CHRIST DIED**

**FOR THE UNGODLY**

ROMANS 5:6

A close-up of a wooden plank, likely a part of the cross, showing significant blood splatters and staining. The wood is dark and textured, with bright red blood smeared across its surface. The background is a light, textured surface, possibly a wall or another part of the cross, also showing some blood splatters.

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**You say stay still -I'll run to you**





# **Implications**

- 1. God isn't afraid of your messes**
- 2. Your mess doesn't disqualify from a relationship with the Father.**
- 3. God is the cleaner you your messes**
- 4. Stop expecting people to not be messy**
- 5. Invite Jesus to your mess**