

Sermon Outline April 23, 2023 Dave Erickson Teaching Pastor

Dad Loves You; Siblings Hate You

Genesis 37:2-36

## **Detour!**

One dominant teaching point. \_\_\_\_\_\_ the Detours!

## Is. 55:8-9

<sup>8</sup> "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the LORD.

<sup>9</sup> "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

Over the course of these next 6 weeks, we are about to stumble through a series of detours...and we will do it by walking through the life of an Old Testament Personality...\_\_\_\_,

His story begins in a place of \_\_\_\_\_

Joseph had a father named Jacob. They called him the 'supplanter' ...to \_\_\_\_\_\_someone up through

The dysfunctional family included:

\_\_\_\_\_, Jacob

\_\_\_\_\_, Leah and Rachel, \_\_\_\_\_, Bilhah and Zilpah

That makes... four mothers, eleven sons, and one daughter...all living under the same roof.

What are the seeds of dysfunction?

First Warning: The seed of commonness...No family is exempt \_\_\_\_\_.

Second Warning: The seed of idleness...No enemy is more subtle than \_\_\_\_\_.

Third Warning: The seed of envy...No response is more cruel than \_\_\_\_\_.

There is no \_\_\_\_\_\_ in Chapter 37. Only the picture of a family crisis that nobody in this room wants to repeat.

What is more precious than healing? \_\_\_\_\_!