

MESSAGE NOTES

THE BLESSING: An Active Commitment
Genesis 28:15; Matthew 28:20
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- *The blessing* = _____ & the life God richly offers us _____ Him.
- *The blessing* = _____ and _____ that convey affirmation.

“I am with you and will watch over you wherever you go...
I will not leave until I have done what I have promised you.” **Genesis 28:15**

AN ACTIVE COMMITMENT

- Our _____ are _____ unless backed by _____. Prov 25:14
- To give our _____, effort, _____, resources. Prov 15:30; Eph 5:25; 6:4
- God the Father & Jesus _____ it. Gen 28:15; 48:21; Josh 1:9; 23:14; Matt 26:28
- Relationships take _____, they take _____, they take _____.
- To commit them _____ to _____. Gen 27:28; 48:15-16; 1 Sam 12:23; Acts 20:32
- To _____ ourselves to _____ best interests. Phil 2:3-5; Heb 12:5-11
- To _____ & _____ in a variety of activities _____ them.
- To be a _____ of them who _____ w/genuine interest.

“Go out and train everyone in this way of life...I’ll be with you as you do this,
day after day after day, right up to the end of the age.” **Matthew 28:19-20 (MSG)**

PRACTICING THE BLESSING

- Remember _____ gracious commitment _____. Josh 23:14; 1 Jn 4:19
- _____ for their example. Prov 31:27-31; Phil 2:19-22; 4:14-20
- Ask God: with _____ & _____ do I need to follow through this wk?