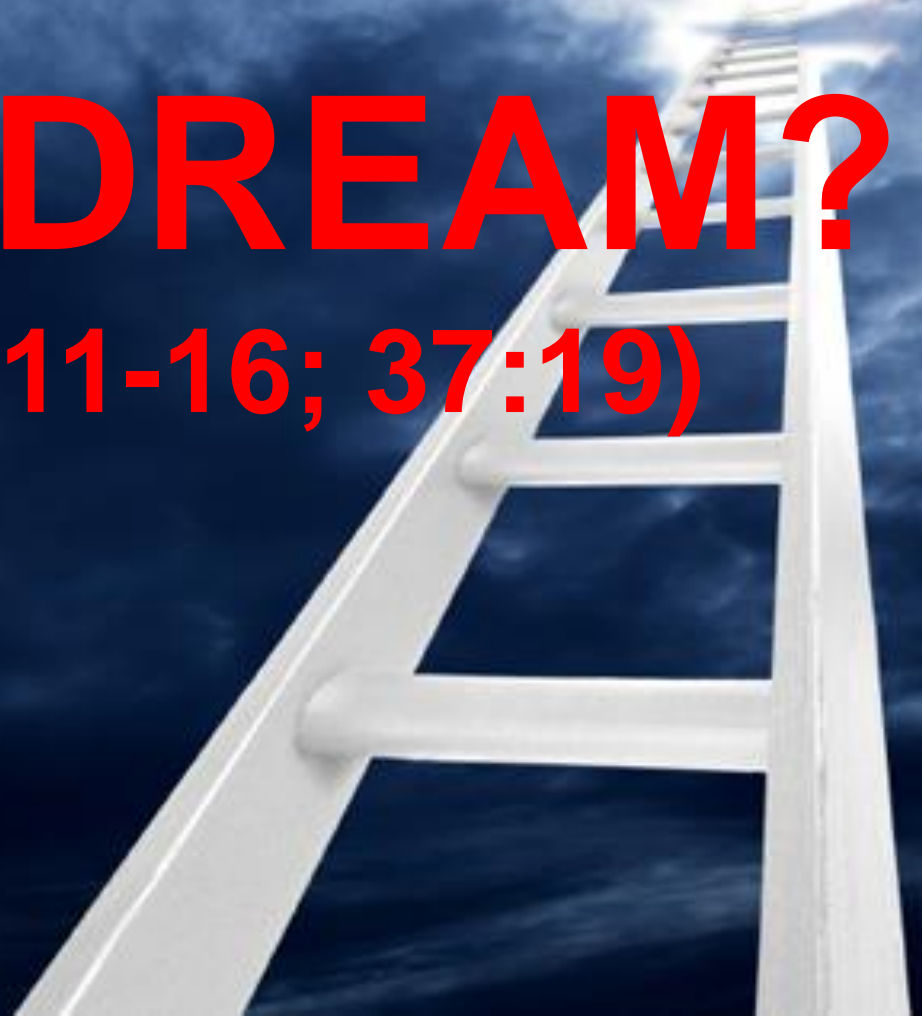


DID GOD GIVE YOU A DREAM?

(Gen. 28: 11-16; 37:19)



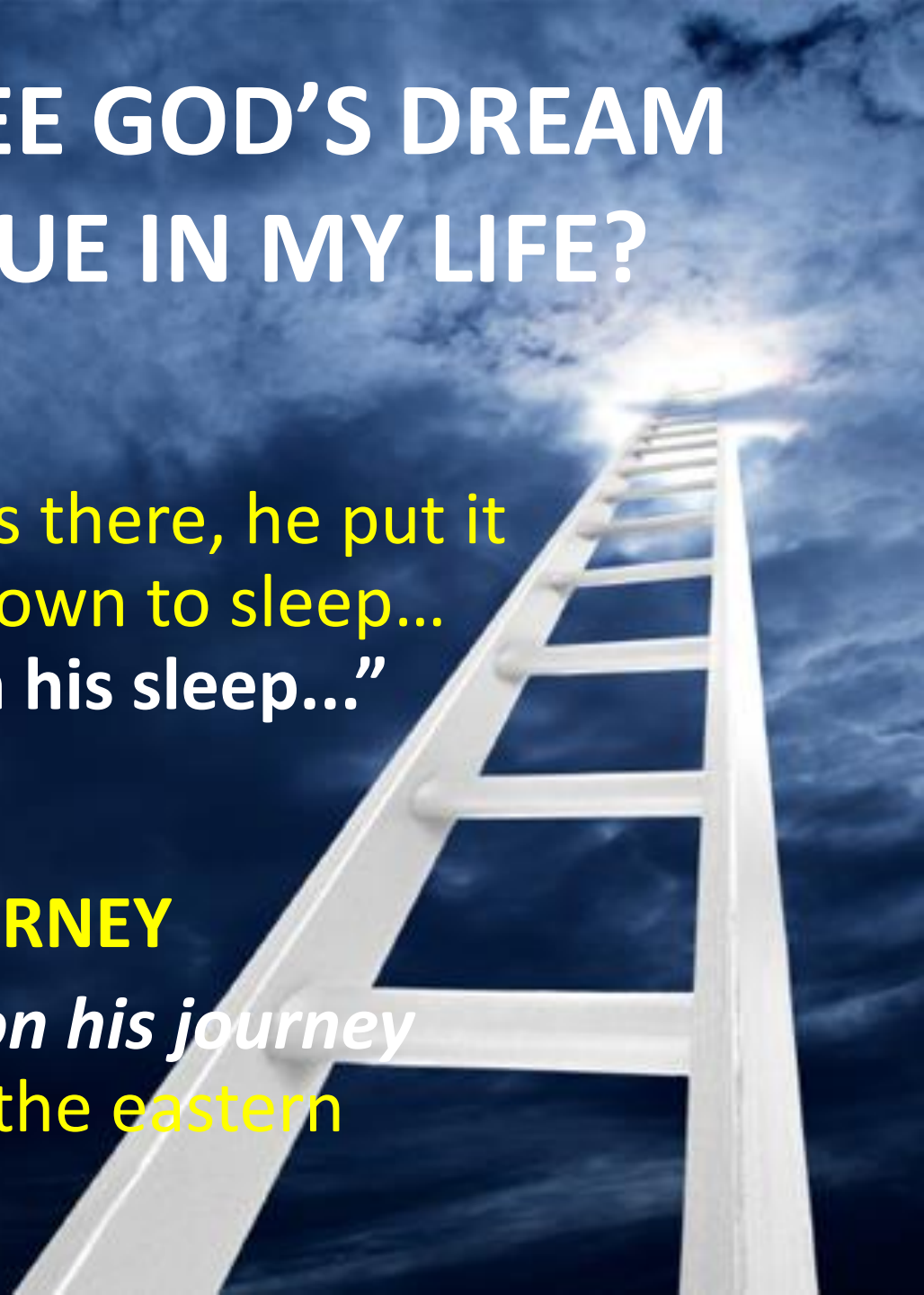
HOW CAN I SEE GOD'S DREAM COMING TRUE IN MY LIFE?

1. WAKE UP

“Taking one of the stones there, he put it under his head and lay down to sleep...
When Jacob awoke from his sleep...”
Genesis 28: 12-16

2. MOVE ON IN THE JOURNEY

“Then Jacob continued on his journey
and came to the land of the eastern
peoples.” Genesis 29: 1



3. DON'T ERASE THE DREAM FROM YOUR HEART

a) Don't allow time to steal your dream

“And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven;”
Genesis 28: 12

b) Don't allow circumstances steal your dream:

Genesis 28: 13 - Jacob never forgot his dream.
Genesis 35: 17-18

“And as she was having great difficulty in childbirth, the midwife said to her, “Don't despair, for you have another son.” As she breathed her last—for she was dying—she named her son Ben-Oni. But his father named him Benjamin



4. BELIEVE IN GOD'S PROMISES

"I am with you and will watch over you wherever you go, and I will bring you back to this land. I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you." Genesis 28: 15

"And not a man of all their enemies stood against them; the Lord delivered all their enemies into their hand. Not a word failed of any good thing which the Lord had spoken to the house of Israel. All came to pass." Joshua 21: 44-45

5. BELIEVE GOD'S PROVISION TO MAKE IT COME TRUE

"...I will give you and your descendants the land on which you are lying. Your descendants will be like the dust of the earth ..." Genesis 28: 13b-14a

WHY WOULD GOD GIVE YOU A DREAM?

a) For you to bless others

“All peoples on earth will be blessed through you and your offspring.” Gen. 28: 14-b

Matthew 25: 25-26

b) For you to know the Lord of the house and the house of the Lord

- *Genesis 28: 17 “Then Jacob rose early in the morning, and took the stone that he had put at his head, set it up as a pillar, and poured oil on top of it*

- *Acts 2: 47; 2 Corinthians, 1 Corinthians 10: 4/1 Peter 2: 3-4*

c) For you to know your final destination

• “And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven This is none other than the house of God; this is the gate of heaven.” Genesis 28: 12-17

• “I say to you that many will come from the east and the west, and will take their places at the feast with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven.” Matthew 8: 11

