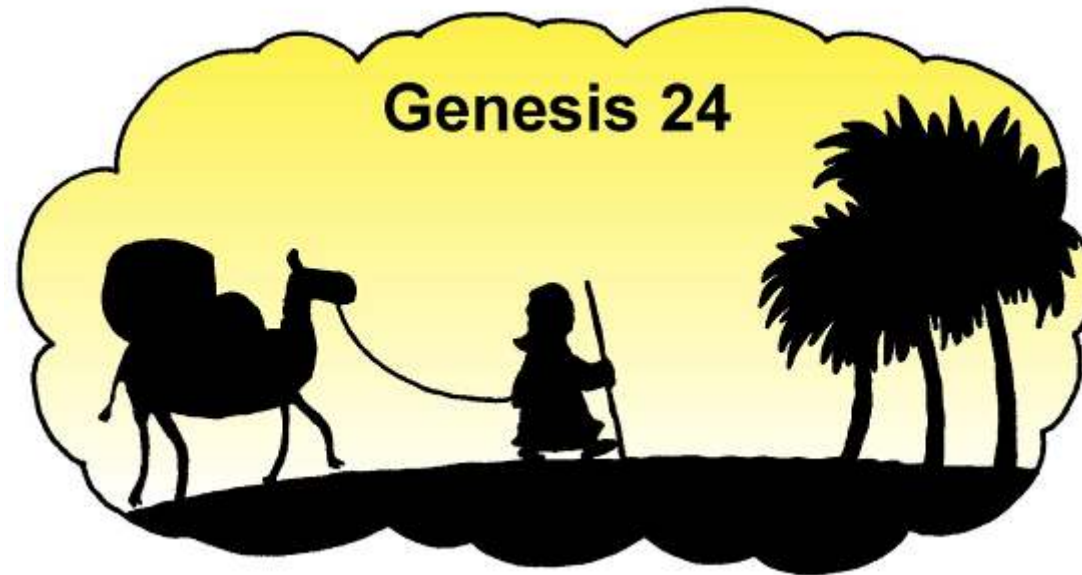


A Bride For Isaac

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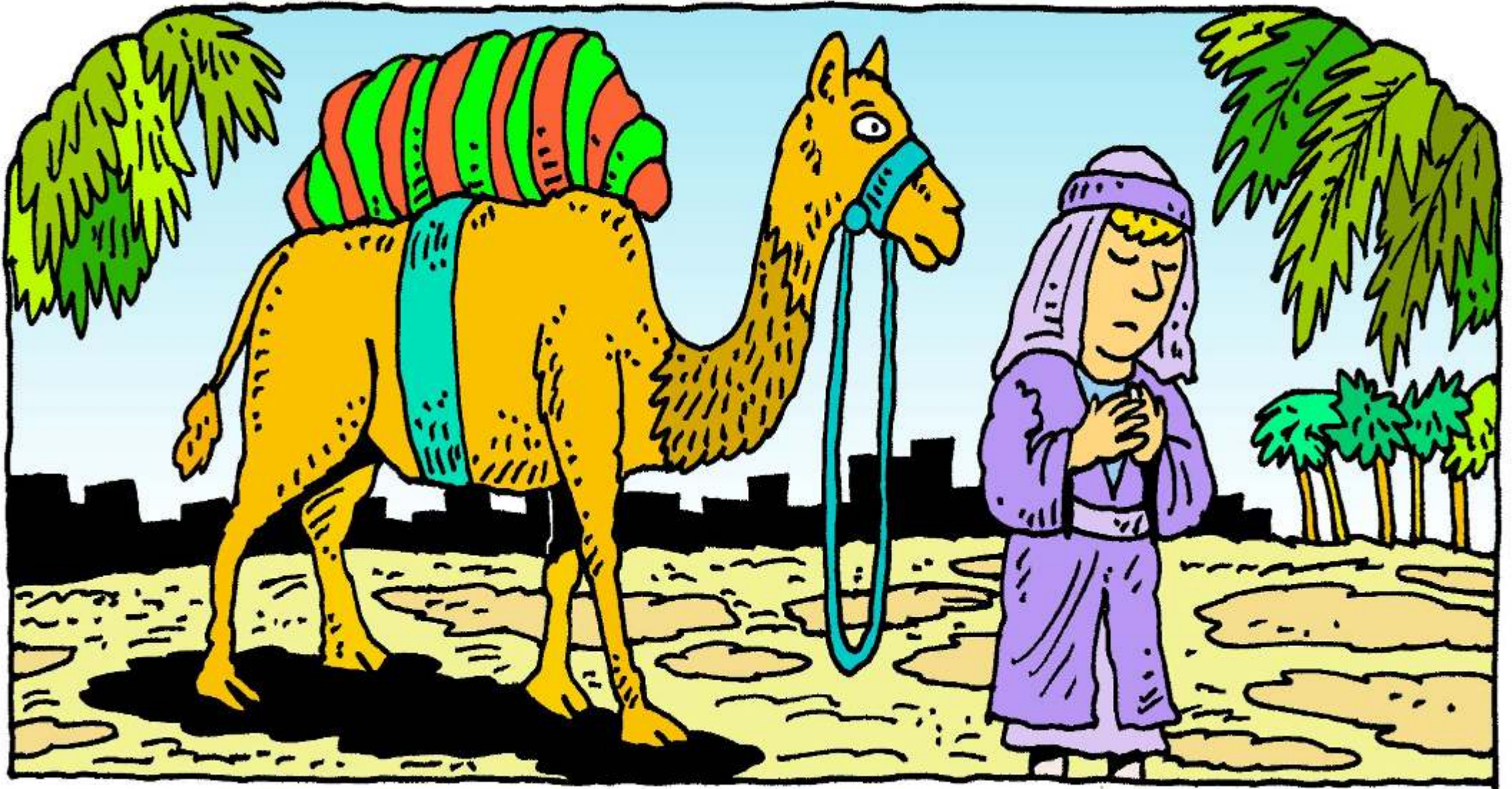
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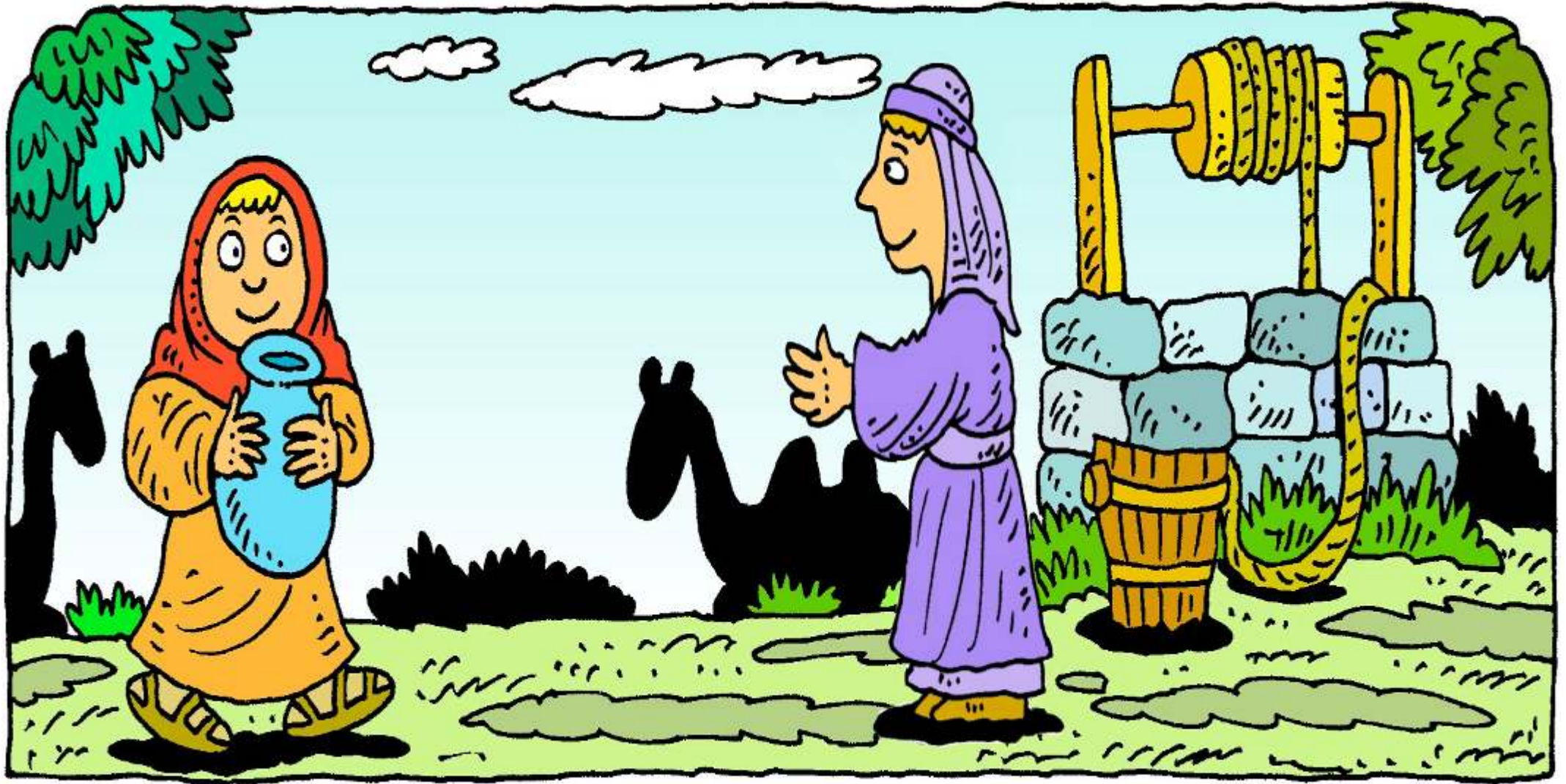
Abraham was getting old.
His only son Isaac needed to get married,
but the young girls in their town
didn't know and love God.



“I will send Eliezer, my servant,
back to the country where I was born,
to chose a girl who loves God
to be a bride for Isaac,” he thought.

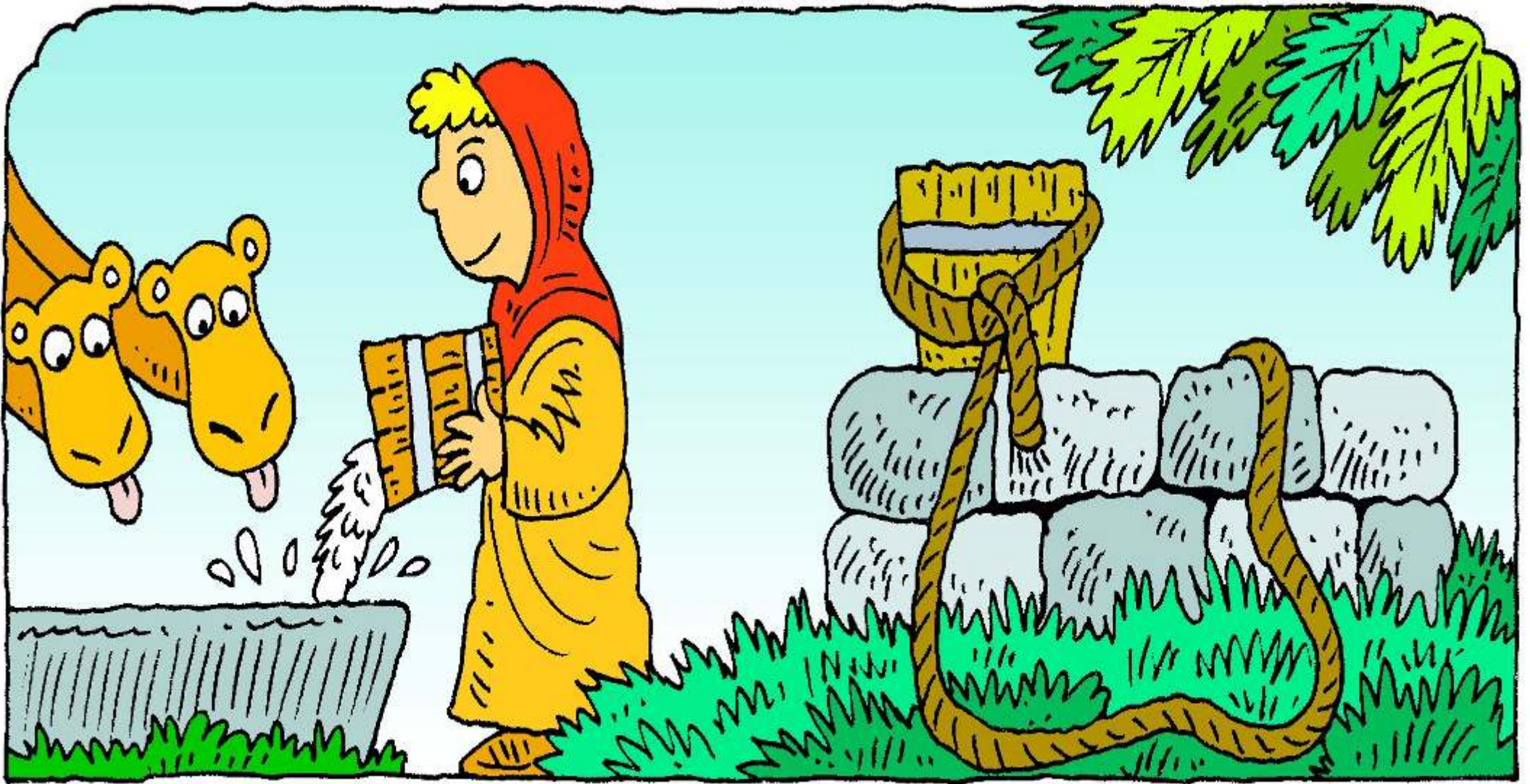


It was a long way to go.
Eliezer asked God to help him find
the right girl to marry Isaac;
someone who really loved God.



“The girl who gives me
and the camels, water to drink,
will be the right bride for Isaac.”

Soon Rebekah came to get water from the well.



After she gave the stranger a drink, Rebekah gave water to the camels. Thirsty camels drink a lot of water and the buckets were very heavy.



When she had finished,
Eliazer said, "I have a gift for you.
My master, Abraham, sent me
to find a bride for his son Isaac."



God had answered Abraham's prayer.
Rebecca went to marry Isaac.
She loved and trusted God
and she was kind and worked hard.