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Agenda

- 1. The Prism of Brokenness (Shame, Guilt, & Blame)
- 2. 3 Generations of Dysfunction
- 3. How To Heal The Brokenness In Our Families



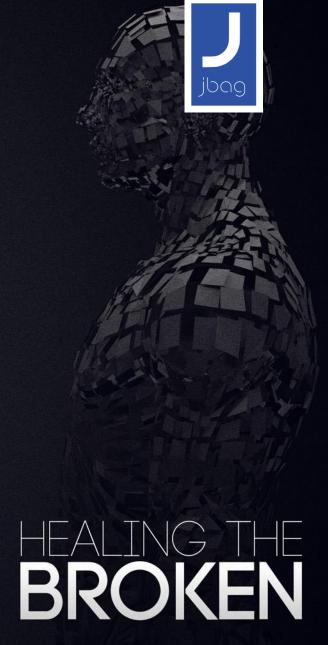


The Prism of Brokenness...

Shame = (Self-Image)



Guilt = (Self Behavior) Blame
= (Discharge
Accountability)





What Is Dysfunctional Behavior?

Behavior that includes continual...

- 1. Conflict
- 2. Misbehavior
- 3. Abuse (mental, physical, emotional)

Examples:

- 1. Inconsistency & Unpredictability
- 2. Role Reversal (parents & children)
- 3. Closed Family System (socially isolated)





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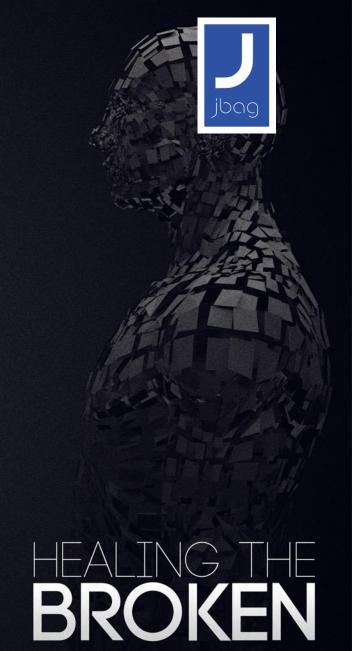
- 9 Now Sarah saw the son of Hagar the Egyptian, whom she had borne to Abraham, mocking.
- 10 Therefore she said to Abraham, "Drive out this maid and her son, for the son of this maid shall not be an heir with my son Isaac."
- 11 The matter distressed Abraham greatly because of his son.
- 12 But God said to Abraham, "Do not be distressed because of the lad and your maid; whatever Sarah tells you, listen to her, for through Isaac your descendants shall be named.





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- 13 "And of the son of the maid I will make a nation also, because he is your descendant."
- 14 So Abraham rose early in the morning and took bread and a skin of water and gave them to Hagar, putting them on her shoulder, and gave her the boy, and sent her away. And she departed and wandered about in the wilderness of Beersheba.
- 15 When the water in the skin was used up, she left the boy under one of the bushes.





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- 16 Then she went and sat down opposite him, about a bowshot away, for she said, "Do not let me see the boy die." And she sat opposite him, and lifted up her voice and wept.
- 17 God heard the lad crying; and the angel of God called to Hagar from heaven and said to her, "What is the matter with you, Hagar? Do not fear, for God has heard the voice of the lad where he is.





Family Genealogy

Abraham & Sarah (Genesis 15 - 18; 21 - 22)

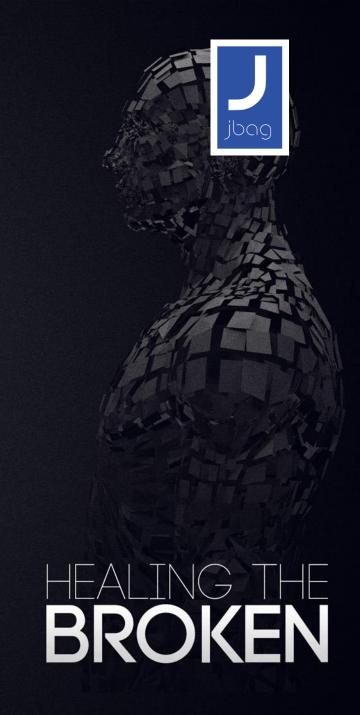
Ishmael

Isaac

Isaac & Rebekah (Genesis 24 - 25; 25 - 27)

Esau

Jacob





Family Genealogy

Jacob

Leah (Zilpah)

Rachel (Bilhah)

Leah

Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah

Bilhah

Dan, Naphtali

Zilpah

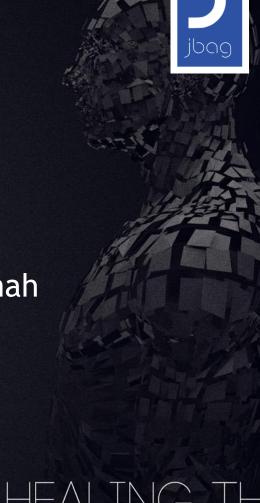
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Leah

Issachar, Zebulun, Dinah

Rachel

Joseph, Benjamin





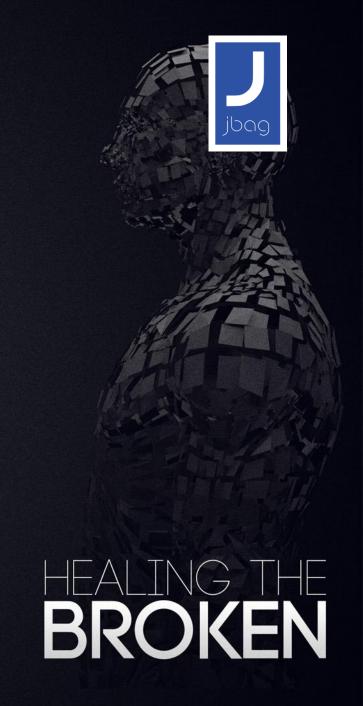


A Look At The Children

1. Reuben

2. Simeon & Levi

3. Judah (Er, Onan, Shelah)

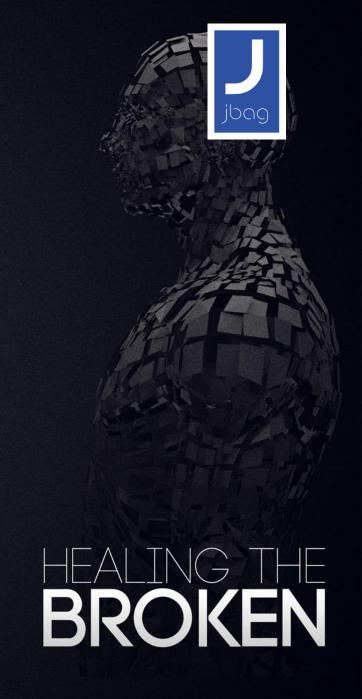




How To Heal The Brokenness In Our Families

Five Steps To Healing...

- 1. Be Honest About Where You Are
- 2. Be Honest About How You Arrive There
- 3. Go Back To Go Forward (Past Experience)
- 4. Change The Things That Matter
- 5. Don't Give Up



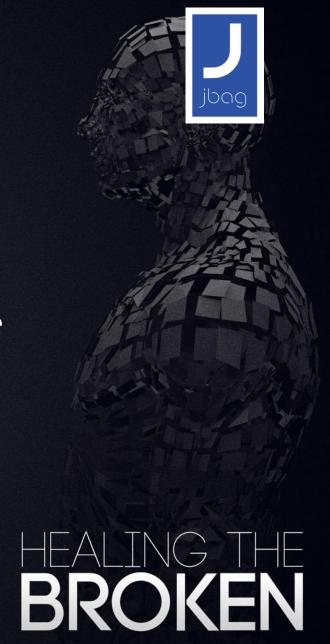


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