

## **Jacob's Ladder**

Abraham, Sarah and Isaac their son  
Lived their lives and time moved on.  
Isaac married a girl named Rebekah  
and they had twin boys, what could be better!



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Right from the start it was clear to see  
What double trouble these boys would be!  
Dad loved Esau, the twin who was hairy  
And Mum preferred Jacob who wasn't as scary

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Mum wanted Jacob to have his Dad's blessing  
So, Jacob and Mum tricked Dad into guessing.  
When Isaac thought he blessed Esau his son  
He really blessed Jacob the younger one.

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Esau was angry, Esau was mad,  
You've tricked me, and you've tricked my Dad!  
It was time for Jacob to leave the town  
and wait for Esau to calm down.

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Jacob walked 'til the sun went down  
Then found a place to sleep on the ground.  
He had no pillow for his head  
So, chose a rock to use instead.

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Well rocks are good for sleep it seems  
he had the most amazing dream

He saw a ladder in the sky,  
One that reached so very high

It stretched from heaven to the ground  
With angels going up and down.  
And every journey seemed to say  
Heaven's not so far away

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And as he watched them going by  
From the ground up to the sky  
He heard God's voice say very clear  
Know that I am always here.

Through life's ups and through life's downs  
From the heaven to the ground,  
From the earth up to the sky  
When you laugh and when you cry

know my blessing every day  
Know that I'm not far away.

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