

The Wrestlers



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Israel, because you have struggled with God
and with human beings and have
overcome.” Jacob said, “Please tell me your
name.” But he replied, “Why do you ask my
name?” Then he blessed him there. So Jacob
called the place Peniel, saying, “It is because
I saw God face to face, and yet my life was
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