



The Story of Joseph
Biagio d'Antonio, 1482

Joseph's Journey

Genesis 37 - 50

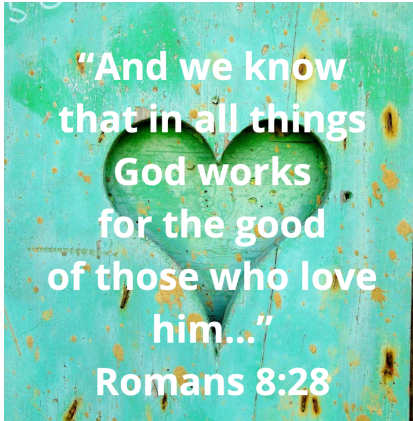
Lesson 3

Read Genesis 40-41

Sermon Scavenger Hunt

As you listen to the sermon on Sunday, see if you can discover the answers to the following questions. Show, email, or text Lauri a copy of your scavenger hunt answers for a prize!

1. Why do you think it might be difficult to trust God when life knocks you down and hard times hit?
2. Why did Pharaoh throw the cupbearer and baker into prison?
3. Why are the cupbearer and baker so upset?
4. Joseph says, "Do not interpretations belong to _____?" (Genesis 40:8)
5. True or False. Joseph told the cupbearer that he would choke and die from drinking a cup of poisoned wine and the chief baker would once again bake puff pastries for Pharaoh's household.



6. True or False. When the cupbearer was released from prison, he immediately mentioned Joseph's innocence to Pharaoh and then helped Joseph escape from prison.
7. Write down the name of the Olympic athlete who said:
"Circumstances may appear to wreck our lives and God's plans, but God is not helpless among the ruins. Our broken lives are not lost or useless. God's love is still working. He comes in and takes the calamity and uses it victoriously, working out His wonderful plan of love."
8. How many years passed before the cupbearer remembered Joseph (Genesis 41:1)?
9. Who helped Joseph interpret Pharaoh's dream (Genesis 41:16)?
10. What was the meaning of Pharaoh's dream?
11. How long do you think your family could survive on the food stored up in your house?
12. Why did God save Joseph from prison?
13. God is in complete control. No matter what circumstances look like on the surface, God sees a bigger picture. What should we do when suffering comes and the weight of our worries and burdens are too heavy to carry?
14. Name one worry you would like to place into God's hands as you trust God to be in charge of the big picture?
15. What did you learn about God's character this week?

Prayer: Thank you, Father God, for being with me when life is hard. Help me to trust that You are in complete control and will work everything for the good of those who love You. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

Memory Verse: "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him..." Romans 8:28

"God would use Joseph to save Israel so that one day Jesus would come from Israel's line and save us all."