

Today's Theme:

“Joseph: Loving Through Rejection, Betrayal & Loneliness”

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Series: Love Will Find A Way- Part 5

Gen. 50:20

“You intended to harm me, but God intended it all for good. He brought me to this position so I could save the lives of many people.” Gen. 50:20

1. Joseph Started Out Life As A _____ Son!

Gen. 35:16-20; 23-24

- Joe's dad _____ than the other 11!
Gen.37:3-6; 9-11
- He told his bros & dad his _____ Not good!

2. His dreams make his brothers _____

& they do the unthinkable! Gen.37:18, 22; 26-28; Gen. 37:31,33,36

3. Sold Into _____ Joe Works His Way Up To Be Potiphar's Major Domo! Gen.39:6-7

- But, Potiphar's wife has other _____ for Joe.
- Joe flees but is _____ of a big crime!
- Joe's sent to the king's _____ - bad day, right?

All hope seems lost for Joe! Gen. 39:20-23

- No, God's love was w/ Joe & he stayed _____!
- Joe _____ in the situations he found himself!

He's In Prison, But God's Not Done With Joe!

1. Joe Gets Some New Cell Mates & _____ Things Begin To Happen. Gen. 40:1-5; 8

- Pharaoh's 2 palace servants- have _____ they don't understand- Joe interprets! Gen. 40:9-23

- All Joe told them happened, & yet the cup bearer _____ about Joe leaving him in prison.

2. Two Yrs. Later- Pharaoh Has a Dream He Can't _____ - Joe Gets His Big Break! Gen.41:1-36

- Joe is let out & tells Pharaoh the _____.
- Joe tells Pharaoh- _____ revealed this- Gen.41:16
- 7 good yrs., & 7 of famine- _____ for it! 41:33-36
- Pharaoh makes Joe _____ of Egypt!

3. Everything Happens As The Dreams Predicted, But, There's _____ Taking Place With Joe!

1). Joe beats slavery, prison, betrayal & _____.

2). Joe has bros who _____ & left him for dead!

3). Now Joe gets his chance to get _____! Gen.42

- Famine hits Joe's _____ in Canaan- Gen.42:1-5
- Joe's now face to face w/ his _____! Gen.42:6-38

4). He doesn't get even, he _____ them Jesus-style.
Gen. 43-50; Gen. 50:20

What Can We Take From Joseph's Story?

1. Nevertheless, love found many _____ in Joe's story.
2. Joe's a hero of the rejected & _____.
3. Jesus will _____ your life of faith in His time!