

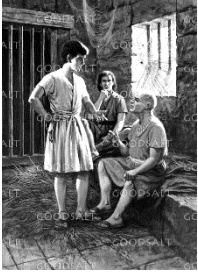
Sunday AM Sermon – August 11, 2024

# Joseph: Foreseer and Forgotten

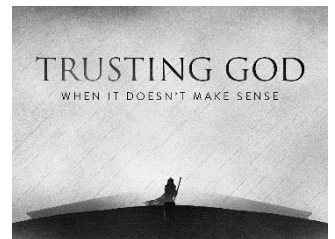
Genesis 39:20b-23, 40:23



One-hit-wonders. Fads. Going viral. The latest trend. Flash-in-the-pans. These all describe the sensation of fame that quickly fades into forgottenness. Joseph could tell us a little about that. In this episode of his life, God gifts him greatly, only to later be overlooked.



1. Mark the number of times you hear these words:  
Prison(er) –  
Trust(ed) –  
Disciple(ship) –
2. What did the Psalmist say that suffering taught him?
3. What does the story of Hosea illustrate?
4. Despite all the injustice that happened to him, what did Joseph conclude (Genesis 50:20)?
5. Lesson one: \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_ even in \_\_\_\_\_
6. Describe adversity.
7. What was the key to Joseph's ability to endure adversity?
8. Though we can't control what happens to us in life, what can we control?
9. Lesson two: Use your \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ others
10. What highly valued gift did God give Joseph?
11. What must we remember when we bless others?
12. Lesson three: No matter how \_\_\_\_\_ life may get, always \_\_\_\_\_
13. How did Abraham demonstrate his great faith in God?
14. When life gets hard, what attitudes are we tempted to embrace?
15. How was Mrs. Job's attitude different from Job's attitude?
16. How did the cupbearer reward Joseph when his dream unfolded as Joseph predicted?



## Faith Talk, Faith Walk

*Spend time with family or friends (maybe over a meal or during a family devotional) discussing the following related to the sermon*

**Faith Talk:** What attitude best describes what you see in Joseph? How are you like or unlike that?

**Faith Walk:** Choose your attitudes in life carefully. Adversity will strike. Ungodliness does not have to.

*If you are here and have been touched or convicted by something said or done today we would love to study the Bible with you and introduce you more fully to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Just call the church office at 795-4377 and we will set something up. God bless you!*

Next Sunday AM Sermon – Joseph: Prisoner to Prime Minister (Genesis 41:9-14, 37-40)