

Wil Moore: Genesis 39:1-23

Week of October 6, 2024

Spirit-Led Follower: What has had the majority of your attention, thoughts, and energy lately? Why?

Text

Have someone (or several people) read aloud [Genesis 39:1-23](#).

The journey of the Christian life can take us from the highest mountain tops to the lowest of valleys. We must work daily to take our next step of faith, trusting in the Lord in every circumstance, knowing that He is in control and has a good plan. ([Jer. 29:11](#))

Discussion Questions

1. How do you think Joseph felt as he encountered difficulty after difficulty and what impact do you think it had on his faith?
2. Looking at Genesis 37: How did Joseph's faithfulness in the present shape his future?
3. Joseph remained faithful despite a variety of circumstances, how can we remain faithful to God in the midst of our circumstances? (diagnosis, divorce, loneliness, etc.)

Application

1. How do we see Joseph's faith affect those around him, and how do you think those around you are affected by your faith?

Have someone read aloud [James 1:2-4](#)



2. Reflect on a time in your life when you were dissatisfied with where God had you in the moment. What did you learn from that experience and how did you see the Lord work through it?
3. How does Joseph's story encourage you to trust in God's plan, even when your current situation seems confusing or unfair?
4. How can your present situation be used to glorify God?

Reflection Activity: Take a moment to write down an area of your life where you're currently struggling to see God's purpose. Pray over it, asking God to reveal how He's working in this present moment and how you can trust Him moving forward.

Prayer

At the end of your conversation, spend some time praying as a group. Here are some prompts:

1. What current situation in your life do you need to see God move in?
2. Pray for wisdom and boldness to walk in faith in your present circumstances.

Additional Resources and Information

Blue Letter Bible

Linked below are the Blue Letter Bible resources. Blue Letter Bible helps you go deeper in studying God's word with free resources like commentaries, interlinear (original languages), dictionaries, and cross-references.

[Genesis 39:1-23](#)

Wednesdays at LH

Our final round of Wednesdays at LH Equipping Workshops will begin Wednesday, October 16. Workshops included in this final round are Discover Your Calling, How to Share the Gospel, Disciple Making, and Parenting an Anxious Generation. You and your members can visit

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