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(5:12) "Don't Let Go!"
by Gracelink



Lesson #9: JOSEPH IS PUT PRISON IN EGYPT GENESIS 39:1-20



The Bible says that Joseph was sold to Ishmaelite traders. They took Joseph to Egypt and sold him as a slave.

He was bought by Potiphar, the captain of the Pharaoh's guard. Joseph became Potiphar's slave. Joseph worked hard for his master.



Joseph was a slave, and far away from his family. But he remembered all the things he had learned about God from his father Jacob. God was with Joseph. God helped him. Because of God's help, everything Joseph did was successful.

Potiphar was happy with Joseph's work. He saw that Joseph was honest and worked hard. He saw that God blessed Joseph's work in the house and out in the field. So, Potiphar put Joseph in charge of everything he had.





The Bible says that Joseph was very handsome. Potiphar's wife said to Joseph, "Come to bed with me." But, Joseph said, "No! You are married to my master! How could I do such a wicked thing and sin against God?"

Day after day, Potiphar's wife tried to get Joseph to be with her. But Joseph refused. He even took steps to not be near her.



One day, Joseph went into the house to do his work. No one else was inside. Potiphar's wife caught Joseph by his cloak and said, "Come with me." But Joseph left his cloak in her hand and ran out of the house.

Potiphar's wife screamed! She lied and said, "Joseph attacked me, but I screamed! When Joseph heard me scream for help, he left his cloak and ran out!" It wasn't true at all, but Potiphar believed her story.



Potiphar was angry! He had Joseph thrown into jail. Poor Joseph was now in jail (prison) even though he did nothing wrong.

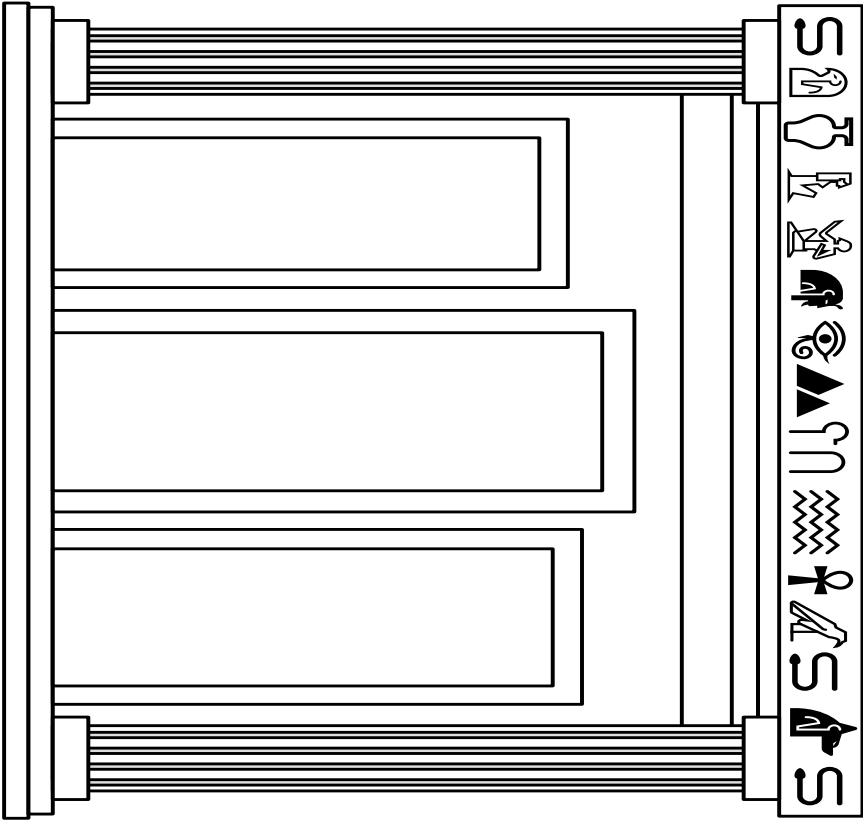
Even though bad things happened to Joseph, God was with him. God was helping and taking care of him. *We should always remember that God is with us, even when bad things happen. God loves us and will help us!*





PRIMARY GRADES ACTIVITIES

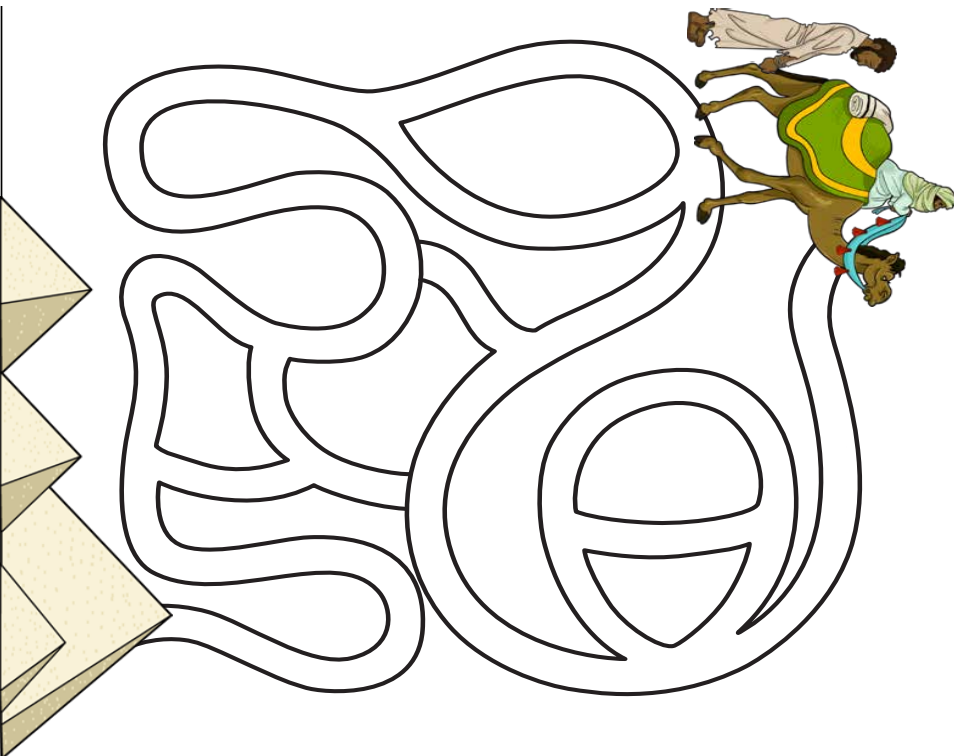
 **Sold into Slavery** 

Joseph worked in Potifar's house as a slave.
Draw Joseph and Potifar to complete the picture.



 **SOLD INTO SLAVERY** 

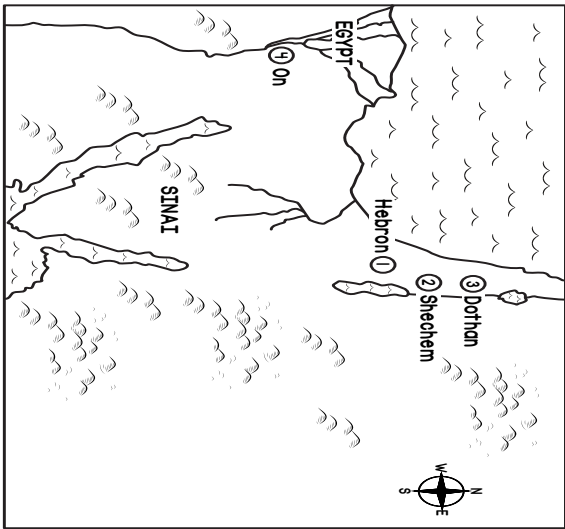
Joseph was sold to the traders for 20 pieces of silver.
Help the traders make their way to the land of Egypt.



UPPER GRADES ACTIVITY

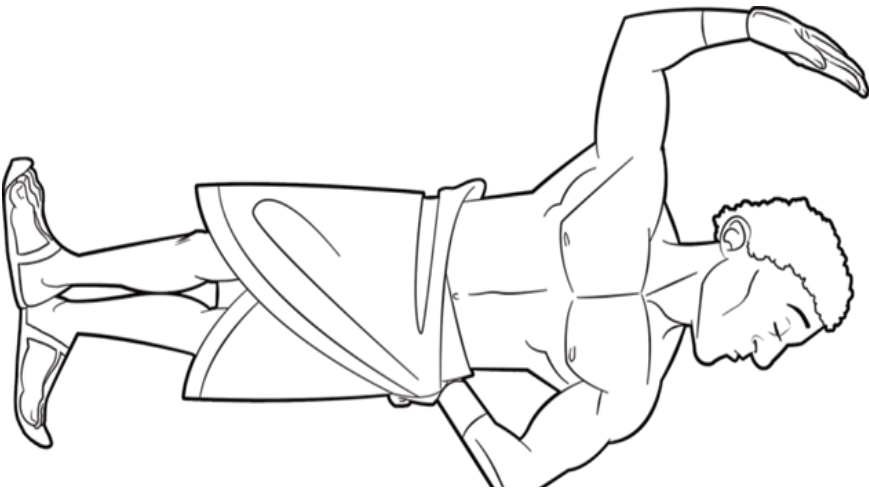
To Egypt...

Joseph's brothers sold him into slavery. Connect the dots to show Joseph the way to the land of Egypt. Color the map.



JOSEPH REFUSES POTIPHAR'S WIFE

Open your Bibles and read Genesis 39:1-20. Answer the questions. Color the picture.



at 2 reasons did Joseph give for refusing to be with Potiphar's wife? (verses 8, 9)

We need to always remember that when we choose to do something that is wrong, we are sinning against God. **Choose right – like Joseph did!**

