

JACOBS FAMILY

GENESIS 37:39

Jacob was the son of Isaac and Rebekah.

Jacob had 12 sons, one of his son's is named Joseph.

Sometimes Joseph would return from where the brothers were looking after the sheep. He would tell his father, Jacob, about the brother and what they had been up to.

What do you think Joseph would tell his father?

- A) About the 'bad' things that his brothers did.
- B) About the 'good' things that his brothers did.

Read Genesis 37:2

Joseph was Jacob's favourite son and Jacob gave him a special gift.

Read Genesis 37:3



How did Joseph's brothers feel?

- A) They were happy and congratulated him.
- B) They were jealous and hated him.

Read Genesis 37:4



Read Genesis 37:5-11

What did Joseph have? _____

What did his brothers think about it? _____

Read Genesis 37:12-24.
Write the sequence of what happened to Joseph.

Joseph was later taken from the cistern and sold to merchants.

They took Joseph to Egypt where he was sold to Potiphar, and important man in the palace. Joseph was no longer a free man. He had to do all the things that Potiphar told him.

Potiphar like Joseph realised that God was helping him. Even though Joseph was a slave, Potiphar decided to put him in charge of his house and all his property.

Something happened that changed everything. Potiphar's wife told a lie to Potiphar and so Joseph was put in prison.

God was with Joseph and he caused the jailer to like Joseph. The jailer put Joseph in charge of the other prisoners.

Prayer:

What do you think we need to remember?

- A) God has plan
- B) God is with his people
- C) God keeps his promises.

We need to remember all these. They are all true!

Thank you that no matter what happens to us you have promised to always be with us. Help us to remember your promise and to trust you and pray in both the good and hard times. Amen