

# JOSEPH

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### GENESIS 40

#### The Providence of God

“He did not, on making the world, leave it to itself, or commit it into other hands; but it is an object of his constant care, and his hand is concerned in all its movements. Whether we look on the right hand, or on the left, we can see where he doth work; and, in the display of his wisdom, power, and goodness, which at every moment meets our eyes, we find continued incitements to adore and love.”  
(John L. Dagg, *Manual of Theology*)

*As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today. (Genesis 50:20)*

#### The Background (37-39)

Joseph has been sold into \_\_\_\_\_ by his brothers and sent to \_\_\_\_\_ by Potiphar (Genesis 37-39).



The LORD was \_\_\_\_\_ Joseph, and the LORD showed \_\_\_\_\_ to Joseph (Genesis 39:19-23).

### **The Setting (Genesis 40:1-4)**

Two of Pharaoh's top \_\_\_\_\_ (cabinet members) were placed in custody "in the house of the \_\_\_\_\_, in the prison where Joseph was confined."

### **The Dreams (Genesis 40:5-19)**

The chief cupbearer and the chief baker both had a dream, and Joseph insisted that "interpretations belong to \_\_\_\_\_."

Joseph delivered \_\_\_\_\_ news to the chief cupbearer, and \_\_\_\_\_ news to the chief baker. He also asked the chief cupbearer to \_\_\_\_\_ him.

### **The Fulfillment (Genesis 40:20-41:1A)**

The dreams were fulfilled just as Joseph had interpreted them.

The chief cupbearer "did not remember Joseph, but \_\_\_\_\_ him," and Joseph stayed in prison for \_\_\_\_\_ (Genesis 41:1A).

### **The Gospel**

Joseph was a type of the "\_\_\_\_\_ " (Genesis 40:15 ... Job, Daniel ... Isaiah 53:7-9, Philippians 2:5-11).

Much of our lives involves \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (Acts 7:9-10, Psalm 105:16-22).

In seasons of \_\_\_\_\_, we are called to be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (Psalm 56:1-13, 118:1-9, 115:9-13, Proverbs 3:5-6).