

# **Joseph's Work of Blessing**

**(R. 2880; R. 2885, 87; 2893)**

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## **Hated Without a Cause – R. 2880**

1. Relate the story of Joseph's sale into slavery (Gen. 37)
2. What lessons can we draw from the envy of Joseph's brothers and how divine providence overruled the situation?
3. What is pictured by the following?
  - a. Joseph's two dreams (Gen. 37:6-10)
  - b. Jacob sends Joseph to his brothers (Gen. 37:13, 14)
  - c. The envy and hatred of Joseph's brothers (Gen. 37:4)
  - d. Joseph's anguish and troubled soul (Gen. 42:21)
  - e. Joseph figuratively killed (Gen. 37:18-20)
  - f. What lesson can we draw from the statement that "God was with him?" (Acts 7:9)

## **In The School of Adversity – R. 2885**

4. Describe Joseph's different experiences in the house of Potiphar. (Gen. 39:1-20)
5. What lessons are shown in Joseph's experiences as the servant of Potiphar and his imprisonment under false charges?

## **For God Was With Him – R. 2887**

6. How was Joseph's release from prison and elevation as Prime Minister of Egypt finally accomplished? (Gen. 40, 41)
7. What is pictured by the following?
  - a. Joseph made second in command under Pharaoh. (Gen. 41:46; 45:5-8; Matt. 28:18; John 5:23)
  - b. Joseph's Egyptian name given to him by Pharaoh - "Zaphenath-paneah" (Gen. 41:45)  
His Egyptian wife given to him by Pharaoh - "Asenath"
  - c. Seven years of plenty and the gathering of surplus grain (Gen. 41:47-49)

## **Joseph the Merciful – R. 2893**

8. What is pictured by the following?
  - a. Joseph testing his brothers (Gen. 42:6-28)
  - b. Joseph placing the golden cup in Benjamin's grain sack? (Gen. 44:2)
  - c. Judah's defense of Benjamin (Gen. 44:18-34)
  - d. Joseph revealing himself to his brothers and his affection for them (Gen. 45:3-15)
  - e. Joseph selling grain to the people (Gen. 41:55-57)

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## Filed Without a Cause – IL 2880

1. Relate the story of Joseph's sale into slavery (Gen. 37)
2. What lessons can we draw from the story of Joseph's brothers and how do the promises overlaid the situation?
3. What is pictured by the following?

- a. Joseph's two dreams (Gen. 37:6-10)
  - b. Jacob sends Joseph to his brothers (Gen. 37:13-14)
  - c. The envy and hatred of Joseph's brothers (Gen. 37:18-20)
  - d. Joseph's anguish and troubled soul (Gen. 42:21)
  - e. Joseph humbly killed (Gen. 37:18-20)
- f. What lesson can we draw from the statement that "God was with him?" (Gen. 39)

## In The School of Adversity – IL 2888

1. Describe Joseph's different experiences in the house of Potiphar (Gen. 39:1-20)
2. What lessons are shown in Joseph's experiences as the servant of Potiphar and his imprisonment (Gen. 39:21-40)?

## For God Was With Him – IL 2887

1. How was Joseph's release from prison and elevation as Prime Minister of Egypt finally accomplished? (Gen. 40:1-11)

2. What is pictured by the following?
  - a. Joseph made second in command under Pharaoh (Gen. 41:40-42:28)
  - b. Joseph's Egyptian name given to him by Pharaoh - "Zaphnath-paaneah" (Gen. 41:45)
  - c. His Egyptian wife given to him by Pharaoh - "Asenath" (Gen. 41:47-48)
  - d. Seven years of plenty and the gathering of surplus grain (Gen. 41:49-54)

## Joseph the Merciful – IL 2893

1. What is pictured by the following?
  - a. Joseph feeding his brother (Gen. 42:25-28)
  - b. Joseph picking the golden cup in Benjamin's grain sacks (Gen. 44:2)
  - c. Judah's defense of Benjamin (Gen. 44:18-34)
  - d. Joseph revealing himself to his brothers and his affection for them (Gen. 45:1-15)
  - e. Joseph selling grain to the people (Gen. 41:55-57)