

Joseph and His Brothers

Summer Unit 1:
Joseph Trusts God

Bible Verse:
“Never get tired of doing what is good.”
1 Thessalonians 5:13

God’s Word & Me (Bottom Line):
God helps me do what is right.



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Genesis 37



Our Bible tells about a boy named Joseph. Joseph had 11 brothers. Joseph and his brothers took care of the family’s sheep and **watched** to make sure no sheep got lost.

Joseph’s father was named Jacob. Jacob loved Joseph the best of all his sons. To show that he loved Joseph, Jacob gave him a beautiful coat. But the beautiful coat made his brothers angry!



One day, after caring for the sheep with his brothers, Joseph told his father that his brothers were NOT doing a good job. This made Joseph’s brothers angrier!

Later Joseph told his family about two dreams that he had. Both dreams were about his family **bowing** to Joseph. It sounded like Joseph would be their leader. The dreams made his brothers REALLY angry!



Not long after this, Joseph’s brothers took the sheep out to find new grass. They had been gone for a long time. Jacob sent Joseph to find out how they were.

Joseph **walked** and walked. He looked for his brothers. Joseph’s brothers saw him coming a long way off. The brothers remembered how angry they were at Joseph.

They made a plan to take Joseph’s coat and **KILL** Joseph!

But the oldest brother said, “Don’t kill him. Just **throw** him in this deep hole in the ground.” And that’s just what the brothers did.

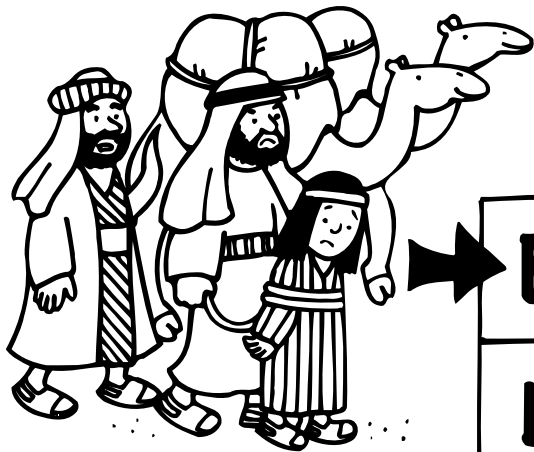


Then the brothers noticed some traders coming. (Traders are people who buy and sell things.) One brother said, “Let’s **SELL** Joseph. These traders will take him far, far away.” So the brothers sold Joseph to the traders. Joseph was taken to Egypt, far from his home. He was sold as a slave. (A slave is a person who is owned by someone else.) Joseph must have been very sad. But even though he was far from home, God was with him

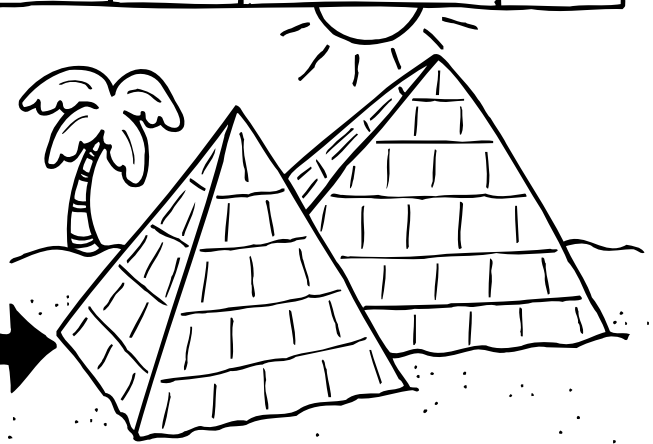




Follow the **E**'s to show Joseph's path to Egypt.



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God was with Joseph when Joseph was taken to Egypt. God is with us, too. The Bible says, "The Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9



Find the word **GO** in the maze. Copy the word. Then add a **D** to the end of it. Now you've spelled **GOD**!