

# JOSEPH & POTIPHAR'S WIFE

Genesis Series – Joseph – Study # 50 & 51

## Introduction

- God tests his children to help them grow; His desire is that they be victorious.
- Satan tempts God's children to lead them to sin; His desire is that they fail.

## Text: Genesis 39:1-23

### 1. Joseph is sold to Potiphar. (39:1)

### 2. Joseph succeeds in his service. (39:2-6)

- A. Joseph succeeded because the Lord was with him. (39:2, 3, 5)

2 Chronicles 15:2

Application: God is always with us.

Isaiah 41:10; Hebrews 13:5-6

- Apparent setbacks do not mean that God has deserted us.
- Apparent setbacks do not mean that God is necessarily displeased with us.

- B. Joseph succeeded because of what he did. (39:3)

Colossians 3:23-24

Application: Do everything you do as unto the Lord.

Application: God's work in our lives can be the basis of a great testimony to unbelievers!

Matthew 5:14-16

### 3. Joseph resists temptation. (39:6-12)

- A. Joseph didn't make \_\_\_\_\_ to sin.
- B. Joseph repeatedly \_\_\_\_\_ to sin.  
(39:8, 10)
- C. Joseph considered the \_\_\_\_\_ of sin.  
(39:8-9)
- Sin's effect on \_\_\_\_\_
  - Sin's effect on his relationship with \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Joseph set \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 10)

Application: We all need boundaries, but \_\_\_\_\_ people may have \_\_\_\_\_ boundaries.

- E. Joseph \_\_\_\_\_ himself \_\_\_\_\_ the temptation. (39:12)

2 Timothy 2:22; Matthew 5:29-30; 1 Corinthians 10:13

Application: When we have a \_\_\_\_\_, this should be one of the \_\_\_\_\_ steps!

Application: \_\_\_\_\_ Joseph did to \_\_\_\_\_ temptation we should do!

### 4. Joseph is falsely accused, convicted and punished. (39:13-23)

Application: Even when it seems He is \_\_\_\_\_, God \_\_\_\_\_ still with us!

### Conclusion

Through \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, God was with Joseph all along the way! (39:2, 3, 5, 21, 23)

Next lesson: Imprisoned and Forgotten (Genesis 40:1-23)