

Joseph and His Brothers Are Reconciled

A. The Brothers' First Trip to Egypt. Genesis 42

1. Why did Jacob send his sons to Egypt? 42:1-5 _____
2. What did Joseph's brothers do? 42:6 _____
3. Of what did Joseph accuse his brothers? 42:9 _____
4. Where did Joseph put his brothers? 42:17 _____
5. What was the only way they could get out? 42:15-16 _____

6. What bargain did Joseph make with his brothers on the 3rd day? 42:18-20

7. What did the brothers conclude about what was happening to them? 42:21-22 _____
8. Which brother did Joseph hold as hostage? 42:24 _____
9. What did Joseph hide in each brother's grain sack? 42:25 _____
10. What was the brothers' reaction? 42:28 _____
11. What did Jacob say would never happen? 42:38 _____

B. The Brothers' Second Trip to Egypt. Genesis 43-45

1. The trip to Egypt and meal with Joseph. Genesis 43
 - a. What was the big discussion about between Jacob and his sons? 43:1-10 _____
 - b. What did Jacob finally agree to do, reluctantly? 43:11-15 _____

 - c. What did the brothers learn from Joseph's steward? 43:16-25 _____

 - d. Joseph had a meal with his brothers. 43:26-34.

1) What was unusual about the seating arrangement? 46:33

2) What special treatment did Benjamin receive? 46:34 _____

2. Joseph frames Benjamin. Genesis 44

a. What did Joseph have his steward plant in Benjamin's grain sack? 44:1-2 _____

b. Of what did Joseph have his steward accuse the brothers? 44:3-5 _____

c. What was the penalty for possession of the golden cup? 44:9-10 _____

d. Who had the cup? _____. What did the brothers do? 44:11-13

e. When the brothers appeared before Joseph, what did Judah say should happen? 44:16 _____

f. Who did Joseph say should be kept as a prisoner? 44:17 _____

g. Who was Judah concerned about? 44:18-32 _____

h. What offer did he make? 44:33-34? _____

3. Joseph reveals his identity. Genesis 45:1-20

a. What did Joseph finally reveal to the men? 45:1-3 _____

b. What did Joseph say God was doing? 45:5-8 _____

c. What did he tell his brothers to do? 45:9-11 _____

C. Questions

1. Why did Joseph go through this entire charade?

2. How does this entire account illustrate Romans 8:28?