

Joseph Part 4

Genesis 41

7 Questions About Our Ability To Suffer

Question 1: Do You Suffer Well?

Genesis 41:1a, 1 Peter 1:6-7, Romans 5:3-5

Question 2: Do You Wait Patiently?

Genesis 41:1-13, Hebrews 11:13 & 39-40

Question 3: Do You Give God The Glory?

Genesis 41:14-16, Colossians 3:17, 1 Corinthians 10:31

Question 4: Do You Give Godly Counsel?

Genesis 41:17-36, Proverbs 12:26; 27:9

Question 5: Do You Do What You Say You Will Do?

Genesis 41:37-49, Matthew 5:37

Question 6: Have You Moved Out Of The Past?

Genesis 41:50-51, 2 Corinthians 5:17, Philippians 3:13b-14,

Question 7: Do You Thank God?

Genesis 41:52, Psalm 136:1-36

Jesus Is Our Greater Suffering Servant

Hebrews 12:2, Romans 5:6, John 2:1&4, John 3:3, Mark 10:33-34, Romans 8:1, John 11:41
Philippians 2:5-11

Take Home Questions

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1. What particularly stood out to you, challenged you or confused you in our study of *Genesis 41* this week?
2. This week we saw the power in Joseph's ability to suffer well and wait patiently. In the years to follow another one of God's chosen leaders, Moses, also had to learn how to suffer well.
Read Hebrews 11:24-29 and then note some modern day equivalents to the challenges he encountered.
Are there any you can personally relate to?
3. This Sunday we asked, "Have You Moved Out Of The Past." Look at the following verses and discuss how they should inspire us to move forward in our faith instead of living in our past failures:

Philippians 3:12-14

2 Corinthians 5:17

Hebrews 12:1-2

Isaiah 43:16-21

4. We closed this week's sermon by looking at Jesus, our Greater Suffering Servant. Look back through some of the points and references Pastor Alan provided about how Jesus is the greater Joseph and then answer the following question.

How can you use the story of Joseph to tell someone the Good News of Salvation in Jesus Christ?

5. Looking Ahead

Next week we will finish our study of the life of Joseph by going through *Genesis 42-50*. Take the rest of this week to read ahead and get ready for the incredible conclusion to this story!