

HAVE YOU EVER NOTICED THAT...

- We \_\_\_\_\_ about God when things are going well
- We \_\_\_\_\_ God when they're not
- We \_\_\_\_\_ upon God to intervene the way we want Him to

THROUGH JOSEPH'S LIFE, WE DISCOVER THAT

- The thing we think might \_\_\_\_\_
- Might actually \_\_\_\_\_
- Because God's \_\_\_\_\_

GENESIS 41:41-52 = THROUGH HIS UNWAVERING TRUST IN GOD AND HIS STEADFAST PATIENCE, JOSEPH BECAME A BLESSING CARRIER...

- God was with him and used him \_\_\_\_\_ he went

*"The Lord was **with Joseph**, so he succeeded in everything he did..." GEN 39:2 & 3*

*"The Lord was **with Joseph** in the prison and showed him his faithful love." GEN 39:21*

*"The LORD was **with him** and caused everything he did to succeed." GEN 39:23*

- \_\_\_\_\_ him • \_\_\_\_\_ him
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HOW DID JOSEPH MAINTAIN HIS FAITH, NOT LOSE HOPE, AND PROSPER WHERE HE WAS?

- He never forgot \_\_\_\_\_ he was

*"Joseph named his older son **Manasseh**, for he said, '**God has made me forget** all my troubles and everyone in my father's family.' Joseph named his second son **Ephraim**, for he said, '**God has made me fruitful** in this land of my grief.'" GEN 41:51-52*

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*"Watch out! **Be careful never to forget** what you yourself have seen. **Do not let these memories escape from your mind** as long as you live! And be sure to pass them on to your children and grandchildren." DEUT 4:9*

*"What do you have that God hasn't given you? And if **everything you have is from God**, why boast as though it were not a gift?" 1 COR 4:7*

- He never forgot \_\_\_\_\_ was most important

*"Life can be rendered meaningless for us if the thing that makes life meaningful for us is removed or devalued or marginalized; [BUT] if your meaning in life comes from knowing God, then the thing that gives your life meaning can never be taken away." STEPHEN ELLIOTT*

THE CHOICE TO MAKE GOD UNFORGETTABLE  
IN YOUR LIFE IS \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT ARE YOU DOING RIGHT NOW TO MAKE GOD  
\_\_\_\_\_?

[JESUS] *"What do you benefit if you gain the whole world but are yourself lost or destroyed?" LUKE 9:25*