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***God Plan for Joseph's Life***

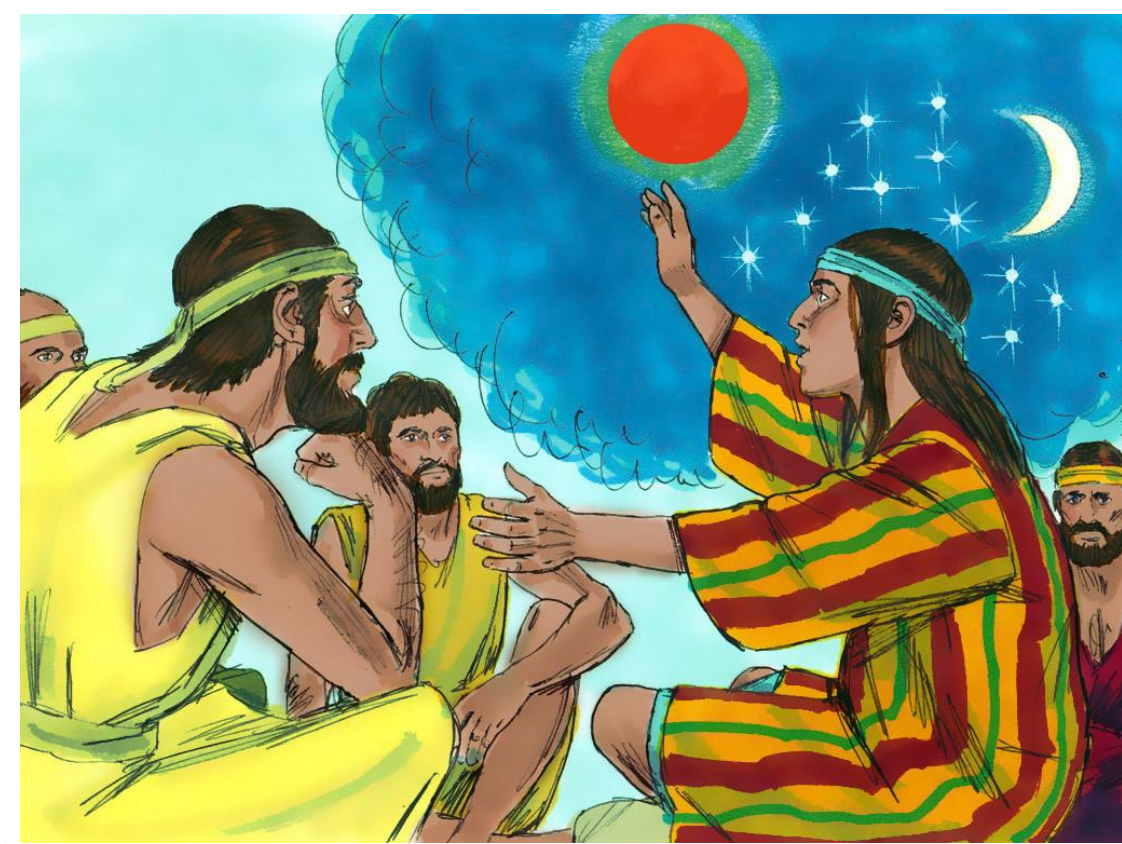
***Gen 37, 39 - 41***



***Now Israel loved Joseph more than any other of his sons, because he was the son of his old age***



*Behold, we were binding sheaves in the field, and behold, my sheaf arose and stood upright. And behold, your sheaves gathered around it and bowed down to my sheaf.”*



*Then Joseph have  
another dream that  
Sun, Moon and 11  
stars bow down to him*



*What is this dream that you  
have dreamed? Shall I  
and your mother and your  
brothers indeed come to  
bow ourselves to the ground  
before you?*

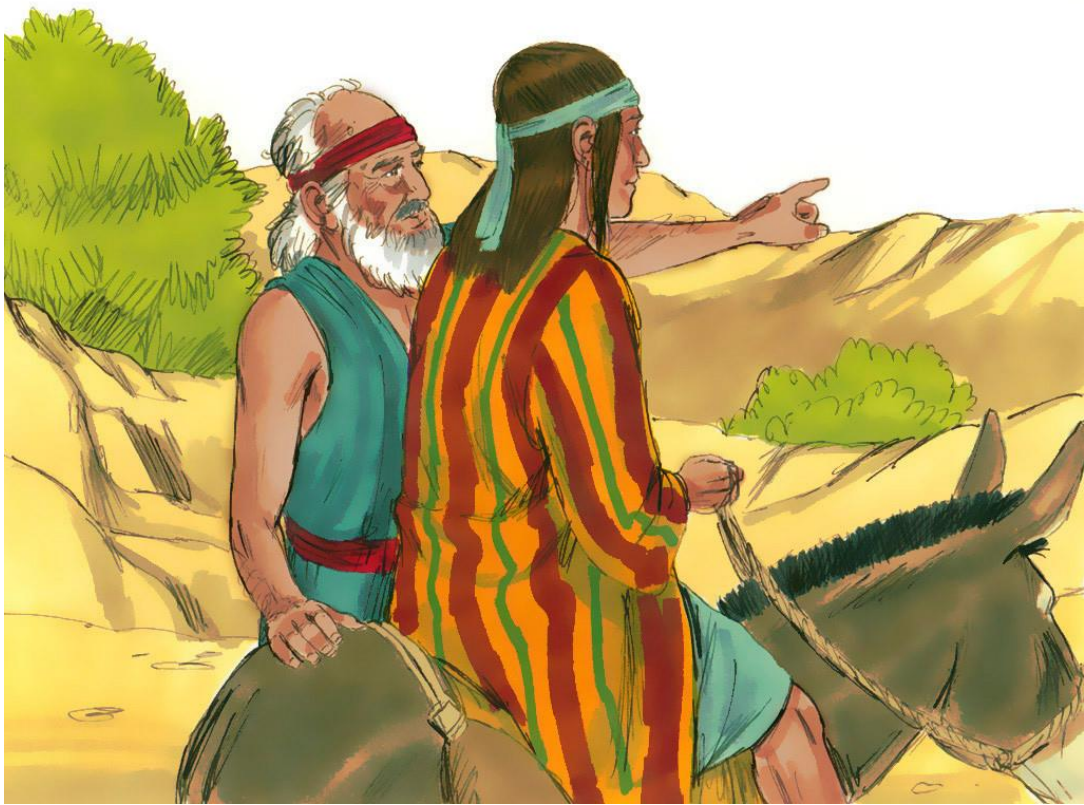


*And his brothers  
were jealous of  
him,*

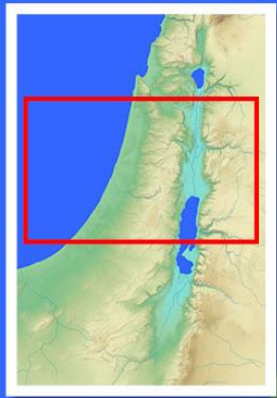


*his brothers went to  
pasture their  
father's flock  
near Shechem.*

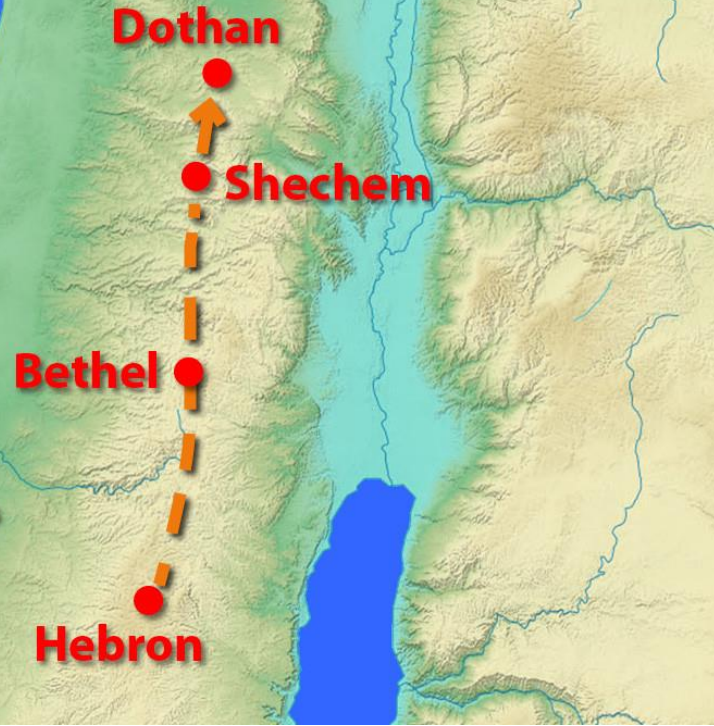




*Jacob sent Joseph  
to look for his  
brothers*



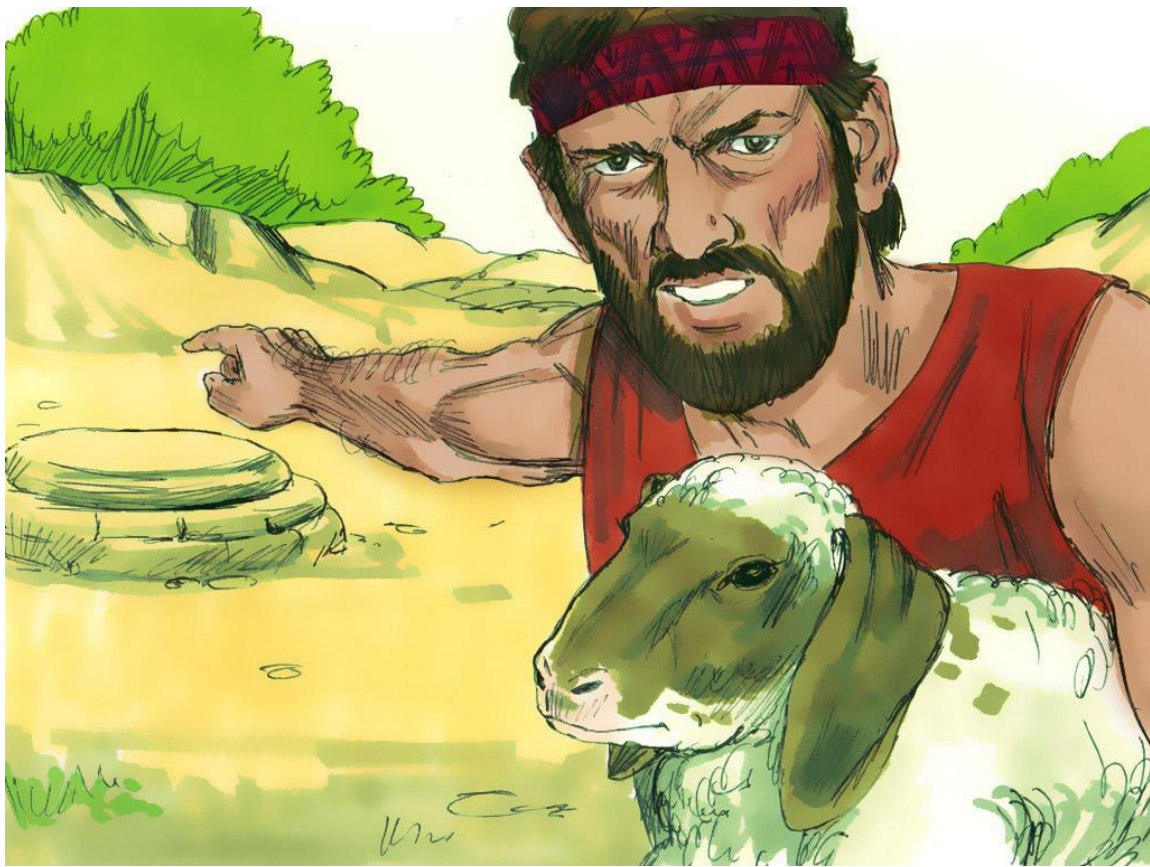
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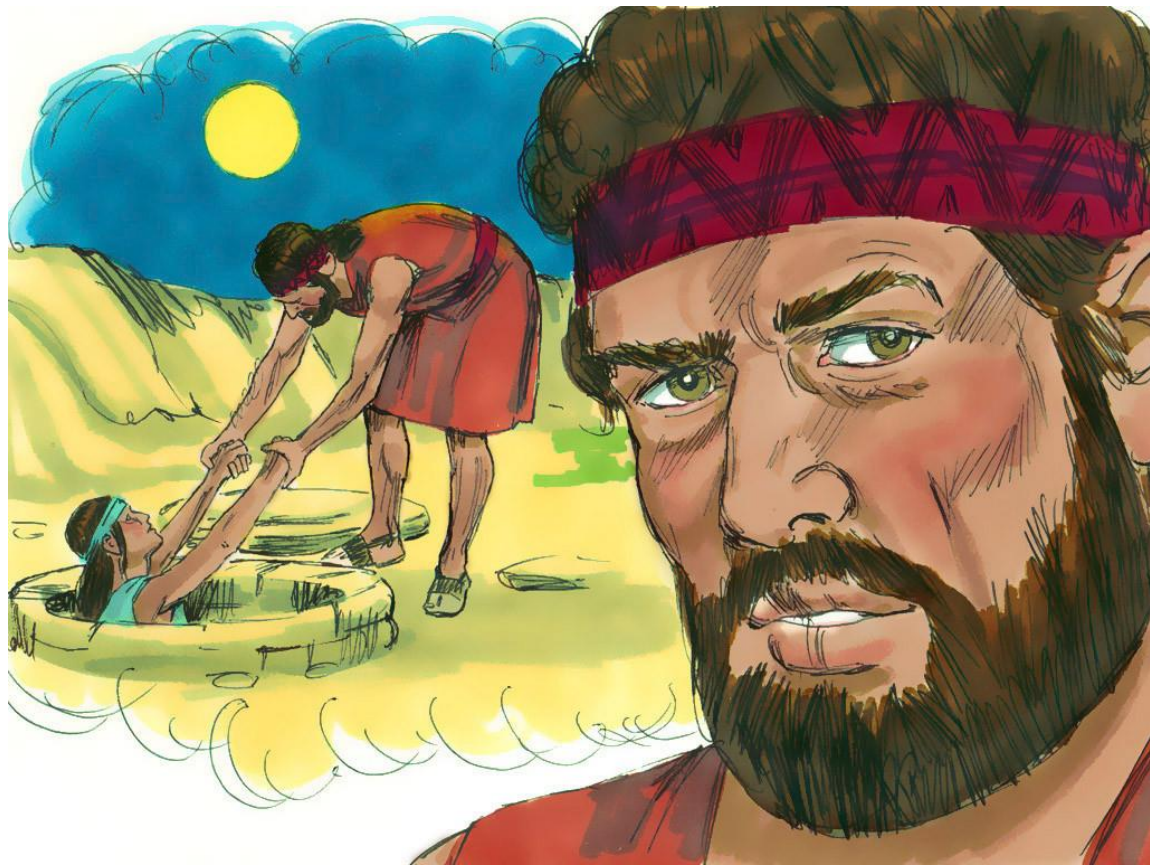
*Joseph look for his  
brother until  
Dothan*



*Joseph found his brother, when Joseph approach them. His brothers plan to kill him.*



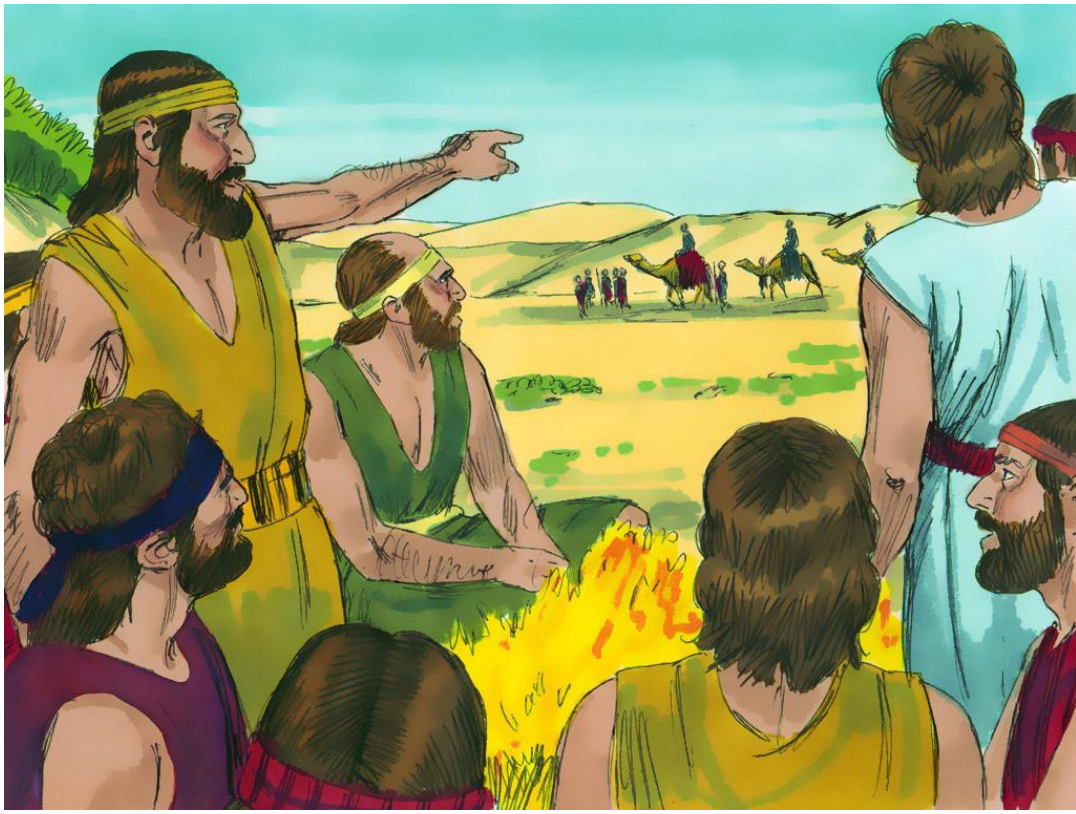
*But Ruben try to save Joseph. Ruben said do not harm Joseph. Just throw him into a pit.*



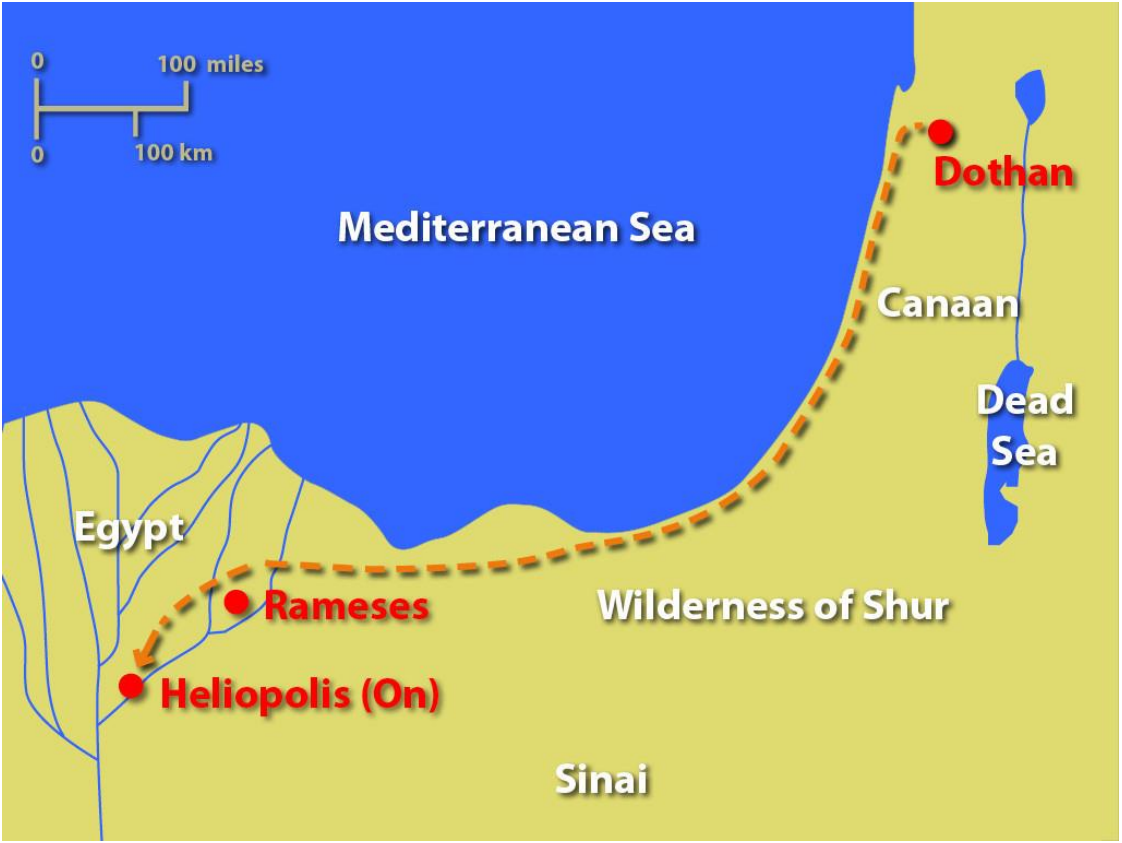
*Ruben think he might  
able to save Joseph and  
bring him home*



*So they took out his cloth and throw Joseph to the empty pit.*

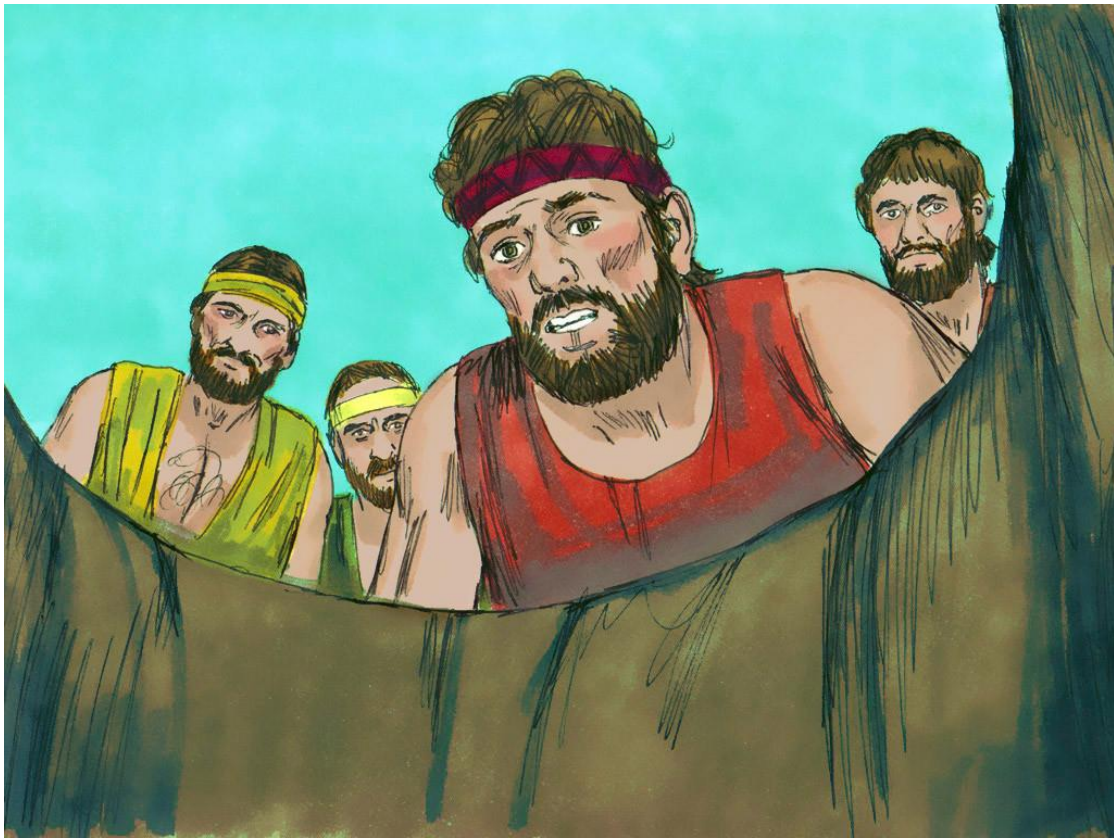


*Not long after that,  
Judah suggest to sell  
Joseph as slave to the  
Midianite trader.*



*The Midianite Trader  
bring Joseph to Egypt*

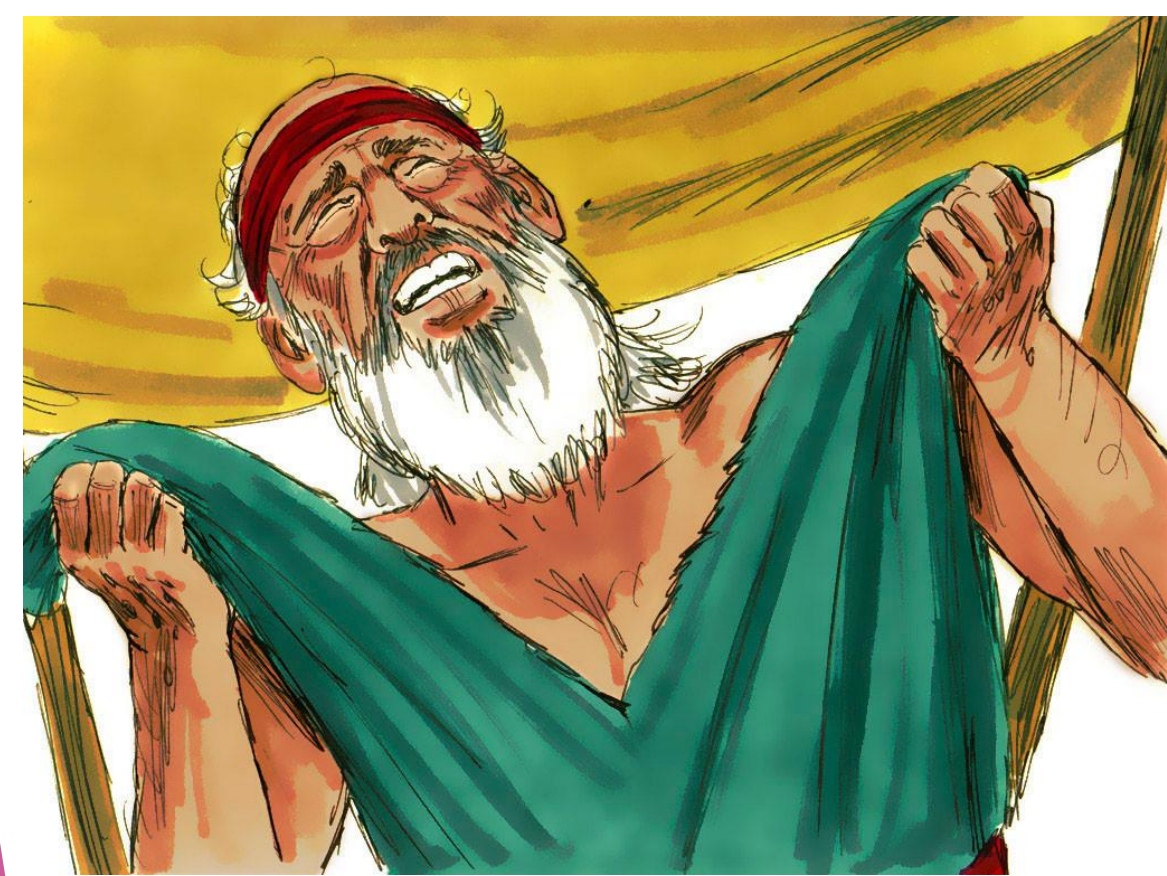




*When Reuben returned to the pit and saw that Joseph was not in the pit, he tore his clothes*



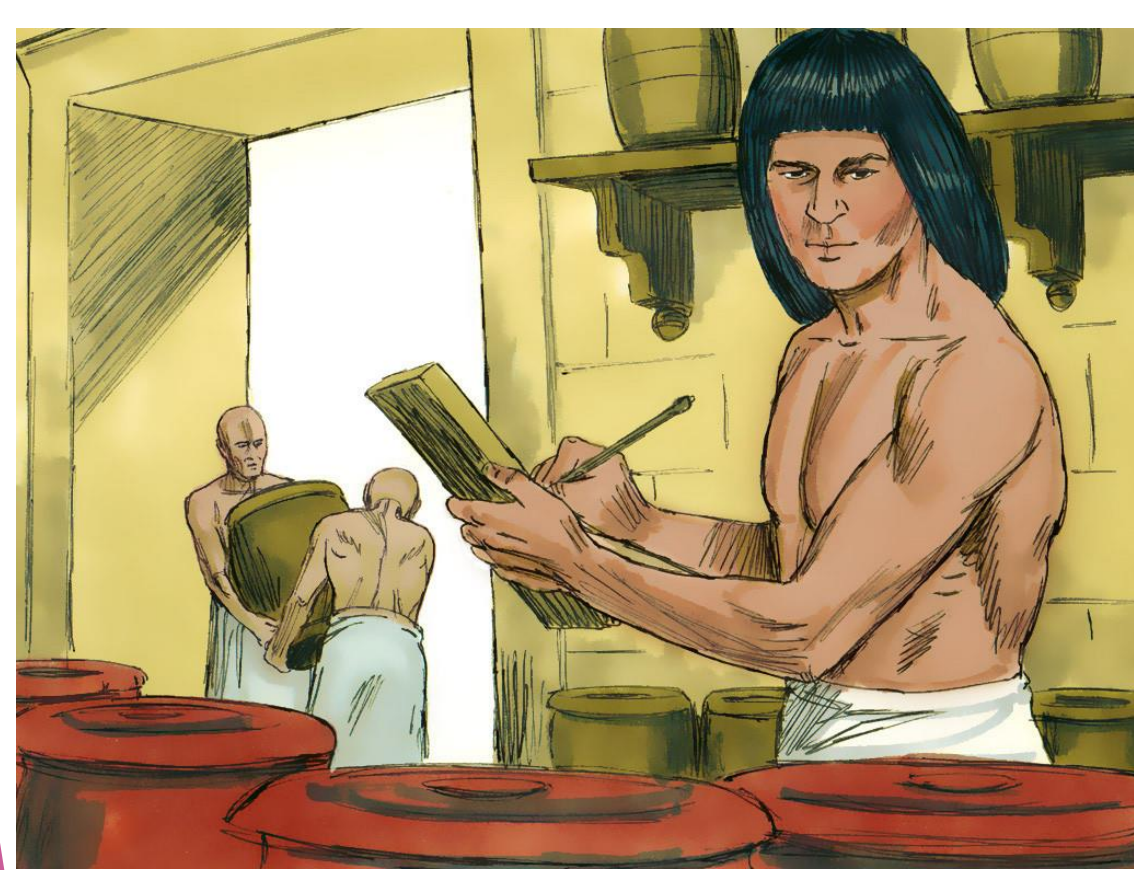
*They put some blood  
of animal at the robe  
and bring back to  
Jacob.*



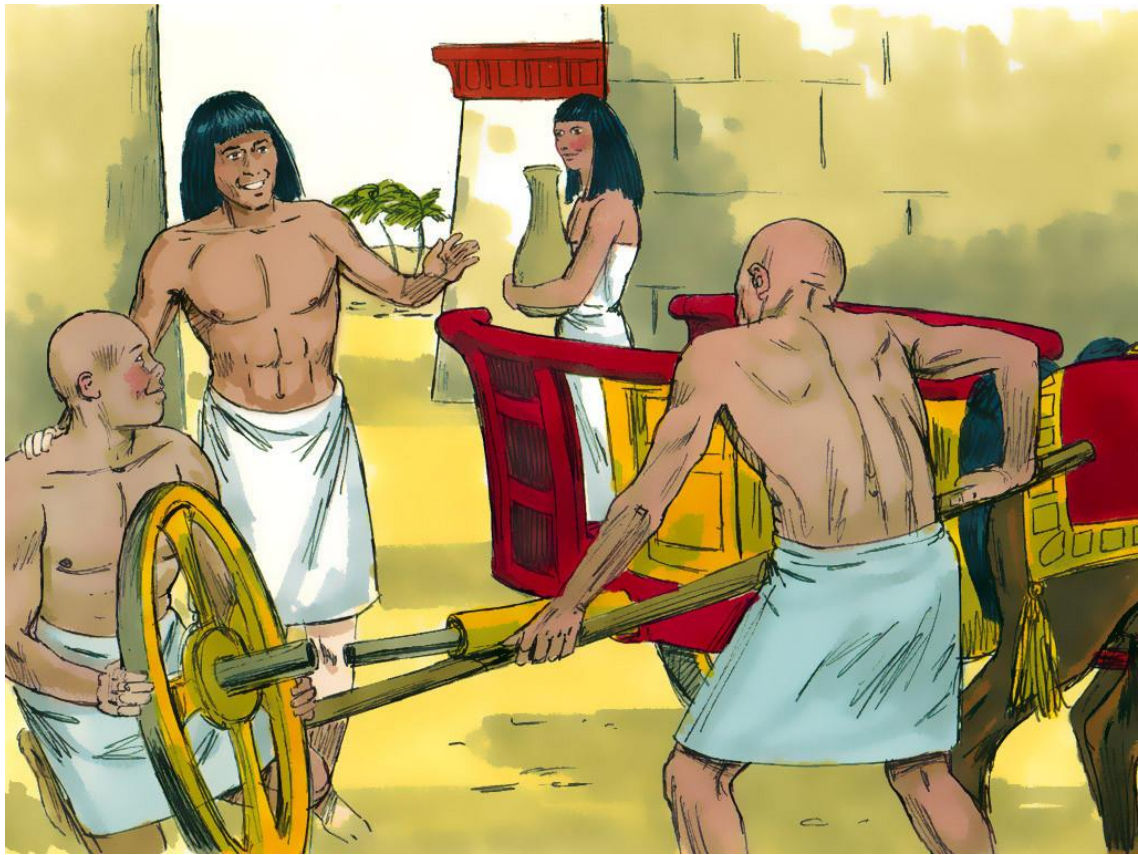
*They put some blood  
of animal at the robe  
and bring back to  
Jacob.*



*Meanwhile the Midianite trader sold Joseph to Potiphar at Egypt, officer of Pharaoh and captain of the guard*



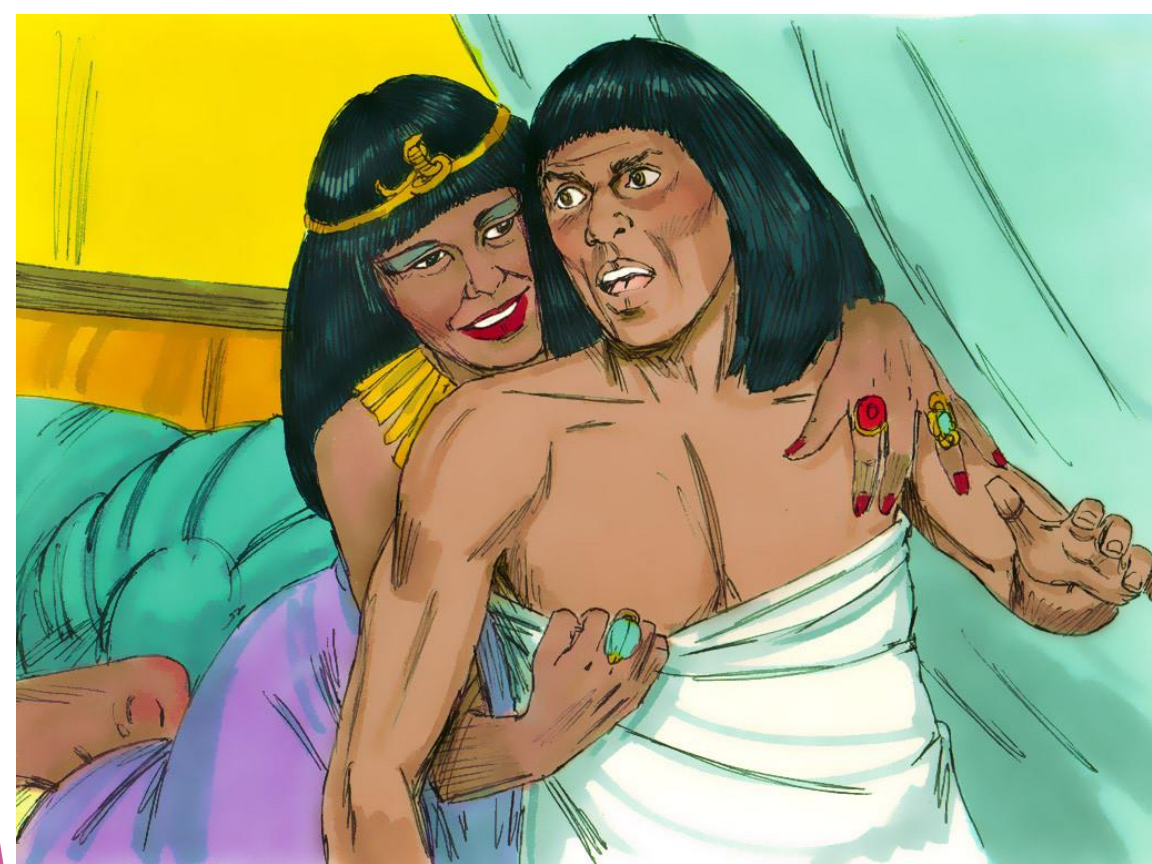
*The LORD was with Joseph, and he became a successful man, Potiphar trust Joseph and he made him overseer of his house and put him in charge of all that he had*



*So he left all that he had  
in Joseph's charge, and  
because of him he had no  
concern about anything  
but the food he ate.*



*Joseph was handsome and good looking, Potiphar wife seduce him again and again. But Joseph always refused*



One day, when he went into the house to do his work and none of the men of the house was there in the house, she caught him by his garment, saying, “Lie with me.”

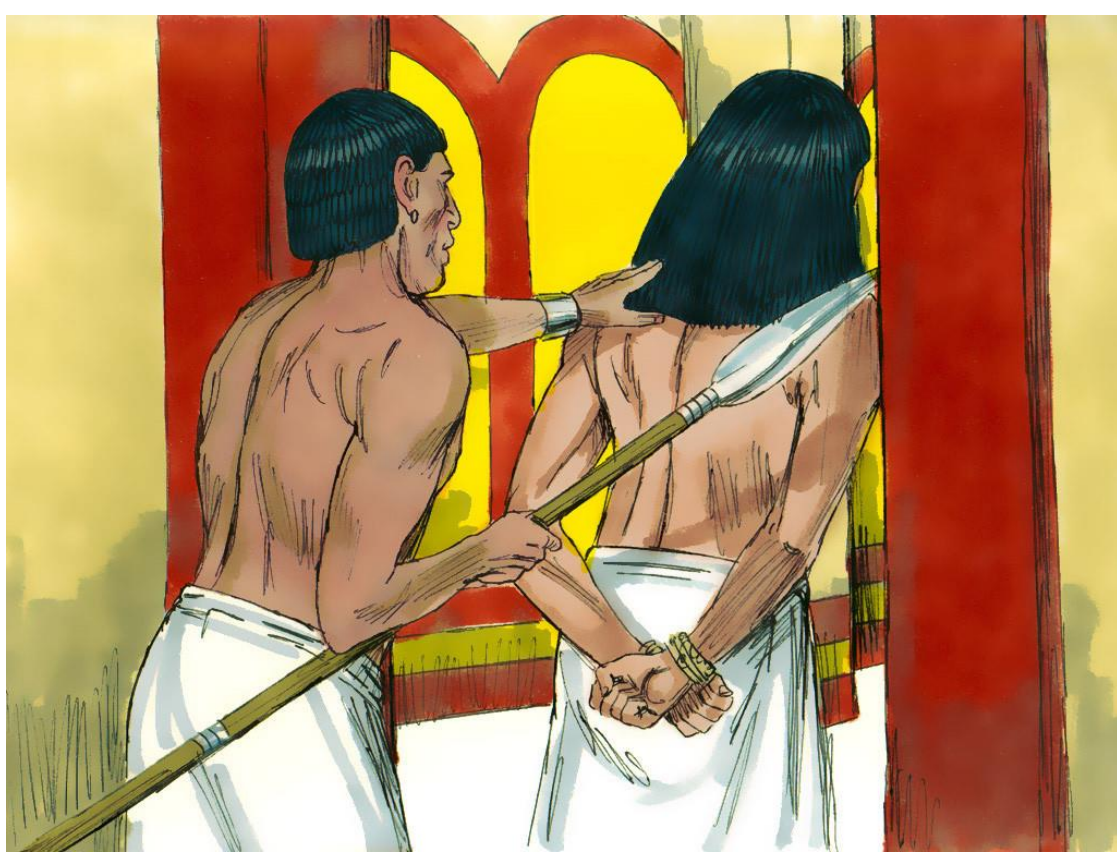




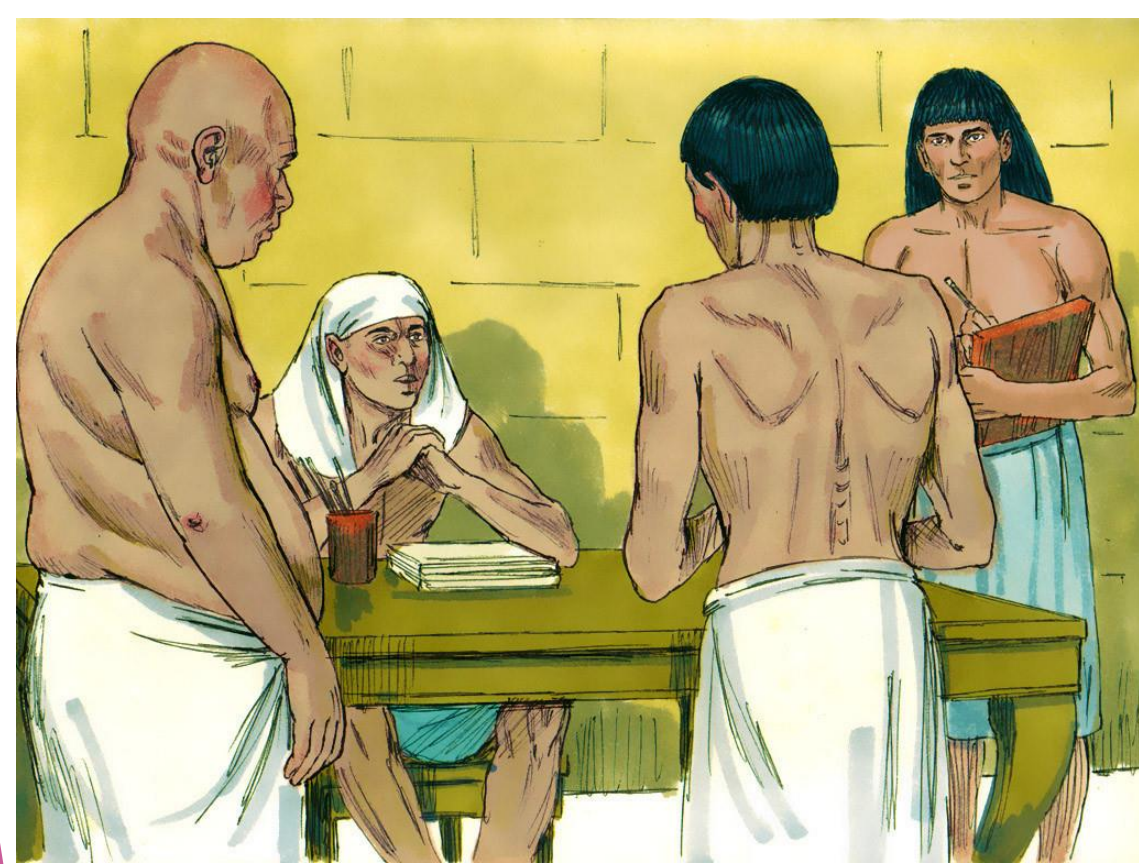
Joseph ran away, but she saw that he had left his garment in her hand and had fled out of the house,



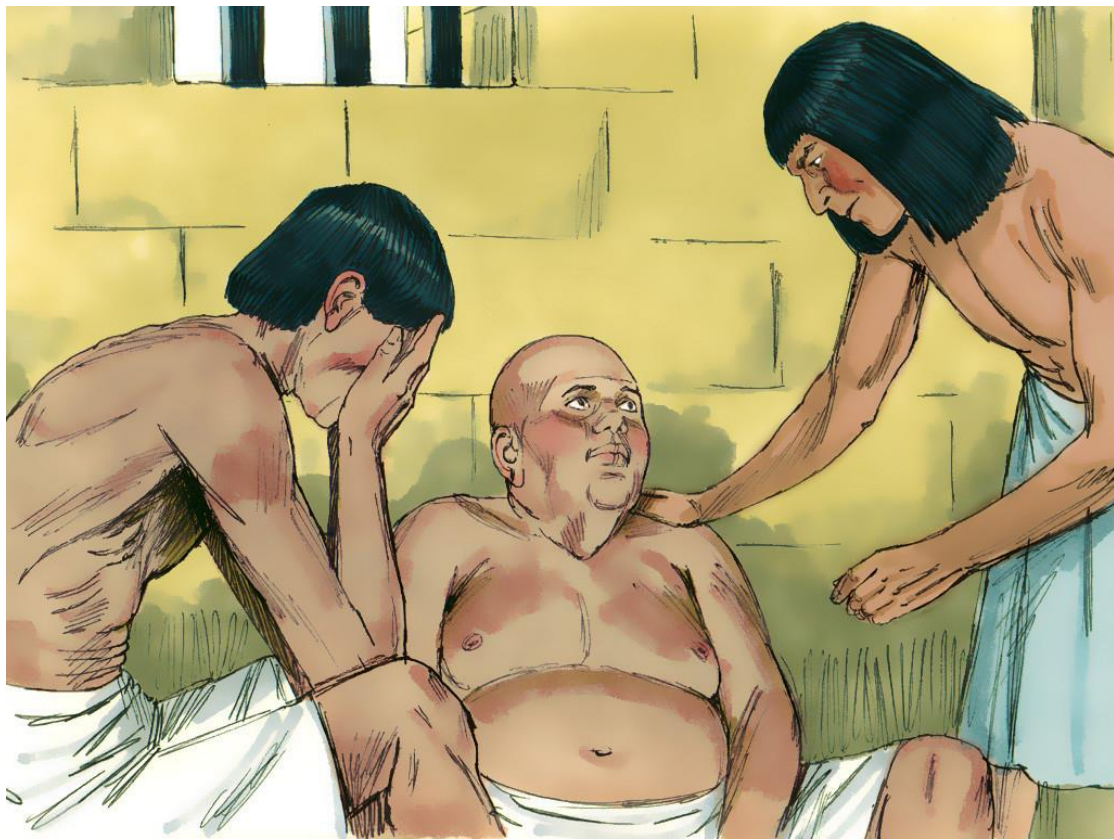
Then she laid up his garment by her until his master came home,



And Joseph's  
master took him  
and put him into  
the prison,



But the LORD was with Joseph, the keeper of the prison trust him and put Joseph in charge of all the prisoners who were in the prison.



*Joseph came to them  
in the morning, he saw  
that cupbearer & the  
baker were troubled.*



*Cup bearer tell Joseph  
about his dream.*

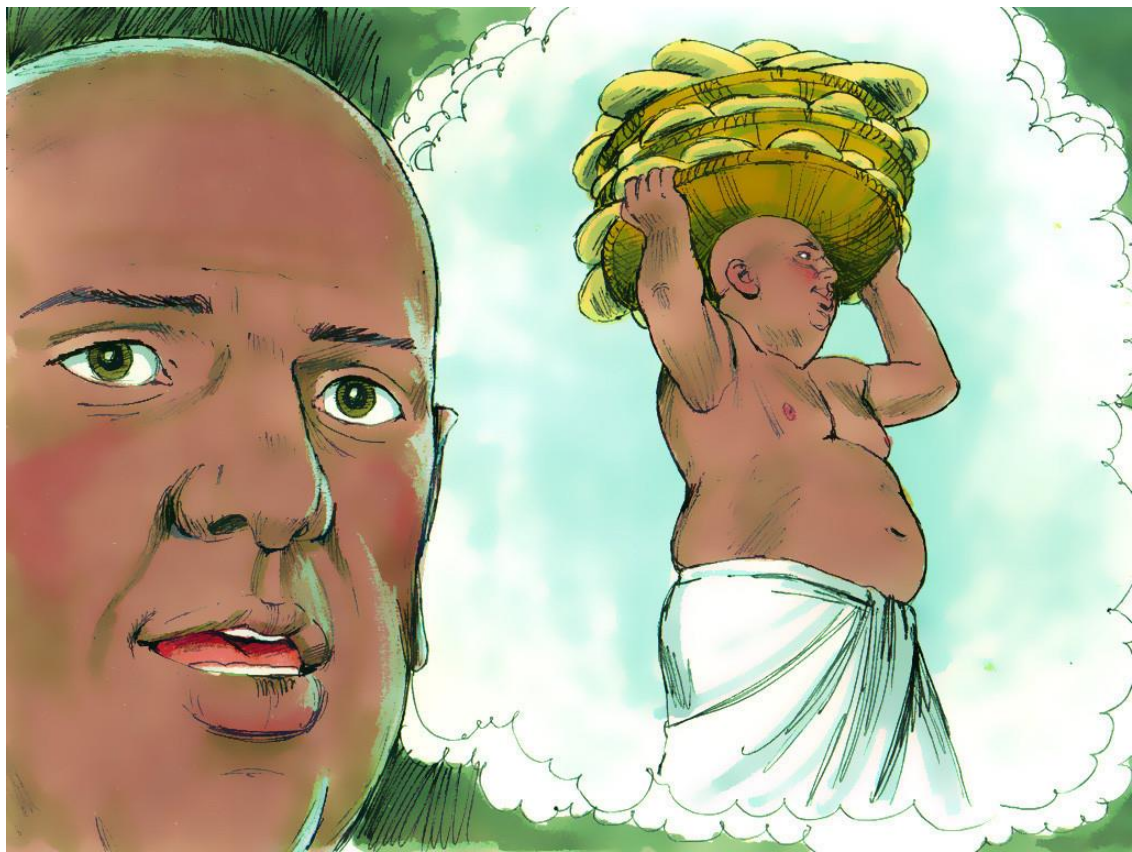


*Joseph explained his dream that In three days Pharaoh will lift up your head and restore you to your office, and you shall place Pharaoh's cup in his hand as formerly.*



*Cup bearer was so happy to  
hear that*





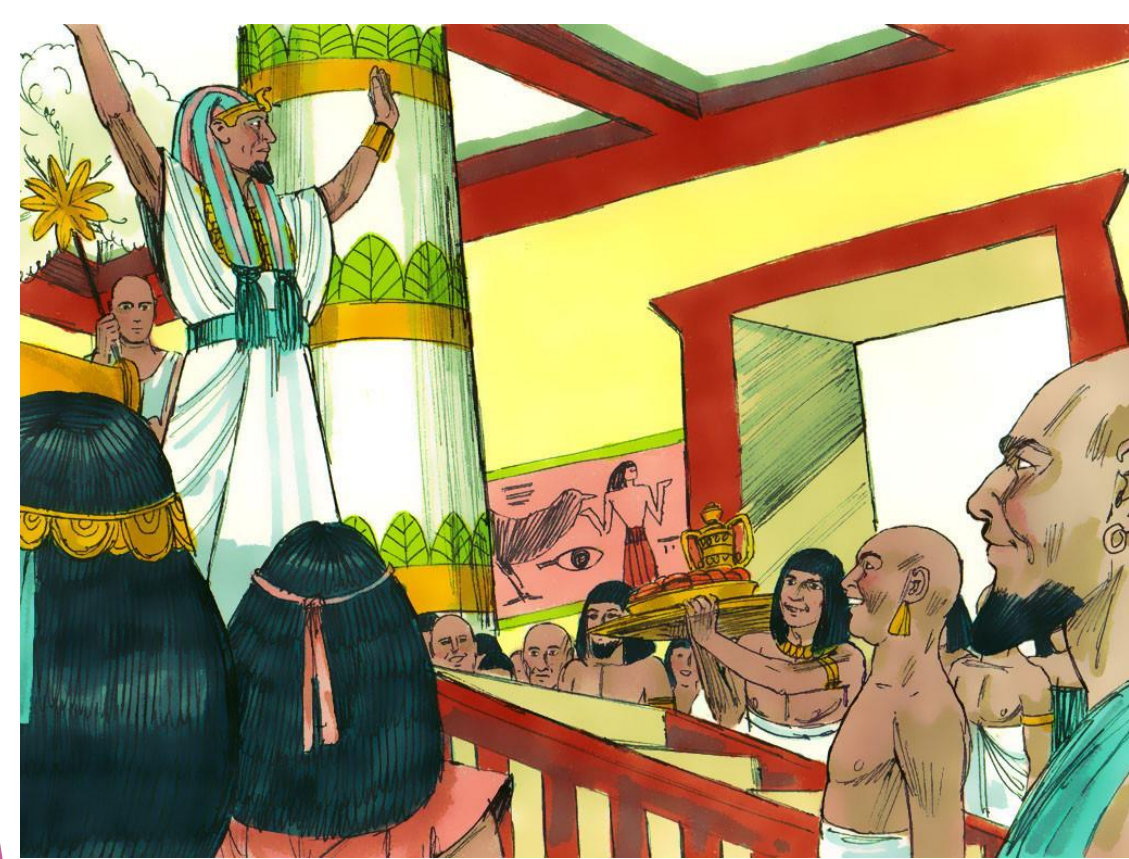
*Baker also tell Joseph his dream. “I also had a dream: there were three cake baskets on my head,*



*and in the uppermost basket  
there were all sorts of baked  
food for Pharaoh, but the birds  
were eating it out of the basket  
on my head.*



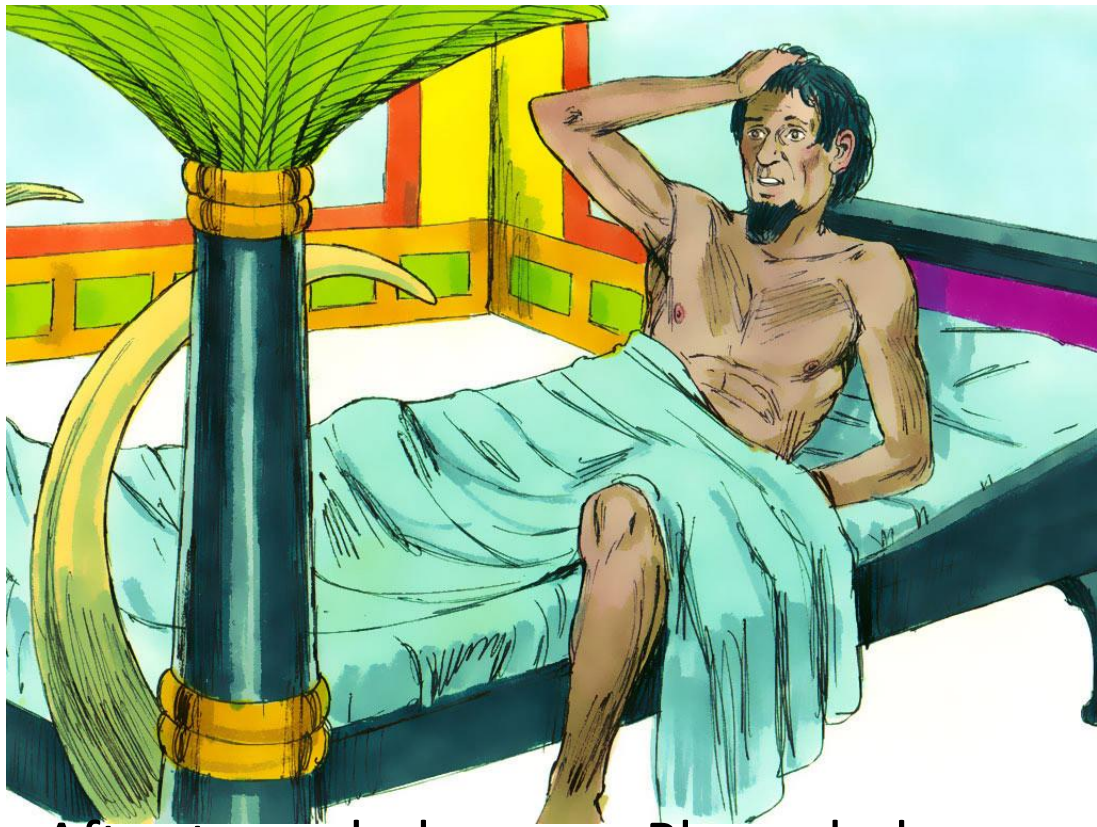
*Joseph explained his dream In three days Pharaoh will lift up your head—from you!— and hang you on a tree. And the birds will eat the flesh from you.”*



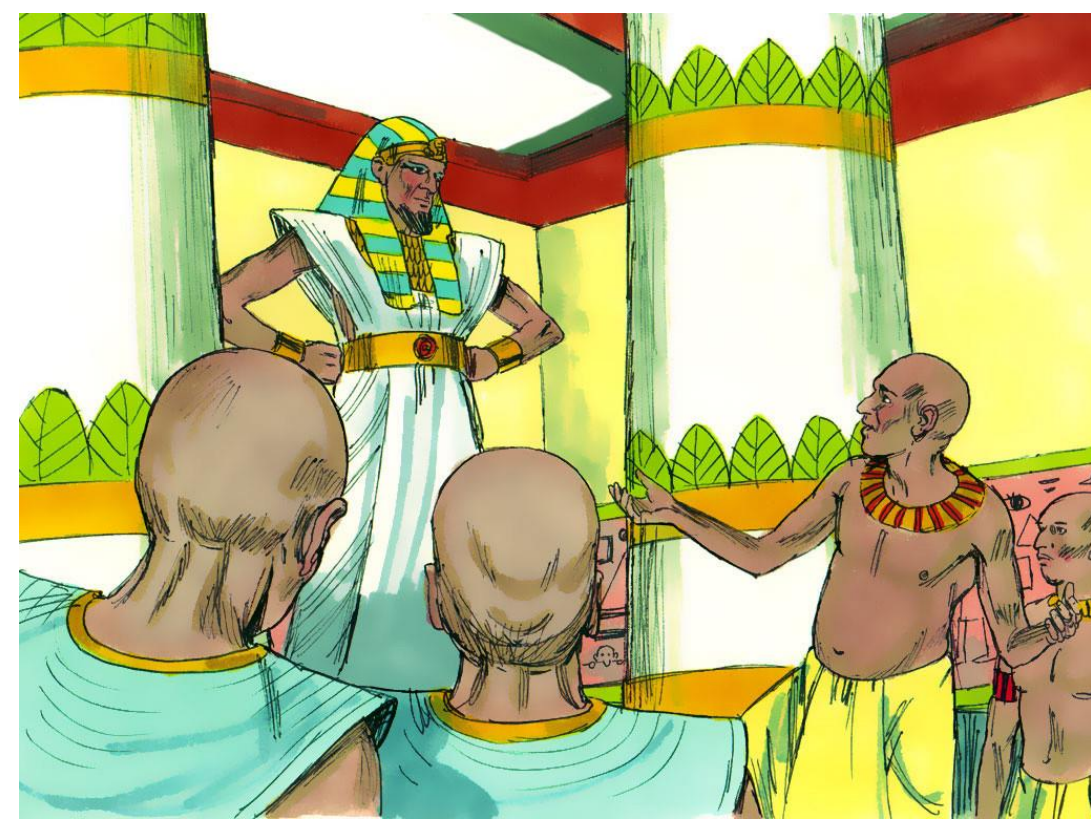
*On the third day, which was Pharaoh's birthday, he made a feast for all his servants and lifted up the head of the chief cupbearer and the head of the chief baker among his servants. He restored the chief cupbearer to his position, and he placed the cup in Pharaoh's hand. But he hanged the baker*



*Cupbearer return to his position  
as formerly, but he did not  
remember Joseph, but forgot him*



After two whole years, Pharaoh dreamed that he was standing by the Nile, he saw, there came up out of the Nile seven cows, attractive and fat, then he saw behold, seven other cows, ugly and thin, came up out of the Nile after them, and stood by the other cows on the bank of the Nile. And the ugly thin cows ate up the seven attractive, plump cows.

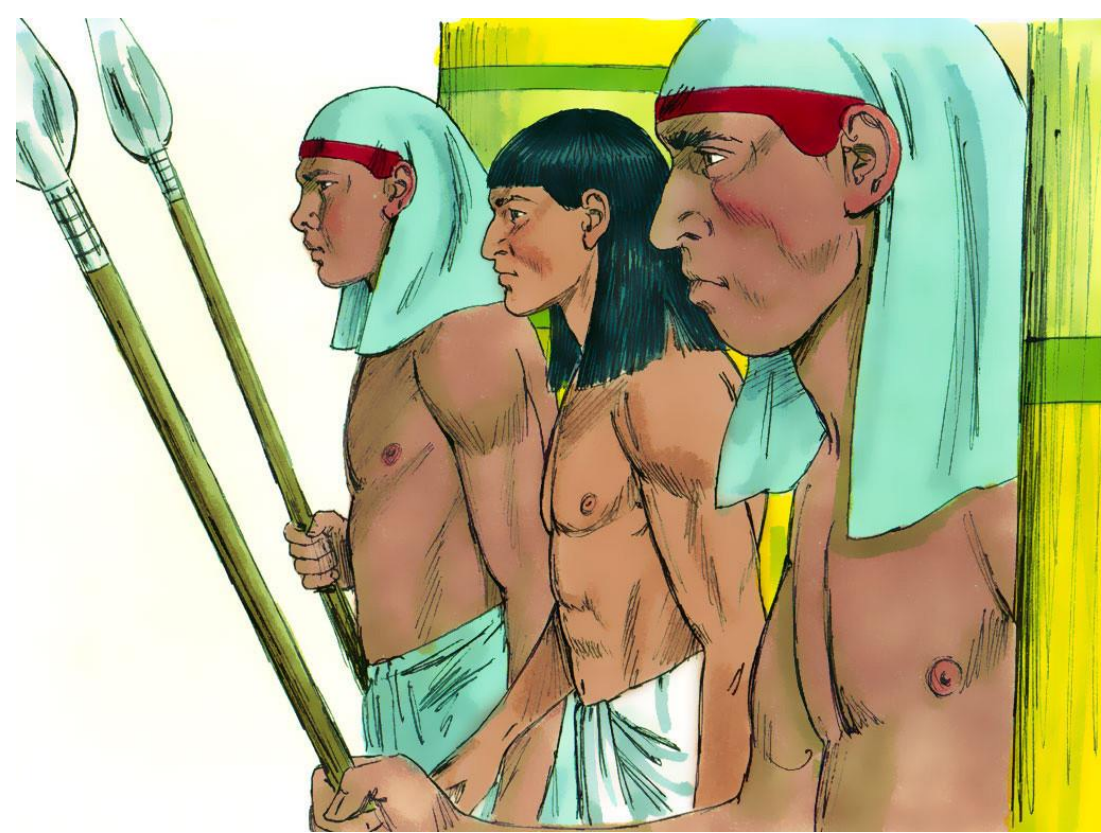


*So in the morning , he called for all the magicians of Egypt and all its wise men. Pharaoh told them his dreams, but there was none who could interpret them to Pharaoh.*



*So the cupbearer remember Joseph when Joseph interpret his dream in the prison.*





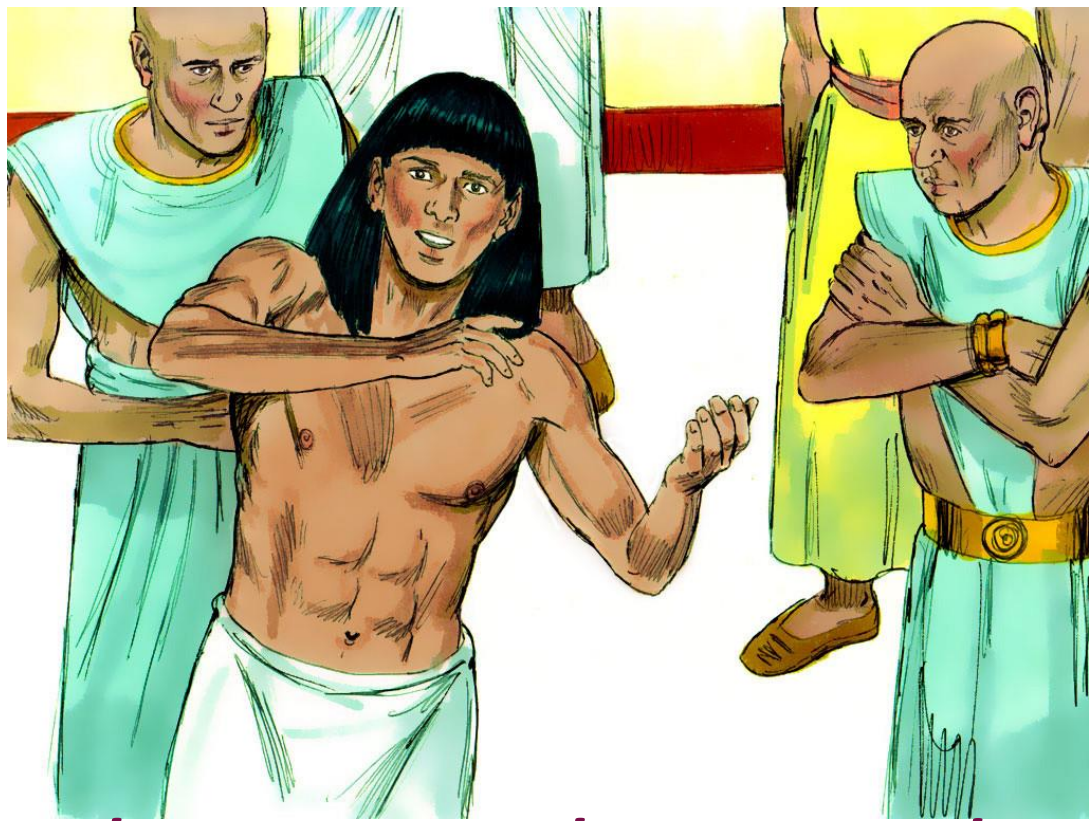
*Then Pharaoh sent  
and called Joseph, and  
they quickly brought  
him out of the pit.*



*Pharaoh told Joseph about his dream. He saw 7 ugly and thin cows are up 7 fat cows.*



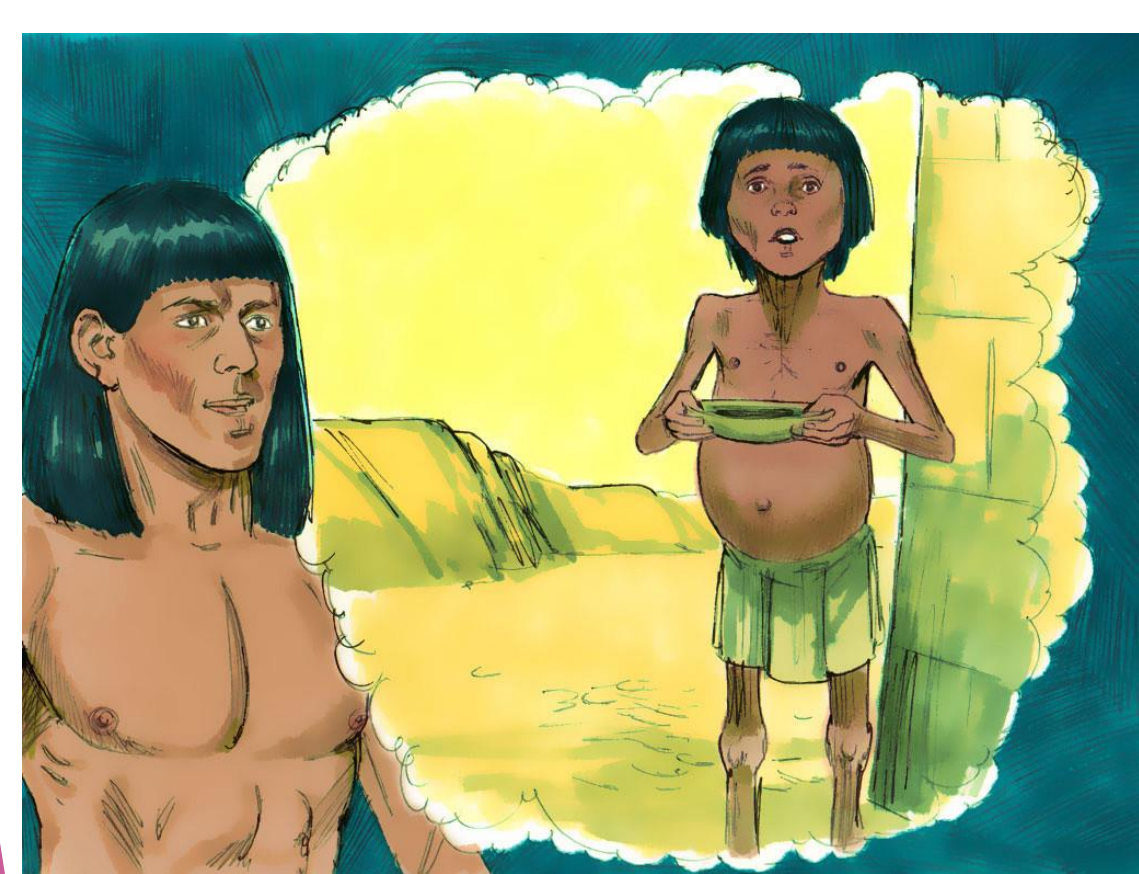
*And the second dream  
that he saw  
the thin ears swallowed  
up the seven good ears.*



*Then Joseph started to explain to Pharaoh the meaning of his dream. That both dream is same meaning*

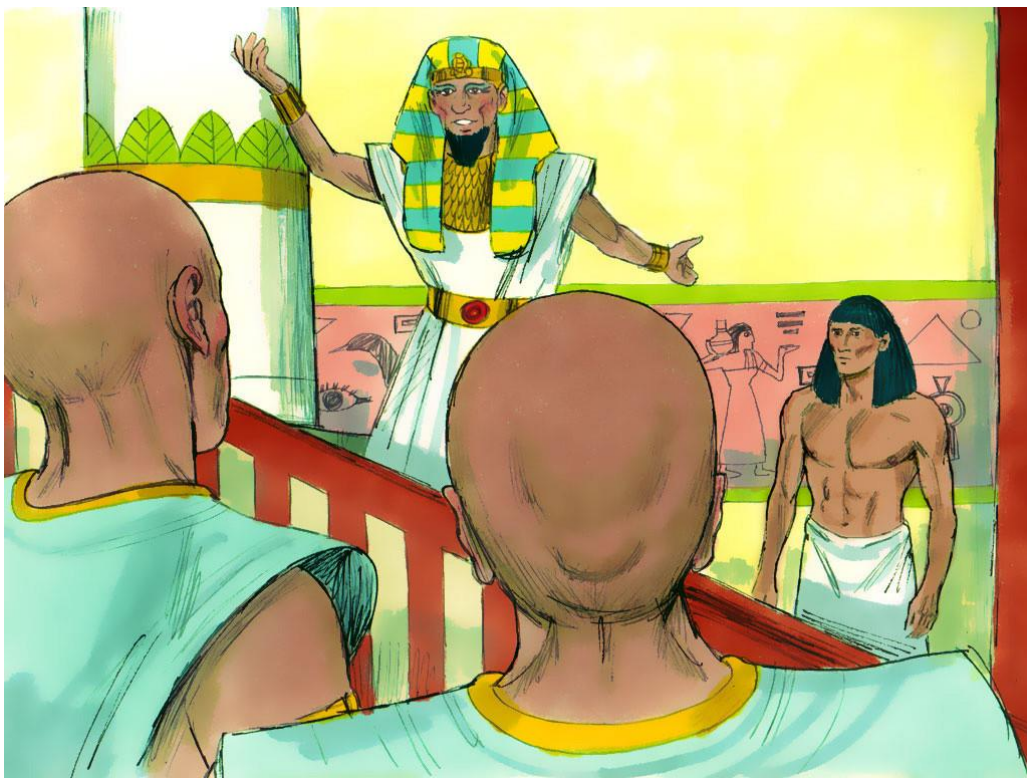


*The seven lean and ugly cows that came up after them are seven years, and the seven empty ears blighted by the east wind are also seven years of famine.*



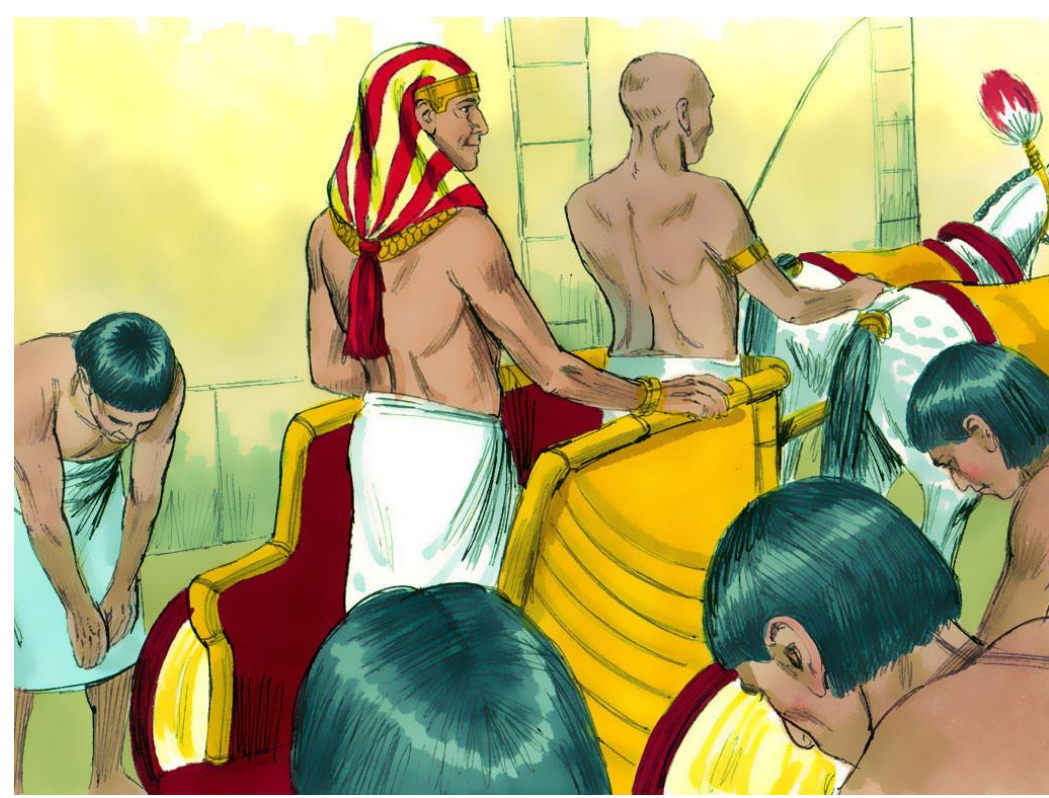
*seven years of famine*





Now therefore let Pharaoh select a discerning and wise man, and set him over the land of Egypt. And Pharaoh proceed to appoint overseers over the land and take one-fifth of the produce of the land of Egypt during the seven plentiful years.





And Joseph was appointed  
as second man in Egypt  
after Pharaoh

## ***What we learn today ?***

- 1. God did not forget his promise***
- 2. God Controlled our life***
- 3. We need to trust HIM***

## ***Memory Verse (Rom 8:28) - ESV***

***And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.***