**GOD'S FAITHFUL IN HARDSHIP**

**(Genesis 39)**

**October 4, 2020**

**I. GOD'S FAITHFUL WILL BE A BLESSING (Genesis 39:1-6a; 12:2-3)**

 **A. God's Plan Is Never \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Genesis 39:1; 37:28, 36)**

**B. God Is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ With His People (Genesis 39:2 & 23; Deuteronomy 31:6; Hebrews 13:5)**

 **C. Our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Affects Those Around Us**

 **D. Our Obedience \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Those Around Us (Genesis 39:3-6b)**

**II. GOD'S FAITHFUL WILL FLEE TEMPTATION**

**(Genesis 39:6b-12; I Corinthians 6:18; II Timothy 2:22)**

 **A. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Waits Inside Us (Genesis 39:6b-7; James 1:13-15)**

 **B. God's Ways \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Us (Genesis 39:8-10)**

 **1. Honor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

 **2. Honor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

 **3. Honor The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

 **C. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Away From Danger (Genesis 39:11-12)**

**III. GOD'S FAITHFUL WILL FACE OPPOSITION (Genesis 39:13-20a)**

 **A. Our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ To Spiritual Maturity (James 1:2-8)**

 **B. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Of Faithful Discipleship (John 15:18-16:4)**

 **C. Our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Is Reliance On God's Grace (Proverbs 3:5-6)**

**IV. GOD'S FAITHFUL WAIT ON THE LORD (Genesis 39:20b-23)**

**A. God Is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ With His People (Genesis 39:20b-21; see vs. 2)**

 **B. God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ His People Through Hardship (Genesis 39:22-23ff)**

 **C. God's People Learn To Endure \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Genesis 39:13-23ff)**

**APPLICATION**

 **1. Trusting in God and obeying his ways will bring his blessings to us and to those around us.**

 **2. Trusting in God and obeying his ways will bring opposition and temptation to us so that we will need to relay on God's protection and care.**

 **3. Flee temptation- never believe you can handle it! Sin is inside you just waiting to do its work!**

 **4. God doesn't always protect us from distress and temptation - but protects us when we are** **in the midst of distress and temptation.**

**Next Week: Genesis 40**