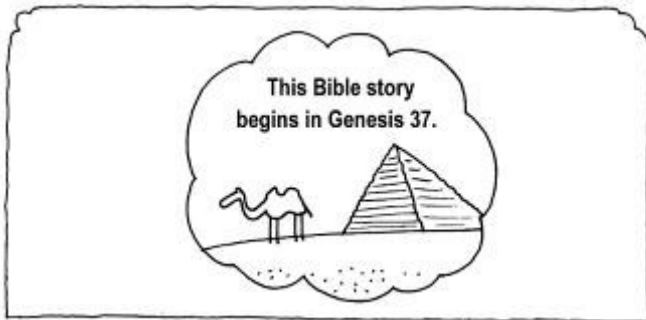


# JOSEPH is kind to his brothers

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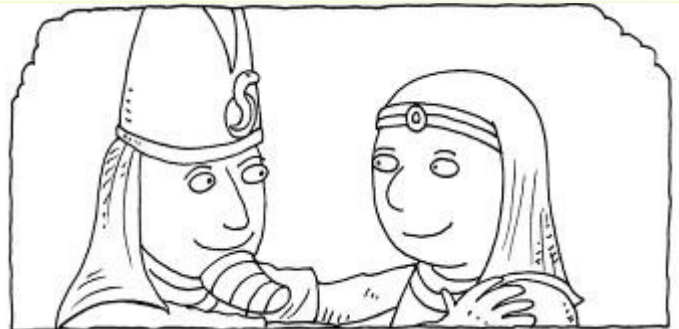
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When Joseph was far from home  
God was still with him.

God had a special plan for Joseph.  
He saved his family when they were hungry.



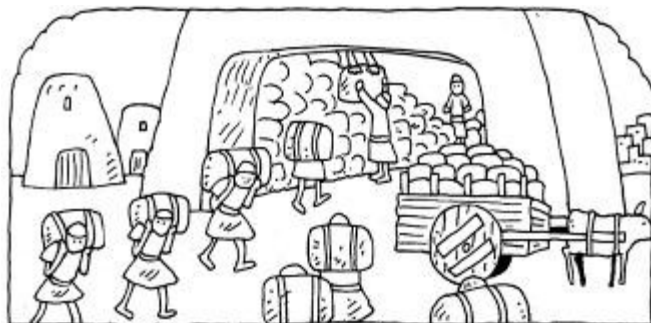
Joseph's brothers were not kind to him.  
They sold him to King Pharaoh in Egypt.  
Joseph was King Pharaoh's best helper.  
He knew God was with him in Egypt.



Joseph was put in jail for something he  
did not do. In jail he was good and kind.  
Everyone knew that Joseph loved God  
and did what was good and right.



One night King Pharaoh had a dream.  
No one could help him understand it.  
He sent for Joseph. Joseph asked God to  
help him understand the dream.



God told Joseph, "Tell King Pharaoh  
to get lots and lots of corn because  
soon people in other countries won't  
have enough to feed their families."



Soon Joseph's brothers had no corn left to eat.  
They were hungry, so their dad sent them  
to buy corn from King Pharaoh.  
Would Joseph be kind to his brothers?



Yes! Joseph gave corn to his brothers  
and gave some to them to take  
home to his dad.  
He forgave his brothers for being unkind.



Joseph loved God and  
he looked after his family.  
God wants us to be kind to everyone,  
even if they are not kind to us first.