

“Joseph & the Flow of Redemptive History”

A Walk Through the Old Testament - Class 6

Exodus 1-14

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Purpose: We probably all know that Charlton Heston...I mean Moses led the people of Israel out of Egypt. But how did they get there? Didn't God tell Abraham that he was going to give him and his family the land of Canaan? Well, as you might have guessed Joseph is the missing link in redemptive history.

Next Week's Reading: Exodus 15-20; 24; 32-34; 40

I. The Life of Joseph

1. Genesis 37 – The Plot
2. Genesis 39-40 – From House Steward to Jail
3. Genesis 41 – A New Ruler
4. Genesis 42-45 – Famine and Reunion
5. Genesis 46-48 – Settling the Patriarchal Family
6. Genesis 49 – Jacob and Family Blessings
7. Genesis – Funeral Arrangements and Future Blessing

II. The Implications of Joseph's Life

1. What About Canaan?
2. Why Egypt?

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3. God’s Sovereignty

4. The Abrahamic Covenant

III. Lessons from Genesis

1. The Flow of History
 - A. Primeval History (1-11)

 - B. The Patriarchal Saga (12-36)

 - C. The Joseph Story (37-50)

2. The Covenants
 - A. The Covenant of Works (1-3)

 - B. The Covenant of Grace (3)
 - a. The Noahic Covenant (6-9)

 - b. The Abrahamic Covenant (12, 15)

3. The Chosen Line of godly men: Adam, Seth, Enoch, Methuselah, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph

4. A Harmartiological Lesson: Man is Sinful but God is Faithful