

"Faith: Hindsight & Foresight"
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A 4-part series into the Life of Joseph exploring how God works within our immediate context to form and shape us so that we might know His love, grace, and mercy and be used for His kingdom purpose.

Joseph finally finds healing in forgiveness and his life comes full circle as his father, Jacob, comes to him in Egypt. Jacob is able to see Joseph and how God has blessed him through all the suffering and pain. But Jacob and his family have suffered too and now they all find reprieve in Egypt. As Joseph enjoys these years of his life, he sees God's arc of favor and blessing in his life. As his own life ends, he foresees that God will come to deliver His people once more.

Discussion Questions:

- Read Genesis 50:19-20. Share some moments when God used something that was bad for good?
- What are some past moments that remind of you God's faithfulness even when it was difficult to go through at the moment?
- How often do you reflect on your spiritual journey?
- What are some formative lessons in your spiritual life so far?
- What kind of faith do you want to have in 50 years? What can you do today to build up your faith?
- Do you look forward to what God has in store for you? Why or why not?