

#58- PreK-2nd: Joseph's Coat, 3rd and up: Joseph's Coat & Dreams*Find recorded lessons at – [MonteVista.org](http://MonteVista.org) / [VistaStream](http://VistaStream)**Also find our online worship services at the same site.*

Dear Families: Today's story is about a man who grew in wisdom, mostly because of the hardships he experienced in his life. He was very doted on as a child. This made his relationship with his brothers become really negative. To see how God turned his troubles into something that ending up saving his entire family can be inspiring. God Bless!

**Bible Text:** Genesis 37:1-36;

Jacob settled in the land where his father had lived . . . This is the story of the family of Jacob, . . . Joseph, being 17, was shepherding the flock with his brothers . . . Now Israel (Jacob) loved Joseph more than any of his children because he was the son of his old age and he made him a long robe with sleeves. When his brothers saw that their father loved him more than all his brothers, they hated him . . . Once Joseph had a dream and when he told it to them, they hated him even more . . . "Listen to this dream that I dreamed. We were binding sheaves in the field. Suddenly my sheaf rose and stood upright. Then your sheaves gathered around it and bowed down to my sheaf . . . The brothers said to him, "Are you indeed to reign over us?" So they hated him even more. . . He had another dream and told it to his brothers. . . The sun, the moon, and eleven stars were bowing down to me; but when he told it to his father and his brothers, his father rebuked him and said. . . "Shall we indeed come, I and your mother and your brothers and bow to the ground before you?" So his brothers were jealous of him, but his father kept the matter in mind. Later. . . Israel sent Joseph to his brothers, who were shepherding the flock. . . They saw him from a distance and before he came near they conspired to kill him. . . But Ruben, the oldest, (heard the brothers and intervened) ". . . throw him in this pit here but lay no hand on him" (He was going to come back later and rescue him.) So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe. . . and threw him into a pit. Then they set down to eat and looking up they saw a caravan of Ishmaelites. . . on their way to Egypt. . . they drew Joseph up out of the pit and sold him. . . for twenty pieces of silver. . . (Joseph was taken to Egypt and sold as a slave). . . When Reuben returned to the pit and saw that Joseph was not in the pit, he tore his clothes. . . They took Joseph's robe, slaughtered a goat and dipped the robe in the blood. . . They took the robe to their father and said, "This we have found; see now whether it is your son's robe or not." Then Jacob tore his garments and put sackcloth on. . . and mourned for his son many days.

**Memory Verse:** This is the last week for these verses. I hope that you took some time to read the complete verses referenced in the shortened forms. Putting God's promises in our hearts can be very comforting and help guide us through rough times.

**God is faithful and keeps promises.**

"I am your strength." Philippians 4:13

**God is faithful and keeps promises.**

"I will never leave you." Deuteronomy 1:6

**God is faithful and keeps promises.**

"I hear your prayers." I John 14:13-14

**God is faithful and keeps promises.**

"I always love you." I John 4:9-10

**God is faithful and keeps promises.**

(Cross heart with pointer finger.)

(Show strong arms)

(Cross heart with pointer finger.)

(Shake head. "No.")

(Cross heart with pointer finger.)

(Cup one hand behind one ear)

(Cross heart with pointer finger.)

(Do I Love You in sign language.)

(Cross heart with pointer finger.)

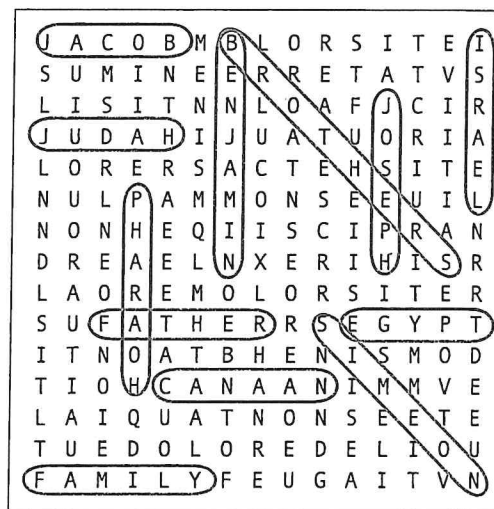
## Activities:

**PreK-2nd** \*The Lord Was With Joseph – coat pattern \*Colored puzzle pieces for the coat on the previous page \*Joseph and His Brothers – drawing activity

**3rd and Up** \*Joseph Special Coat – coded words \*Joseph and His Family – word search  
\*Joseph and His Family – word line up \*Tumbai page with melody, body percussion, & foot patterns

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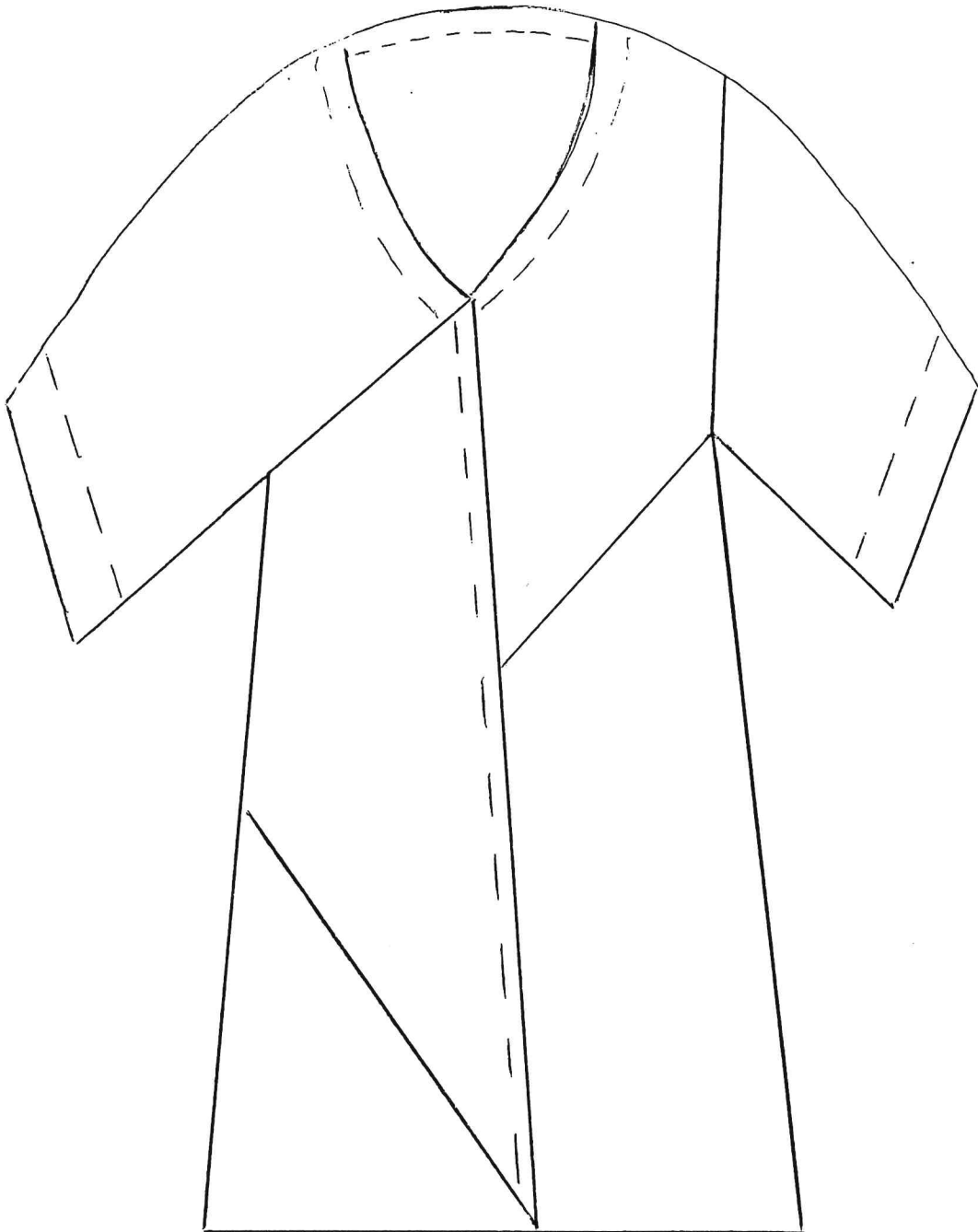
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What did Joseph do to his brothers?

He FORGAVE them.

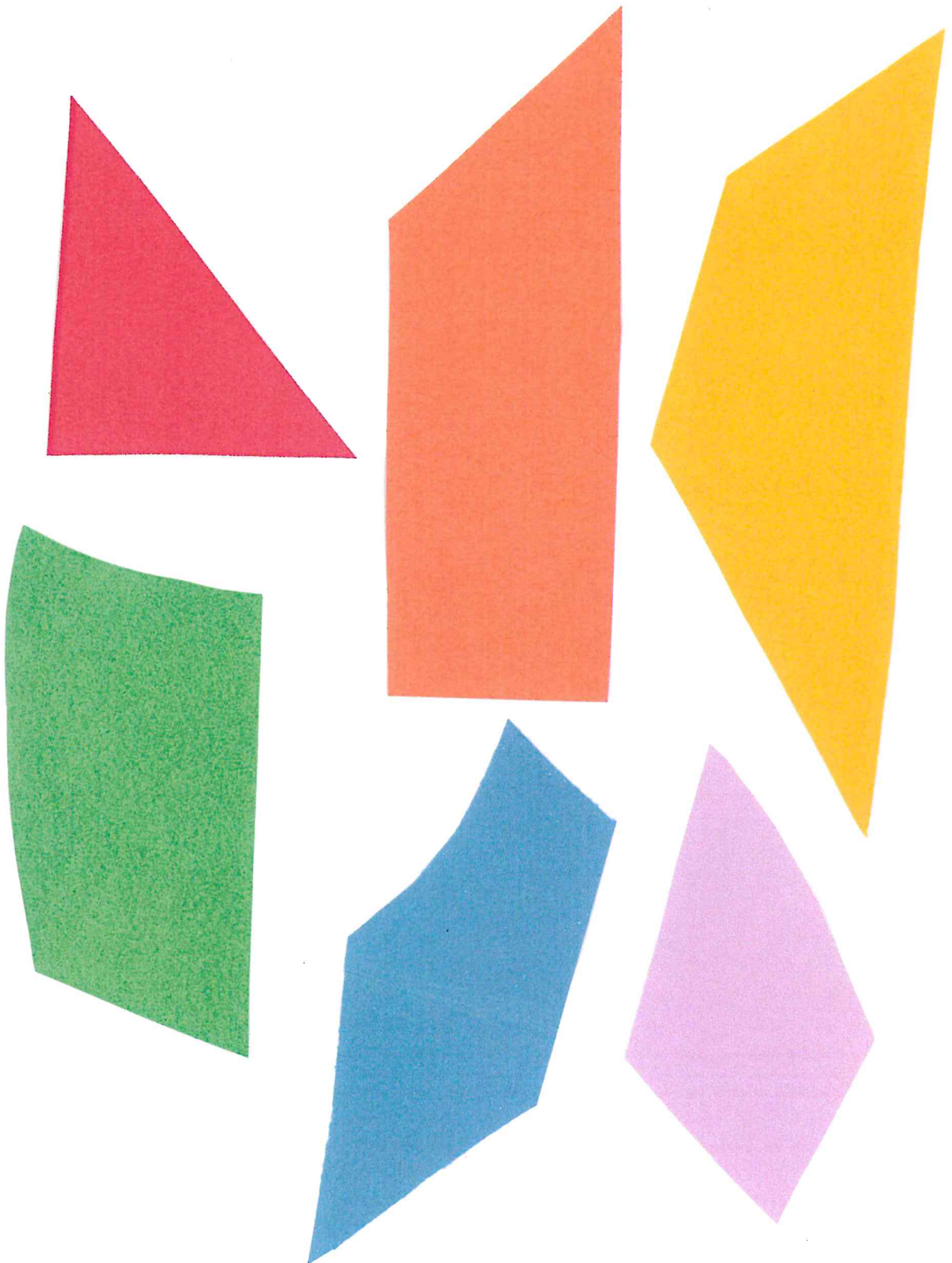
# The Lord Was With Joseph

Genesis 39:2



### Joseph's Coat -

1. Cut out each colored piece.
2. Fit them, like a puzzle piece on the matching shapes on the outline of Joseph's coat.
3. Tape or use a glue stick to stick the pieces to the page.
4. Read the words above the Coat of Many Colors.



# Joseph and his Brothers

Draw pictures in each rectangle to tell Joseph's story.

1. Joseph being thrown into a well by his brothers.
2. Joseph sold as a slave.
3. Jacob being told Joseph is dead.
4. What do you think will happen next?

1.

2.

3.

4.



# Joseph's Special Coat Coded Words

Each number stands for a letter of the alphabet. Write the correct letter in the blank to find the coded words and phrase.

## Code key

A 1	J 10	S 19
B 2	K 11	T 20
C 3	L 12	U 21
D 4	M 13	V 22
E 5	N 14	W 23
F 6	O 15	X 24
G 7	P 16	Y 25
H 8	Q 17	Z 26
I 9	R 18	

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6 1 20 8 5 18

18 5 21 2 5 14

3 15 12 15 18 6 21 12

**JOSEPH'S**

2 18 15 20 8 5 18 19

**WERE**

10 5 1 12 15 21 19

**OF HIS**

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# Joseph and His Family

## Word Search

Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle. The words can be left to right, up and down, or diagonally.

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F	A	M	I	L	Y	F	E	U	G	A	I	T	V	N

BENJAMIN  
BROTHERS  
CANAAN  
EGYPT

FAMILY  
FATHER  
ISRAEL  
JACOB

JOSEPH  
JUDAH  
SIMEON  
PHARAOH



## Joseph and His Family Word Line Up

Unscramble each of the clue words. Take the letters that appear in the circled spaces and use them for the final question.

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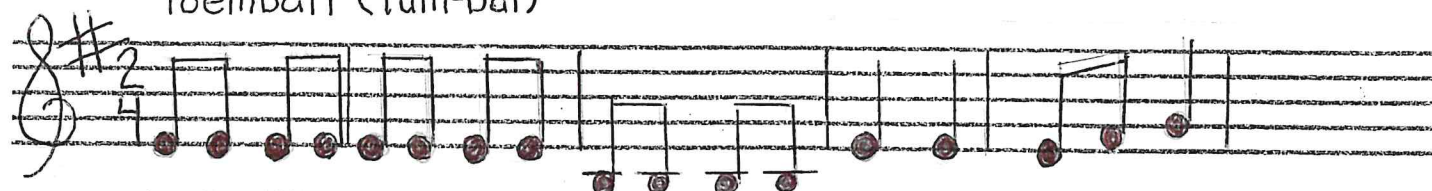
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**What did Joseph do to his brothers?**

He \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ them.



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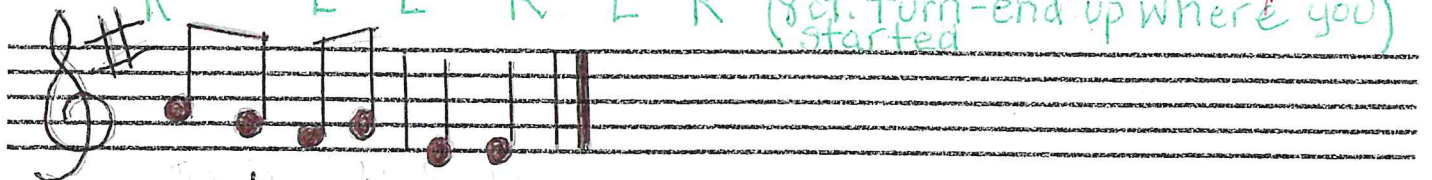
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Tra-la-la-la-la Tra-la-la-la-la-la Tra-la-la-la-la-la-la-la-la-la

P S S P S P S S C S C S C S C S C S P S P S P

R L L R L R (8ct. turn-end up where you started)



Tra-la-la-la-la-la

S P S S C S C S

(8ct continued)

C=clap S=snap P=pat - Body Percussion

Step Pattern - F=forward B=backward

L=left R=right (side-steps)

8ct O=Turn in direction for 8 counts

Find demonstration online @ Tum-bai on YouTube

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Suggestion: Get singing & body percussion down really well before adding foot patterns. Check out the YouTube demo. It's very good.