

## LESSONS ON PURPOSE

Genesis 37:1-11

### Dream Big! Joseph's Lessons for Dreaming It and Doing It!

#### Introduction:

Law #1 of the Four Spiritual Laws: God l\_\_\_\_\_ you and offers a wonderful p\_\_\_\_\_ for your life.

*For I know the plans I have for you declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future... You will seek me and f\_\_\_\_\_ me when you seek me with all your heart. I will be f\_\_\_\_\_ by you, declares the Lord. Jeremiah 29:11, 14*

*I cry out to God Most High, to God, who fulfills his p\_\_\_\_\_ for me. Psalm 57:2*

#### Lessons On Purpose:

##### 1. D\_\_\_\_\_ ages do not disqualify you.

*Don't let anybody look down on you because you are y\_\_\_\_\_, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity. 1 Timothy 4:12*

*To the e\_\_\_\_\_ among you...be...examples to the flock. 1 Peter 5:1-3*

*And afterward, I will pour out my Spirit on all people, your sons and daughters will prophesy, your o\_\_\_\_\_ men will dream dreams, your y\_\_\_\_\_ men will see visions. Joel 2:28*

##### 2. D\_\_\_\_\_ family does not disqualify you.

Attributes of Joseph's family:

a) Jacob had 4 w\_\_\_\_\_ - at the same time... and only loved one! Genesis 37:2

b) Jacob demonstrated f\_\_\_\_\_ with his children. Genesis 37:3

In 2 Samuel 13:18 the same Hebrew phrase occurs as descriptive of the special garments worn by Tamar and other daughters of the king. It was a luxury which only those who did not have to work could think of having.

c) Jacob tolerated uncivil s\_\_\_\_\_ r\_\_\_\_\_. Genesis 37:4

##### 3. D\_\_\_\_\_ decisions do not disqualify you.

a) D\_\_\_\_\_ move Genesis 37:5

b) D\_\_\_\_\_ move Genesis 37:6-8

c) D\_\_\_\_\_ -\_\_\_\_\_ move Genesis 37:9

d) D\_\_\_\_\_ -er-\_\_\_\_\_ move Genesis 37:10, 11

The Hebrew word we translate "*rebuked him*" is ga'ar which literally means: to s\_\_\_\_\_ at.

##### 4. D\_\_\_\_\_ do not disqualify you.

*So Pharaoh said to Joseph, I hereby put you in charge of the whole land of Egypt. Genesis 41:41*

#### Application: What obstacle is keeping you from moving from dreaming it to doing it?

##### The Four Spiritual Laws:

Law #1: God l\_\_\_\_\_ you and has a wonderful p\_\_\_\_\_ for your life.

Law #2: People are s\_\_\_\_\_ and s\_\_\_\_\_ from God and therefore cannot experience God's love and plan.

Law #3: J\_\_\_\_\_ is God's only p\_\_\_\_\_ through whom we can experience God's love and plan for our life.

Law #4: We must individually r\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus as Savior.

*As many as r\_\_\_\_\_ Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name. John 1:12*