

**He knows the way
that I take.**

Job 23:10 NKJV

For the Parents:

Dear Parents,

In case you would like to do some study for yourselves; here is where this Bible story is found:

Gen. 29:18-30; 30:22-24; 37:1-3

My Bible Friends Bk 2

The Bible Story Vol 2. p.40-50

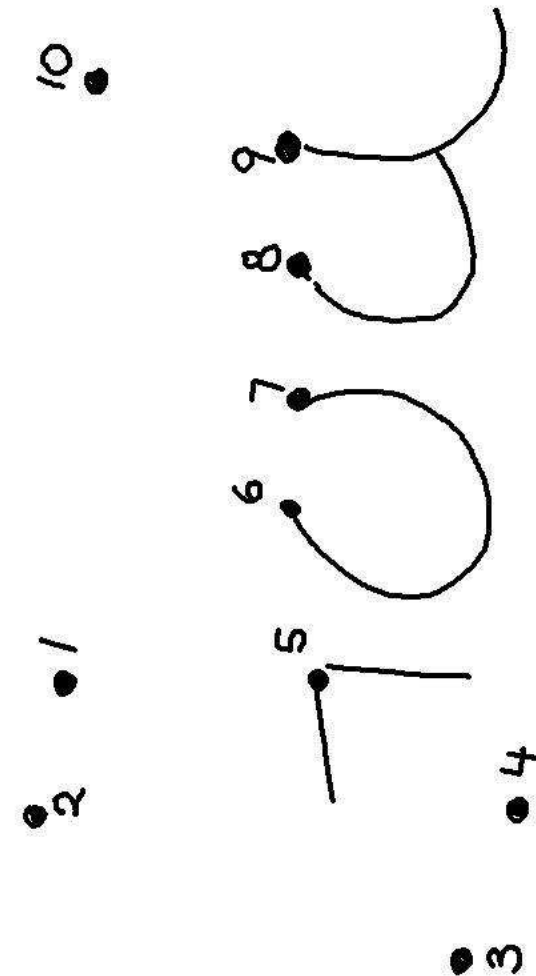
Patriarchs & Prophets p. 209, 213, 222

We need to teach our children that sometimes things happen to us and it looks like God is not watching over us, but He is, and in the long run God is working things out the best way for us. God made us with the power of choice. When bad things happen to us we need to remember that God is leading, and to trust in His leading. If we could see the end from the beginning we would know that God is leading us in the way that is best for our eternal salvation.

Joseph's Coat

Sabbath

Do you know who is watching you all the time?



Sunday

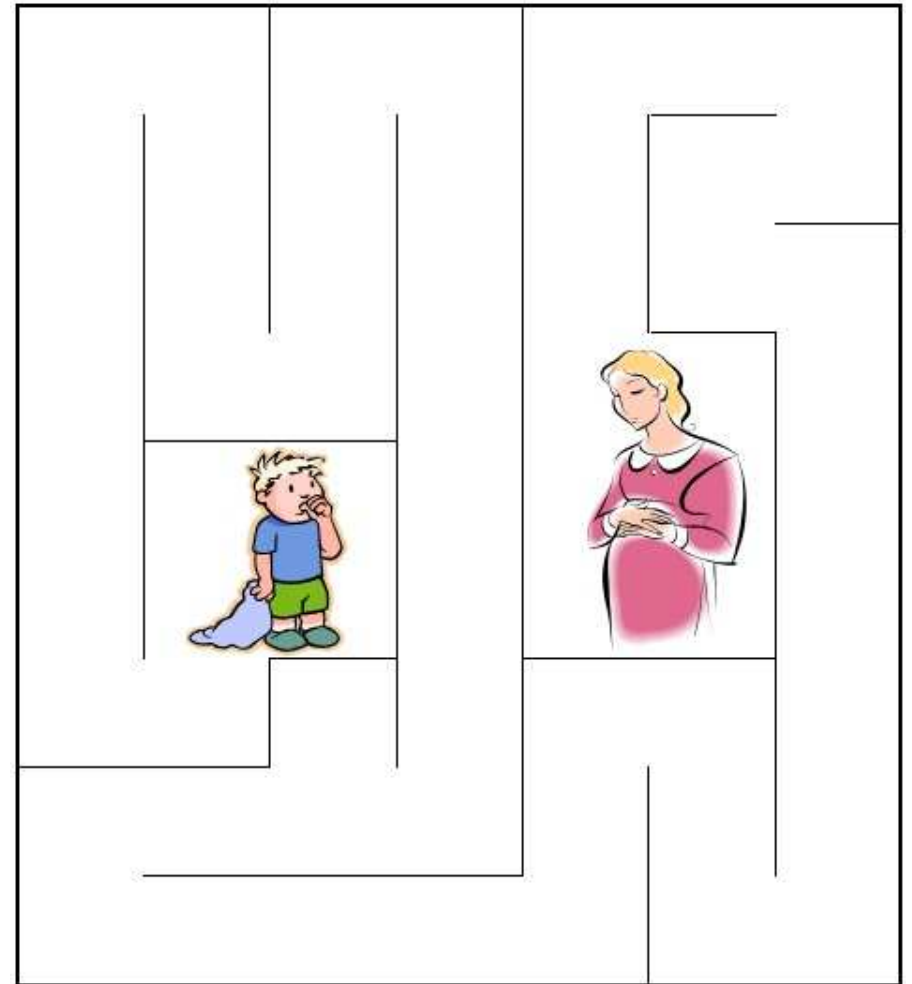
Jacob had lots of children. But his favourite was Joseph, and he made him a very special coat of many colours. One night Joseph dreamed his brother's sheaves of wheat bowed down while his sheaf of wheat stood up tall. When Joseph told his brothers the dream they were very jealous. And they did not like it that Joseph was their father's favourite son.

One day when his older brothers were away from home looking after the sheep, Jacob sent Joseph to see if they were alright. When the brothers saw Joseph coming they said, "Here comes that dreamer!" They wanted to kill him! But Reuben the oldest brother, said to put him in a hole in the ground instead. The brothers took off Joseph's special coat and then threw him into the deep hole.



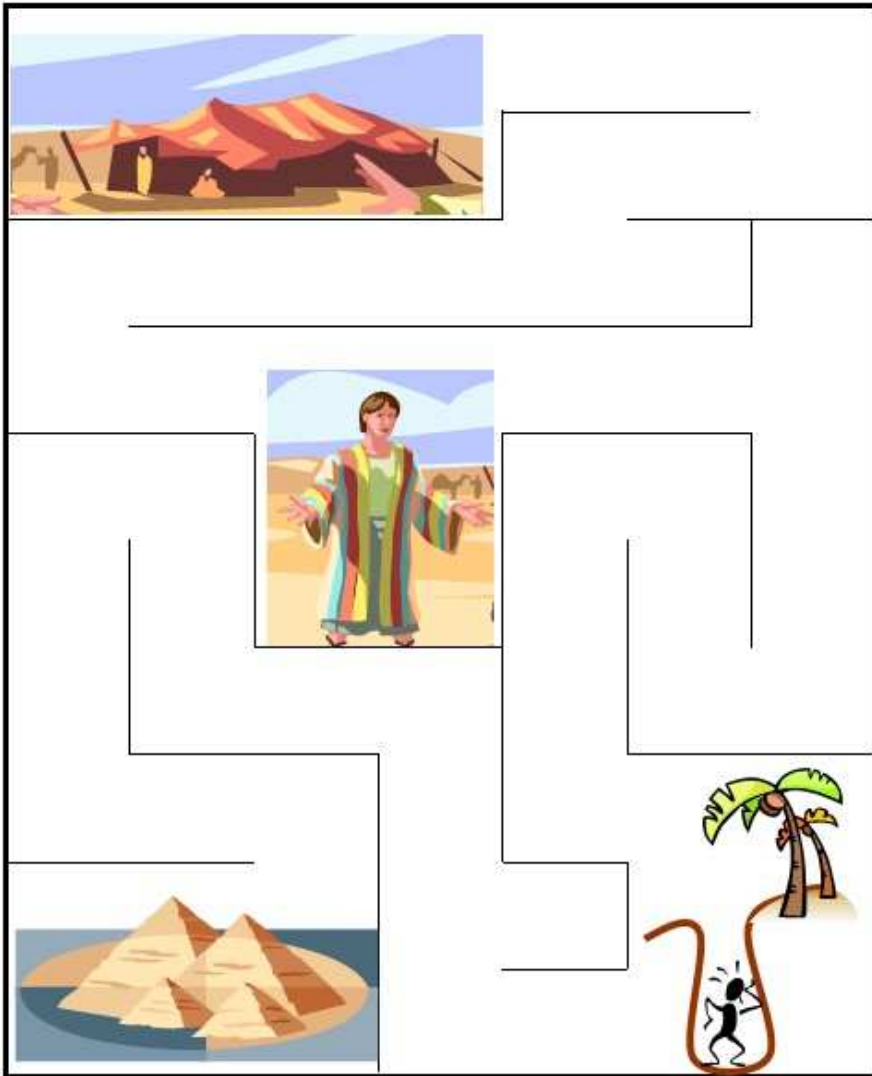
Friday

God was with Joseph and God is with you no matter what happens. Help this mother find her lost little boy.



Thursday

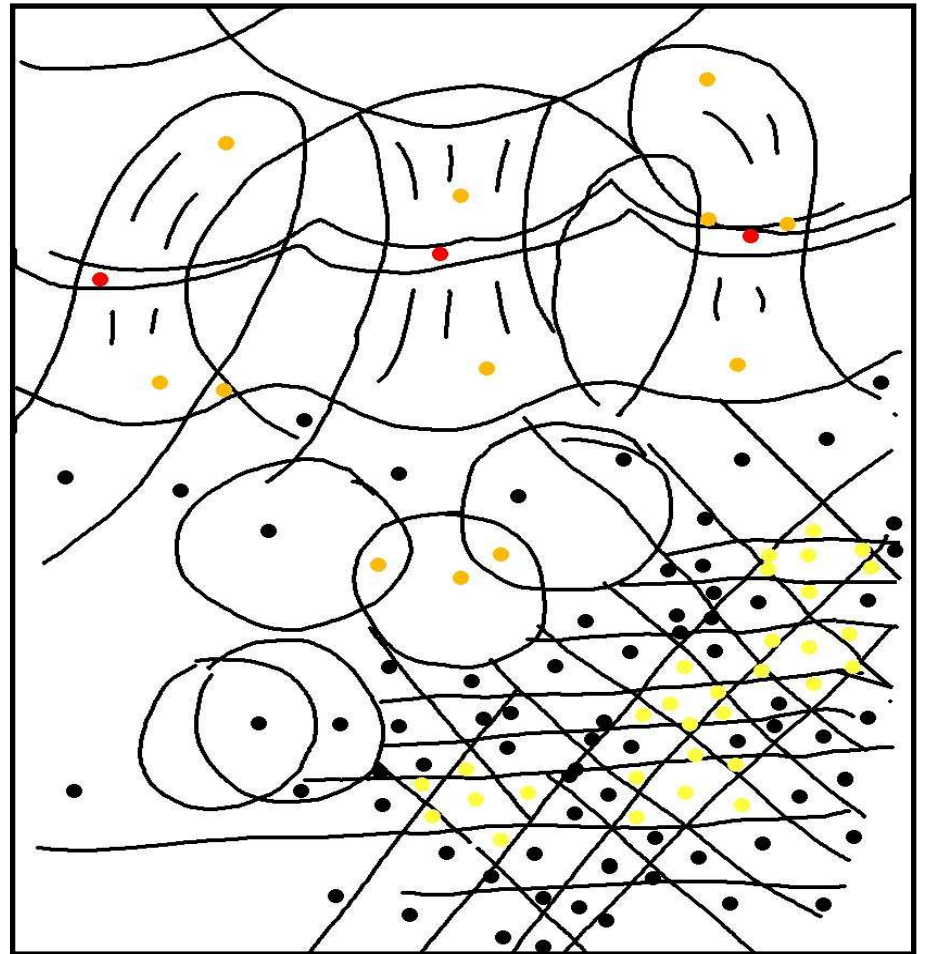
Joseph lived with his family. His father gave him a special coat. His brothers threw him in an old well, and then sold him to traders who took him to Egypt. Find a way though the maze to Egypt.



Monday

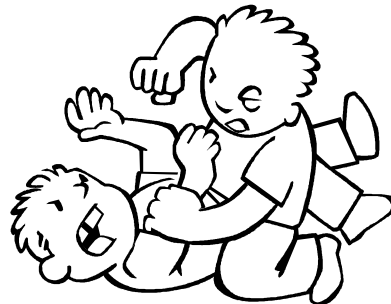
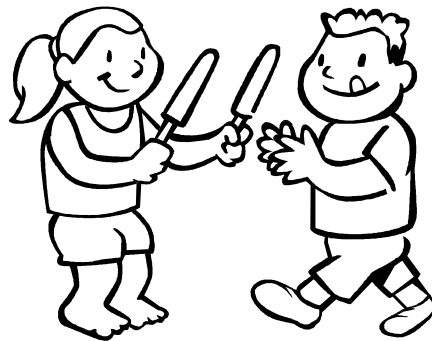
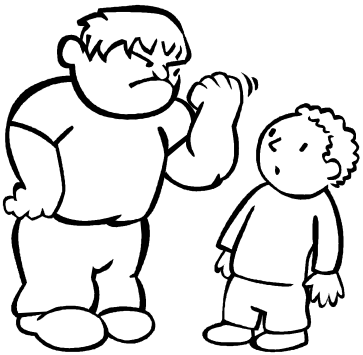
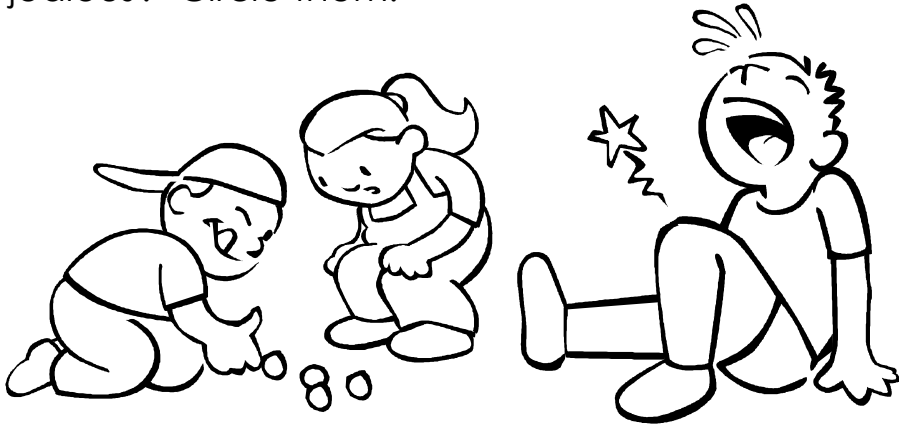
Joseph's brothers didn't like Joseph. Then their father gave Joseph a special gift which made the brothers jealous.

Colour the picture to find out what Joseph dreamed about.



Tuesday

Which children do you think might be angry or jealous? Circle them.



Wednesday

The brothers ignored Joseph's cries to please let him go. They ate their lunch and didn't share any with Joseph.

Some traders came past on their way to Egypt. One of the brothers suggested that they sell Joseph to the traders so that is just what they did.



Poor Joseph had his hands tied together and off he went with the traders. At first Joseph cried and cried. He wanted to go home to his father.

Then he stopped crying and said to himself, "I will trust in God. I will obey God and do what He wants me to do."

When they got to Egypt the traders sold Joseph to a man named Potiphar.