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What happened to Joseph?

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His brothers hated Joseph,
as he was full of pride.

When he had a special dream,
its meaning didn't hide.

In the dream the sun, the moon
and 12 stars in the sky

All bowed down to Joseph's star
shining way up high.



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To think they'd bow to Joseph
made his brothers mad.

Their attitude towards him
really was quite bad.

Joseph they disliked,
they viewed him with ill will

And when they had a chance,
they were planning him to kill.



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Instead they sold him as a slave
and to Egypt he was taken.

Their father thought that Joseph died
and he was really shaken.

Joseph knew that God would work
the bad things out for good.

So he kept his eyes on God
and acted as he should.



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In Egypt Joseph did what's right.

His master he did please.

But when he wouldn't sin

the master's wife he did displease.

Into prison he was thrown

and again life seemed unfair.

But God was with him in the jail

and showed his love and care.

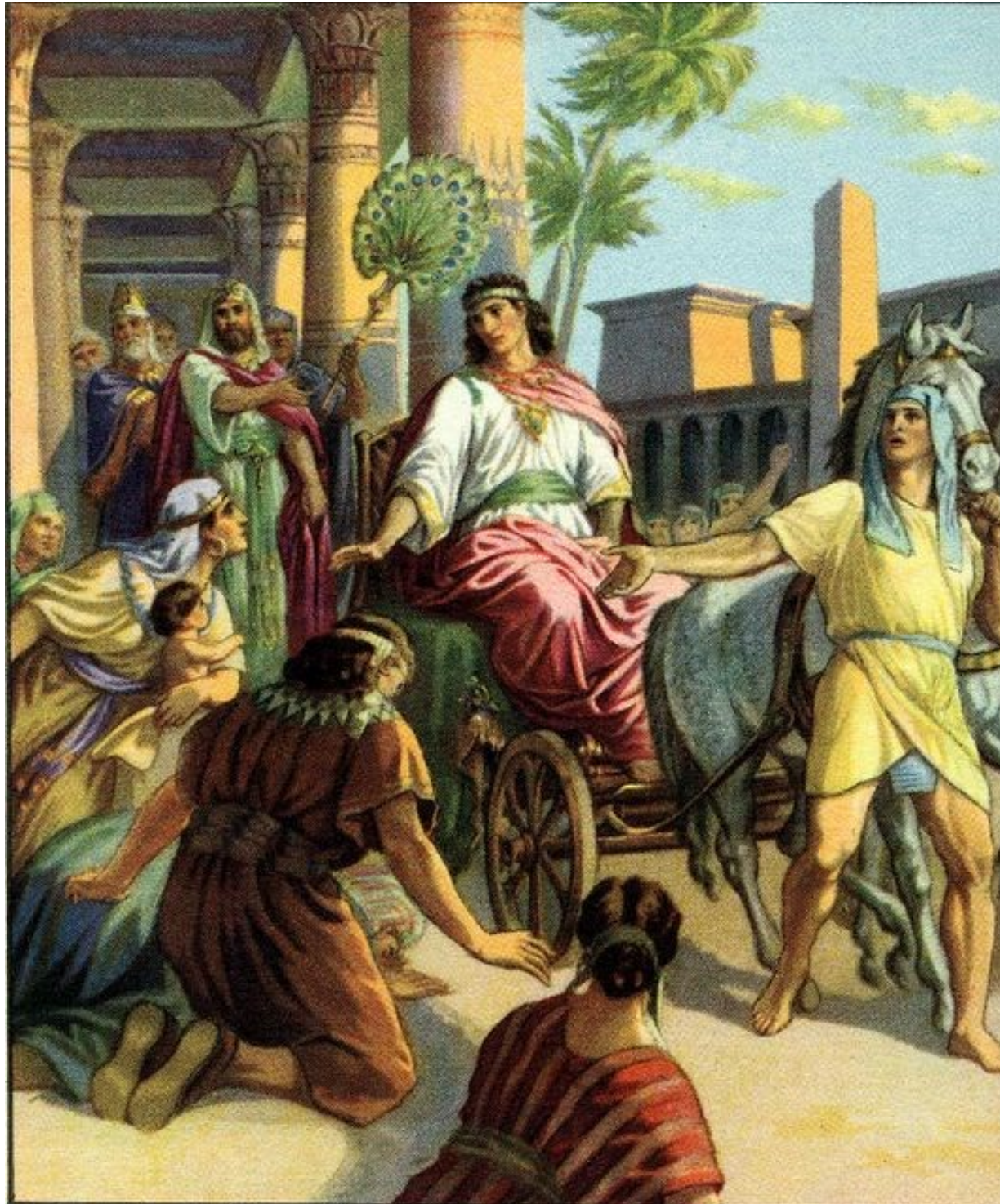


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By always doing what was right
though he was treated wrong,
Joseph by God's power
was able to stay strong.

God had plans for Joseph,
a ruler he would be.

His brothers would bow down to him,
to him they'd bend their knee.



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Of all his sons Jacob loved

Rachel's son the most.

The problem was that Joseph

to his brothers liked to boast.

Jacob showed to all the family

he loved Joseph best.

He gave to him a colored coat

he didn't give the rest.

What happened to Joseph?

J—J

Make sign of "J"

Joseph

Lift "J" up & look up to God

He was treated

Make sad face

Wrong

& thumbs down sign

J—J—Joseph

Same as above.

In God he did

Lift arms up above head

stay strong

Make fists up at side of body

