

We Will Get Through This

Group Discussion Questions

Week 6: Genesis 42:1-5

1. How do you feel about getting revenge on someone who has hurt you? Be honest and share with your group.
2. Joseph is confronted with the brothers who hurt him, and they do not recognize him. What kind of emotions is Joseph feeling? What did his response to them display?
3. Joseph is now in a position where he gets what he wants; he is second in command. Do you think Joseph needs to offer forgiveness to his brothers? Why or why not? Discuss with your group.
4. Have you struggled with forgiving someone for a hurt? Share with your group as you feel led.
5. Forgiveness is seldom easy; who benefits the most from forgiveness – the one who was hurt or the one who did the act?
6. What is God's perspective on revenge, forgiveness and justice? Discuss with your group.
7. What was something that was particularly meaningful to you from this week's sermon or from your discussion time.