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Your Waiting Isn't Wasted

Genesis 39:17 - 40:23 | Adam Bowers | 5/31/20

1. Joseph was treated unfairly but had done nothing wrong. Have you ever been falsely accused of something? Has anyone ever tried to bring some unrelated feature like your background, family, ethnicity, or career into an accusation against you?
2. Take a moment to think about the valleys you've been through in your life. What are some things God was teaching you in those difficult times that you are thankful for now?
3. Adam said that God has a discipleship plan and a leadership development plan for your life. Have you ever thought of yourself as a leader? In what ways has God developed you as a leader and how do you think he wants you to use your influence?
4. Joseph remained faithful to God and gave God the credit for what he did. Do you find that it is easy or awkward to reference God with your coworkers, friends, or neighbors? How can we point people to God without coming across as pushing our beliefs on other people?
5. **Read Romans 8:24-25**
We were given this hope when we were saved. (If we already have something, we don't need to hope for it. But if we look forward to something we don't yet have, we must wait patiently and confidently.)

If you're a follower of Jesus, what hope can you wait for patiently and confidently?

6. Adam said that, when you are trusting in God, your waiting isn't wasted. Are you experiencing a season of waiting right now? What do you think God may be teaching you at this time?
7. What is your biggest take away from this message and how will you respond to it?