

CHARGE Youth Discussion Questions Outline

GRADE
7-12

Date & Week

October 25, 2026 (Wk 4)

Bible Focus

Genesis 37:2-36

Theme Focus

The Invisible God

Discussion Questions

Main Point: God's sovereign purpose remains at work behind the scenes to direct history.

Warm-up questions

1. Do you have any favourites? (*Ice cream flavours...family members....sports teams....days of the week.....holiday destinations.....bands?*)

Read Genesis 37:2-36

2. What do we know about Joseph from vs 2?
3. It is well documented that Jacob considered Joseph to be his favourite son. What did Jacob give Joseph to show he was favoured?
4. What happened as a result of this gift? Locate the verses that describe the effect it had on Joseph's relationship with his brothers.
5. Joseph had two dreams. Was it wise of him to share these dreams? Suggest why/why not?
6. The brothers hatched a plan to get rid of Joseph. Why?

7. God appears to be silent up to this point in the story, but it doesn't mean he doesn't know what is going on. In what ways do we see God still at work?

Application

8. How can you trust that the invisible God is still faithfully at work?

Prayer

Sovereign God, when we cannot see what you are doing, help us to trust that you are present, active, and faithful to your good purposes for us in Christ. Amen

So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe—the ornate robe he was wearing and they took him and threw him into the cistern. Genesis 37:23-24