



The Son Who Saves

TEXT: Genesis 45-46

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- RSVP for Sunday Now - The RSVP for next Sunday's services at 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, and 11:00 AM are now open. Make sure to RSVP every week that you would like to attend a service. And don't forget that we have the K-2 room in the 11:00 AM service! The RSVP forms will close on Saturday at 2:00 PM. RSVP now at redeemerchurch.com/regathering
 - Easter 2021 - We are excited to celebrate Easter with you in just a few weeks. More information about that day can be found at RockyMountEaster.com. RSVPs for the 6:45, 8, 9:30, and 11 AM services are live today! Make sure to get the word out in person and on social media starting today!
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BIG IDEA: The son who saves secures our restoration.

Read Genesis 45:1-5

- Joseph paints a beautiful picture of how to forgive.
- Joseph does not diminish the evil his brothers did but he is willing to forgive them despite their actions.
- Genuine forgiveness does not minimize sin, it simply extends grace and withdraws condemnation in spite of sin.
- **What have you learned from the way Joseph treated his brothers despite what they did to him?**

Read Genesis 45:6-8

- Joseph is able to see the plan that God had in the works all along.
- Joseph tells his brothers, you are guilty for what you did but God's Providence purposed my pain for your salvation.
- **Do you see God working through the pain in your life? List an example of how that has happened or share why you don't feel that way.**

Read Genesis 45:16-20

- Because of Joseph, now all of his family is going to get a gift that they did not deserve.
- This is the same for us when we reflect upon the cross. We get what we don't deserve when we repent and believe the gospel. Jesus died in our place so we don't have to.
- **What is a specific area of your life that you need to repent and believe the gospel?**

Read Genesis 46:1-4

- Joseph and his family had one of the sweetest and hardest restorations imaginable.
- Restoration is hard. It is often terrifying but worth it.
- **What is something that needs to be restored in your life?**
- **What needs to happen for that restoration to happen?**