FAMILY DEVOTION

BATTLE ZONE: "Waiting On God"



"If I Wait On The Lord, I Will Find New Strength!"



"But those who wait on the LORD shall renew their strength...."

— Isaiah 40:31a (NKJV)

READ:

Genesis 40:23 - 41:46

DISCUSS:

- How long did Joseph have to wait in prison?
- Who mentioned Joseph's name to Pharaoh?
- What did Joseph do for Pharaoh?
- What did Joseph say was coming to Egypt?
- How did Pharaoh reward Joseph?

SAY:

Have you ever been on a trip and the car ran out of gas? What a bummer! When we run out of gas, we end up wasting a ton of time and energy by having to walk to the nearest gas station.

Sadly, many Christians do the same thing in their spiritual lives. Too often, we try to barrel down the highway of life while our spiritual fuel tank is on empty. If we would just stop and spend time in God's presence, we would be filled with new strength for the trip ahead.

Spending time with God and waiting on Him is not boring. It's an energizing experience! He will give us new strength to face the BATTLE ZONE ahead!

WORSHIP/PRAY:

Spend some time waiting on God. Play some slow worship music. Have your kids practice slowing down and waiting on God. Have them pray for God to give them the "new strength" they need to face the BATTLE ZONE at home, at school, and in their lives.