Lesson 4: Defeating Temptation

Gen. 39:1-23 *Dreamer*

1. Why do you think temptation often comes when life seems to be going well, as it did for Joseph?

2. Why is it so easy to justify "small" sins while condemning "big" sins?

3. How does our culture redefine or minimize sins? What are some examples?

4. What impresses you most about Joseph's response to Potiphar's wife?

5. Joseph didn't simply resist temptation—he ran from it. What are some situations where the wisest response is simply to walk away?

6. Joseph viewed temptation as a sin against God before he viewed it as a sin against Potiphar. How does remembering that we sin against God change our perspective?

7. If a younger Christian asked you, "What is the single best advice you can give me about resisting temptation?" what would you tell them?

8. How did this lesson speak to you and what action step will it lead you to take? *("Because of what I learned, I will…")*

9. Share one thing God spoke to you about during your daily devotional time this past week.

GROUP PRAYER TIME (Take any prayer requests)

- Pray for the prayer requests given.
- Whatever the Lord spoke to you about in this lesson, turn that into a prayer back to God. Is there something you need to ***correct***, ***confess***, or ***continue*** doing…tell Him about it.