

FBC Groups Ministry Discussion Guide

From the Joseph in the Waiting Sermon Series

Our Text for the Week of 8.30: Genesis 46

God's Ongoing Promise

The life of Joseph is one of many fascinating stories in the book of Genesis, beginning in chapter 37 with Joseph, his 11 brothers and their father Jacob. Joseph's words of hope and grace in chapter 45, set in motion a major road trip with Jacob moving his entire family from Canaan to Egypt. Along the way, God repeats a familiar promise spoken previously to Abraham and Isaac. What is the big deal about this promise and what does it mean for our lives today? Read Genesis 46...

As we live in the light of God's ongoing promise:

We must remain flexible

We must remain teachable

We must remain insatiable

Questions for Group Discussion:

1. What does God's promise mean to you?
2. Do you have a hard time with change?
3. What does it mean to be flexible and yet faithful to God?
4. Have you ever moved to an unfamiliar place?
5. If there were one new thing you would like to learn, what would it be?
6. Do you have a desire to reach new people for God?
7. Do you have a personal place to spend time with God?
8. Do you have an ongoing desire to learn from God's Word?

Final Thoughts and Closing Prayer:

What will I do to be more aware of God with me this week?

How will I live differently because of this study?

Notes & Reflections: