## "You Get to Choose" Seize the Opportunity Part 4

The One variable that you have an opportunity to make a difference; is how you will RESPOND

"Joseph's master took him and put him in prison, the place where the king's prisoners were confined. But while Joseph was there in the prison, the Lord was with him he showed him kindness and granted him favor in the eyes of the prison warden." Genesis 39:20

"The captain of the guard assigned them to Joseph, and he attended them. After they had been in custody for some time."....Why do you look so sad today?"

Genesis 40:4 & 7

"Then Joseph said to them, Do not interpretations belong to God? Tell me your dreams."

Genesis 40:8b

"Within three days Pharaoh will lift up your head and restore you to your position, and you will put Pharaoh's cup in his hand just as you used to do when you were his cupbearer."

Genesis 40: 13

"Remember me to Pharaoh and get me out of this prison."

Genesis 40:14

"Within three days Pharaoh will lift off your head and impale your body on a pole and......

Genesis 40:19

"The chief cupbearer, however, did not remember Joseph; he forgot him."

Genesis 40:23

"So Pharaoh sent for Joseph, and he was quickly brought from the dungeon. When he had shaved and changed his cloths, he came before Pharaoh." "Pharaoh said to Joseph, "I had a dream, and no one can interpret it. But I have heard it said of you that when you hear a dream you can interpret it." Genesis 41:14-15

"I cannot do it." "Joseph replied to Pharaoh, "but God will give Pharaoh the answer he desires." Genesis 41:16

"The plan seemed good to Pharaoh and to all his officials. So Pharaoh asked them, can we find anyone like this man, one in whom is the spirit of God?" Then Pharaoh said to Joseph, "Since God has made all this known to you, there is no one so discerning and wise as you. You shall be in charge of my palace, and all my people are to submit to your orders. Only with the respect to the throne will I be greater than you." Genesis 41:37

"When Jacob learned that there was grain in Egypt, he said to his sons, "Why do you just keep looking at each other?" He continued, "I have heard that there is grain in Egypt. Go down there and buy some for us so that we may live and not die." **Genesis 42:1** 

"Now Joseph was the governor of the land, the person who sold grain to all its people. So when Joseph's brothers arrived, they bowed down to him with their faces to the ground. As soon as Joseph saw his brothers, he recognized them, but pretended to be a stranger." Genesis 42:6-7

"Joseph said to his brothers, "I am Joseph! Is my father still living?" But his brothers were not able to answer him, because they were terrified at his presence." Genesis 45:3

Then Joseph said to his brothers, "Come close to me." When they had done so, he said, "I am your brother Joseph, the one you sold into Egypt! And now, do not be distressed and do not be angry with yourselves for selling me here because it was to save the lives that God sent me ahead a few." Genesis 45:4

"Do not be afraid. Am I in the place of God? You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives." Genesis 50 19 – 20