

# All Things Made New



## Parents' Page

### Lesson 12

## Joseph's Family Moves to Egypt

### Your child should understand...

Love and obedience—Caring for family members

### Your child should be able to...

1. Tell what Pharaoh did for Joseph's family when they came to Egypt.
2. Tell that more than seventy people in Joseph's family came to Egypt from Canaan.
3. Tell how old Jacob was when he came to Egypt.
4. Tell how Jacob felt about seeing Joseph again.
5. Tell about Jacob's request to be buried in Canaan.

### Your child should be memorizing...

Genesis 50:19-20

"But Joseph said to them, 'Don't be afraid...You planned to harm me. But God planned it for good...He wanted to save many lives.'"

### Please help your child read...

Day 1	Genesis 45:16-24, 28
Day 2	Genesis 46:1-7, 27
Day 3	Genesis 46:28-34
Day 4	Genesis 47:1-12
Day 5	Genesis 47:13-21, 25-31

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Pharaoh, the king of Egypt, told Joseph to bring his family to live in Egypt. Pharaoh said that he would give them Goshen, which was the best land in Egypt. Pharaoh gave the brothers money and new clothes for them and for their father Jacob.

**What did Pharaoh do for Joseph's family?**

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The brothers told Jacob, "Joseph is still alive! He is ruler of the whole land of Egypt." But Jacob was so surprised that he didn't believe them. When they told him everything Joseph had said to them and how Joseph had forgiven them, Jacob finally believed them.

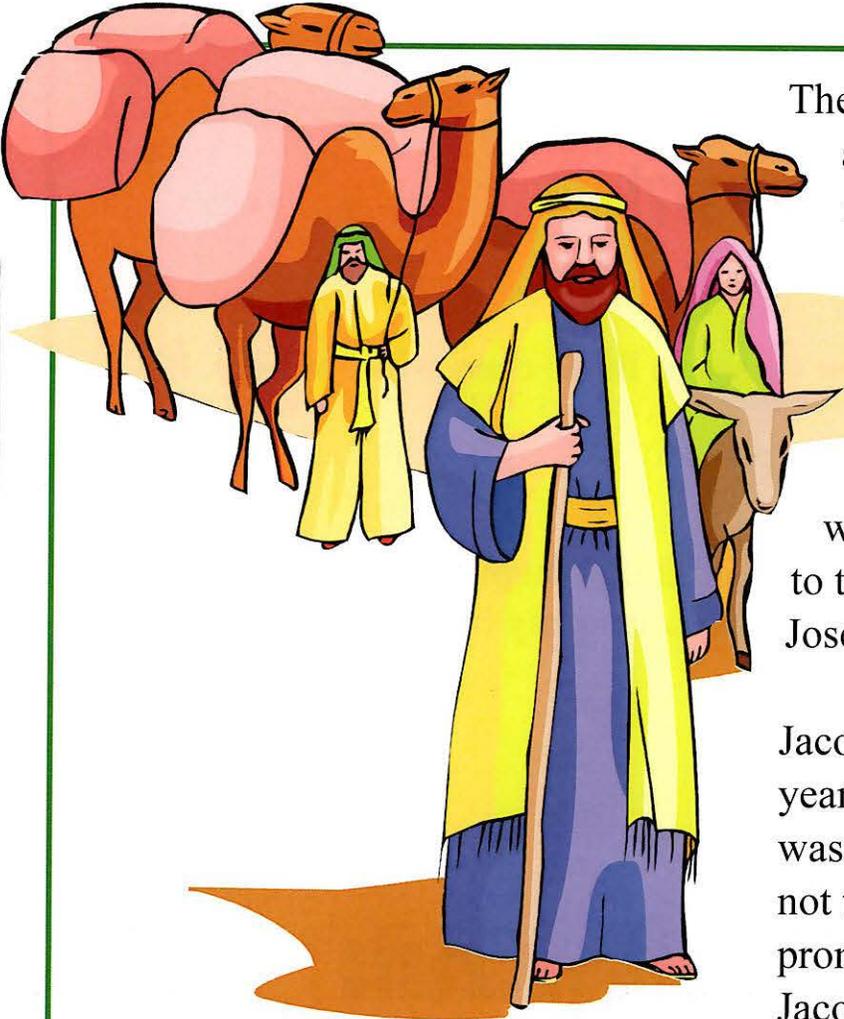


God said, "Jacob, Jacob! Do not be afraid to go down to Egypt. I will go down to Egypt with you." So Jacob obeyed God and moved from Canaan to Egypt. More than seventy people in Jacob's family moved to Egypt. Jacob was 130 years old, and he was so happy to get to Egypt and see that his son Joseph truly was still alive!

**About how many people in Jacob's family moved to Egypt? \_\_\_\_\_**

**How old was Jacob when he and his family went to Egypt? \_\_\_\_\_**

**How did Jacob feel when he saw Joseph again? \_\_\_\_\_**



The famine was really bad in all of Egypt, but Joseph had food for his brothers and their families. At one time, his brothers hadn't treated him kindly, but Joseph still loved them. He forgave them, and was happy to be with them again. God wants us to treat our families kindly, just as Joseph treated his family!

Jacob lived in Egypt for seventeen years before he died. When Jacob was about to die, he asked Joseph not to bury him in Egypt. Joseph promised that he would take Jacob's body back to Canaan and bury him there.

Once again, God had kept His promises to His people. God took care of Joseph while he was away from his family. Even in a time of famine, God made a way for Jacob's family to have food. And then, God made sure Jacob's family was all together in Egypt.

**Circle one.**  
**Jacob asked Joseph to bury him in...**  
**Egypt.                      Canaan.                      California.**

The Lord works in ways that are sometimes hard for us to understand, but He always keeps His promises. He wants us to be His people and has given us a way to be saved if we believe in His Son Jesus and obey Him.

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### Memory Verses:

Get ready to say your memory verses in Bible class without help. It's time!

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## Brush Up on Bible Facts

What are the books of **1 and 2 Samuel** about? (Kings and prophets for Israel; Saul and David as Israel's kings)

Look out a **window**, and say the **twelve sons of Jacob**. (Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah, Issachar, Zebulun, Dan, Naphtali, Gad, Asher, Joseph, Benjamin)

On your **Bible map**, let your **pointer finger** “wander” around in the **Wilderness**. Then point to **Mount Nebo** and the city of **Jericho**.