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A New Life Church podcast with Dr. Brian Jenkins

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Summary
In this Theology Threads episode, Dr. Brian continues his series on Joseph, picking up in Genesis 41 after two more years of Joseph being forgotten in prison by the cupbearer. When Pharaoh is troubled by his dream of the plump and thin cows and grain, Joseph is finally brought out of the "pit" and gives God the credit ("It's not in me") instead of promoting himself. Dr. Brian argues that God's timing aligns Joseph's promise with Pharaoh's need, and that Joseph's faithful character prepared him for the moment. He closes by asking viewers what they'll do when their own moment comes: stay bitter, or humbly trust, serve, and obey.

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Reflection Questions

Have you had times when hopes and dreams you felt were inspired by God were met with disappointment? And that faith worked for everyone else but you?

After disappointment did you allow yourself to have faith and trust in God again? If so, what has that journey been like?

What does the phrase "trust and obey" in light of this episode mean to you?