Preschool · Easy

Joseph in Prison Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · Genesis 40:1–23

Name: _____ Date: _____

Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. Joseph was in the (**prison** / **palace**).
2. The butler and the baker looked (**sad** / **happy**).
3. Joseph said dreams belong to (**God** / **kings**).
4. The butler dreamed of a (**vine** / **boat**).
5. The butler gave the cup into (**Pharaoh's** / **Joseph's**) hand.

Circle the number

6. How many men dreamed a dream in the prison? **1** / **2** / **3**
7. How many branches were in the vine? **3** / **5** / **8**

Trace the verse

Use a pencil to write over the gray letters. Then write the words again on the line below.

Do not interpretations belong to God

Genesis 40:8 (KJV) · interpretations = what dreams mean

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Answer key

Circle the right word

1. Into the **prison**, the place where Joseph was bound. *(Genesis 40:3)*
2. Joseph looked upon them, and, behold, they were **sad**. *(Genesis 40:6)*
3. "Do not interpretations belong to **God**?" *(Genesis 40:8)*
4. "In my dream, behold, a **vine** was before me." *(Genesis 40:9)*
5. He gave the cup into **Pharaoh's** hand. *(Genesis 40:21)*

Circle the number

6. **2.** "They dreamed a dream both of them": the butler and the baker. *(Genesis 40:5)*
7. **3.** "In the vine were three branches." *(Genesis 40:10)*

Trace the verse

"Do not interpretations belong to God" is part of Genesis 40:8 (KJV). The whole verse is: "And they said unto him, We have dreamed a dream, and there is no interpreter of it. And Joseph said unto them, Do not interpretations belong to God? tell me them, I pray you."

For the teacher

Time: about 10 minutes · **Ages:** 4–6 (preschool and kindergarten)

- **Read it out loud:** read each sentence and both choices, then let kids circle the answer. Kids who can't write yet can point while you circle.
- **Tracing:** kids trace the gray letters with a pencil or crayon, then copy the words on the line. Younger kids can just trace.
- **Talk about it:** Joseph said that God knows what dreams mean (Genesis 40:8). Ask: *Who helps you do good things?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Joseph in Prison Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/joseph-in-prison-lesson.

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