

## **Scripture Reading: Genesis 40:1-22**

### **Marvelous God Who Was Revealed In the Prison**

The Lord God was with Joseph even in the prison. He was exalted to be the prison-in-charge. Two servants of Pharaoh, the king of Egypt were also imprisoned with Joseph. One fine morning, Joseph observed that both these servants were bothered about something. He went and spoke to them trying to help them out. They said that they were confused over the dream they both had the previous night. Joseph consoled them and assured that God will reveal the interpretation of the dream. That is when Joseph realized the gift that God had laid over his life. He told them what God revealed and his words accurately came to pass in their lives.

#### **Question:**

What can we learn from this incident? God has often helped Joseph...!

#### **Answer:**

Until now, God had protected, helped, exalted and blessed Joseph. It was through this incident that God for the first time used Joseph to bless others. When we keenly observe the time in which God used him, the secrets of God's blessings will be revealed. He never lamented or murmured for being in the prison without committing any crime; rather he praised God in that place. He not just praised God, he also prayed for the wellness of those under his care in the prison. In such a time, the gift of God started operating in him. Dear brother/sister, in the midst of your problems if you would not just pray for yourself but rather pray for those around you in trouble, God will use you like Joseph.

"For the eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to show Himself strong on behalf of those whose heart is loyal to Him".2 Chronicles 16:9

#### **Prayer**

Loving heavenly father, I thank You for You are able to deliver me; be it the pit or the prison. Amen