Lesson Plan

**900 Bible: Lesson 902.12**

**Objectives:** Students will be able to…

1. Explain the purpose and plan God had for Joseph in preserving the family line and also Egypt from starvation.
2. Recognize how Joseph’s life parallels to the life of Jesus.
3. Know the Joseph triumphed because of his unwavering faith empowered him to right responses and actions.

**Materials:**

**Preparation:**

Lesson Outline

**Bible Memory:** students stand and verbally recite with teacher leading

**Hook/Introduction:** point of contact pg. 48-49 of teacher text.

what comes to mind when thinking of Joseph? Integrity, led by God

**Content:**

* Big picture of Josephs life. How God worked in the situation.
	+ Favored by his father (coat)
	+ Father rebuked his dreams
	+ Reuben inspired to save life of Joseph but Joseph is sold before he can rescue him
	+ God was with Joseph and prospered him in all that he did. 39:3
	+ Joseph is a man of integrity (daily withstood Potiphar’s wife)
	+ Thrown in jail and was highly respected and trusted
	+ Interprets dreams but forgotten by Pharaoh
	+ Interprets famine dream and promoted to 2nd in kingdom
	+ Read Genesis 42 and 45:1-13 and Romans 8:28
* What was the purpose of all happened to Joseph?
	+ Preserve life
* But why did God have Israelites come to Egypt?
* Do exercise 8 if time allows

**Assignment:** pgs. 45-48

**Closure:** next lesson is Tribe of the Promised