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# Lessons from Joseph

One of the ways God shaped my life was by showing me that I didn't have to go out and experience everything on my own. I could gain wisdom and understanding from other people's mistakes. The Bible does not present a whitewashed version of the people it describes, which is one of the many wonderful things about it. Both the good and the bad are laid out so that we can gain insight from the experiences of others.

## Learn by Example

Through Scripture, I've learned from both the trials and the triumphs of others, like when Moses killed a man thinking he was doing God's will, or when he got angry and smote the rock and was kept out of the Promised Land because of it. Elijah called fire down from heaven and other great things but got so caught up in pride later on that he ran from Jezebel, asked God to kill him, and lost his ministry to Elisha. King David was a man after God's own heart, and Scripture shows many positive things about him. But it also shows us his failures, like when he committed adultery and then murder to try covering it up.

The reason I never went into rebellion is because I studied the Word of God from the time I was a child, and it warned me about things. Everything in the Old Testament was written for our benefit so that we could learn what to do and what not to do.

*Now these things were our examples, to the intent we should not lust after evil things, as they also lusted. Neither be ye idolaters, as were some of them; as it is written, The people*

*sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to play. Neither let us commit fornication, as some of them committed, and fell in one day three and twenty thousand. Neither let us tempt Christ, as some of them also tempted, and were destroyed of serpents. Neither murmur ye, as some of them also murmured, and were destroyed of the destroyer. **Now all these things happened unto them for examples: and they are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come.***

1 Corinthians 10:6–11, emphasis mine

Before I really get into Joseph's life, it's important to understand his background. Joseph was the eleventh of Jacob's twelve sons and the first offspring of Rachel (Gen. 30:22–24). He was also the favorite child of his father and was hated by his older brothers for that reason.

## The Importance of Dreams

When Joseph was seventeen years old, he had two similar but separate dreams (Gen. 37:5–9). The fact that God gave Joseph two dreams is really important. When God gives someone two dreams that are alike in nature, it means the thing is established and can't be changed (Gen. 41:32). *It will happen.*

You know, God spoke to people all throughout the Bible, including the pharaoh in Joseph's



story; Daniel the prophet; and Joseph, Mary's betrothed husband, before Jesus was born. It's important to know that God still speaks to people through dreams, and when He does, it is always significant. I'm not saying that every dream is from God. But God does speak through dreams.

**One of the lessons we can learn from Joseph is that before God sends you on a journey, He will reveal something to you about that journey and prepare you for the obstacles that you're going to face along the way.**

The dreams Joseph had were very, very important, and they helped shape his life. Of course, God never reveals every detail. If He did, most people would run the other way. Did you know God had a plan for your life while you were still in your mother's womb? God has a plan for every single one of us. And in order for us to fulfill that plan, we need to have some understanding about what God has for us.

That's what God did with Joseph. He gave him a vision of what his future would entail, and it became a guiding force in his life. He didn't know all the details or how he would get there, but God put the dream in his heart. And I believe this is what God wants to do for everyone.

### **God's Vision for You Is Better Than You Think**

People who are driven by a vision are the ones who change the course of the world. God's vision for you isn't to just survive, occupy space, and then die and be gone. No! His plan is more wonderful than anything you could ever imagine.

**If you don't get up in the morning with some degree of excitement about the Lord and where your life is going, then I guarantee you, you're missing out on what life is really about.**

I can't overstate the importance of having a dream from the Lord. Whether it's while you're sleeping or when your eyes are open—open your heart to God's vision for you—and then start moving in that direction. It'll help you avoid many problems along the way.

I've only been able to give you a tiny glimpse of what you can learn from Joseph, but there is so much more. I encourage you to get my full

teaching. We have teachings of Lessons from Joseph, Lessons from Elijah, and Lessons from David in a cross-section of products of DVD, MP3 and books. You can order with Jumia online for the books, OR visit our Bookstore on Buganda Road next to Watoto Church, Park Royal Mall building on the 5th & 6th Floor, OR CALL US ON Tel. **+256 200 330000**

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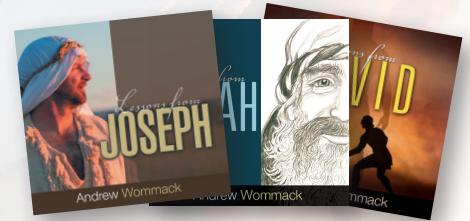
*Andrew and Jamie*

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Do you have a clear vision for your life? God still speaks to people through dreams and other means, and He wants to lead you in a very specific direction if you'll let Him. The importance of understanding God's purpose for your life is just one of the many life lessons you'll learn in these powerful teachings. Spare yourself the pain of learning things the hard way by arming yourself with the life-changing Lessons package.



## Partner's Testimony Good Soil For Sowing!

Praise The Name of our Lord Jesus Christ. I am Pastor Ssimbwa Godfrey of Rhema Word International Ministries. I thank The Lord who has changed my life spiritually and physically through Andrew Wommack Ministries resources, materials, teachings, and Partnership. I came to know about Andrew Wommack way back in 2006 on TBN Broadcast, but by then I never paid attention or gave my mind to whatever he taught because it was of no value to me and yet I was a preacher of The Word.

However, in 2016, The Lord called me to a teaching ministry, but I did not have a mentor. During this time, the Holy Spirit led me to Andrew who was teaching on Spirit Fm at 9.00am. Then one Monday morning in June after listening to Andrew's teaching, I came to Park Royal Mall and here I am today.

From 2016 to 2019, I have been reading many of Andrew's materials and these have greatly transformed my life. In 2022 October 12th I found it necessary to partner with Andrew in the ministry's vision to reach many other souls in the Body of Christ which were perishing for lack of knowledge. Truthfully as a minister, I was struggling financially, nonetheless I started with a seed of Five Thousand Uganda Shillings only (Ush5,000/-) which I was to give monthly. I felt that I needed to do this for another Godfrey out there

so they may also get to know this Good News. To my surprise, The Lord blessed me with Two Hundred US Dollars (US\$200/-). Seeing US\$200/- was a miracle to me so I decided the following month to give Ten Thousand Uganda Shillings Only (Ush10,000/-). Once more The Lord surprised me with Five Hundred US Dollars (US\$500/-).

Hey, I didn't need to go to America to reap dollars! No! Here I am in Uganda sowing Uganda shillings and reaping in Dollars ... Praise the Lord. And ever since I decided to increase my Partnership, in just a few months, I have seen more of God's provision spiritually and financially. Thank you, Andrew Wommack, for yielding to The Holy Spirit and now we are the beneficiaries of your obedience. We are imitating you as you imitate Christ.

All the glory to God.  
AMEN.

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# Developing Better Relationships

At the beginning of time, God said it was not good for us to be alone (Gen. 2:18), so He gave us relationships. Having community with other people is almost as important as having communion with God. A healthy relationship reflects the kind of connection God wants to have with each of us. Many people don't understand the principles that govern successful relationships because they are rarely talked about in the light of God's Word.

As a result, many people find themselves trapped in a cycle of heartache and disappointment. Others look to society and their peers to define what is acceptable. In the absence of truth, the lies of the enemy abound. Divorce rates are high even among Christians, and many suffer loneliness.

God created relationships for our enjoyment. Whether you are single, married, or divorced, He wants you to know His perfect plan for you! That's why Charis Bible College began *Charis Relationship University—Live on Campus* (otherwise known as *Relationship LIVE*): a weekly live stream dedicated to presenting practical truths about godly relationships.

Created with the Father's heart of love at the center, *Relationship LIVE* helps people avoid relationship turmoil while also bringing healing and restoration. Experienced Charis instructors share God's perspective on relevant and challenging issues most people avoid. Andrew Wommack, Mike and Carrie Pickett, Greg Mohr, Rick and Joann McFarland, Barry Bennett, Daniel Amstutz, and others shed light on what healthy, godly relationships look like by exploring timeless biblical truths.

I downloaded this message to my phone. It's one of those messages I'll remember forever. Thank God for the years and tears of experience some instructors have been through and how they so freely pour out on us! I'm blessed to have encountered this place.

— M.V.

Thank you, friends and partners, for helping us live-stream this free resource all over the globe. You are equipping spouses, families, and friends around the world to have good relationships that reflect God's true love. Children are also being impacted! As parents learn and reflect godly virtues in their relationships, children have a healthy example to follow and develop wholesome community with their peers.

You can watch the weekly live stream on Mondays at 1 p.m. MT or watch previous sessions in the live stream archives at [CharisBibleCollege.org/live](https://www.charisbiblecollege.org/live). To participate, you can text your questions anonymously to **719-212-2555**, and you may even receive live answers. Tune in to receive revelation that will take your relationships to the next level!

If you're not already a partner and would like to join us in taking the Gospel as far and as deep as possible, visit [awmuganda.net](https://awmuganda.net) and become a Grace Partner today!

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# Facing Resistance



**Daniel Bennett**  
Executive Director  
of Academics, Charis  
Woodland Park

Daniel Bennett grew up on the mission field and has loved ministry ever since.

He has served in the Air Force, been a missionary in Nicaragua and Russia, and worked at multiple Charis Bible College campuses. He graduated from Charis in 2009 and from the University of Colorado Springs in 2012. Daniel currently serves as executive director of Academics at Charis Woodland Park. He and his wife, Ashley, enjoy being a part of a ministry that's changing lives around the world.

Imagine yourself at the top of a hill, garden hose in hand, pouring water down the hillside. Where is all that water going to go? Because of gravity, it will always take the path of least resistance. If there's a tree in its way, the water will always flow around it. The water makes no decisions.

God hasn't called us to live like that. Now imagine a tank driving down a hill. Where does the tank go? Wherever it wants. If there's a tree in its way, it can go around or plow right through the tree. Like the tank, **we have the ability to choose our own destiny.**

Matthew 14 describes Jesus calming a storm and walking on water. The interesting thing is that Jesus didn't calm the storm for Himself. He calmed it for His disciples. The storm is symbolic of the external forces trying to push us in a certain direction. The storm didn't bother Jesus. It wasn't going to change His destination.

**God doesn't want the storms in life to determine our destiny either.** God's desire for us is to be overcomers. The key to this is to have more resistance inside of us than there is on the outside. The obstacles don't disappear, but it becomes easier for us to overcome them than to deny who we are in Christ.

**We are called to reject being conformed to this world and instead be transformed by the renewing of our mind to the truth (Rom. 12:2).** Some interpret Matthew 14 to mean we should call out to Jesus every time there's a storm. However, I believe God's best is for believers to be like Jesus. Why could Jesus walk on water? What was *inside* of Him was stronger than the storm.

Every person that God foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son (Rom. 8:29). **If you've been born again, you have been predestined to be conformed to the image of Jesus. You can resist what the world says.**

First John 5:4 says, "*Whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith*" (NKJV). Are you born of God? Then you're an overcomer. **As promised in Isaiah 26:3, you can be at peace no matter what's happening around you if you keep your mind stayed on God.**

You can choose to be who God created you to be no matter what obstacle crosses your path because there's resistance *within* you that is greater than any resistance you'll face in this world!





# There's a Charis near You!

Have you had a desire on your heart to go to Charis, but the thought of uprooting your life to relocate seems too difficult? We've got good news! We have Charis Bible College locations throughout the United States and around the world.

## **Charis—one school, many locations.**

— Carrie Pickett, vice president of Charis Bible College

There are currently **twenty-one Charis locations in the United States** and **thirty international campuses**. Deanne Gissel, director of Stateside Operations, graduated from Charis Phoenix. Given the demands of her husband's career and their family life, she would not have been able to attend Charis without the school's convenient Arizona location—one of many such locations around the United States.

Carigan T. has a similar testimony. She says,

I knew God was calling me to Charis, but I wasn't ready to move across the country to the main campus [in

Woodland Park]. Through [attending] Charis Little Rock, I was able to grow in my relationship with God and my faith to be able to attend the main campus for Third-Year [Film and Production School].

We hear so many testimonies like this from people all over the United States and around the world—people living real lives, juggling work, children, house maintenance, and everything else. One such woman is Melanie H. who completed the hybrid part-time option at Charis Orlando while homeschooling her six kids. Melanie says, "I would recommend looking at the different options because it's the same Holy Spirit, the same classes, and you're not missing out. . . . If you're really wanting to come to Charis, don't ever think it's too late."

At Charis you're getting the same DNA and heart no matter which campus you attend—whether a U.S. location or an international campus. Each Charis campus director is a graduate of Charis Bible College and has undergone a fourth year of intense training to ensure that all campuses have unified goals and vision. Deanne

Gissel says, "It's the same sound doctrine and curriculum whether you go to Phoenix, Arizona, or Nice, France. The key is to go where God directs you to be."

Charis provides a number of attendance options. In addition to traditional on-campus study at one of our domestic, international, or Woodland Park, Colorado, campus locations, Charis also offers convenient online and hybrid programs.

Is God calling you to a deeper relationship with Him? Are you ready to uncover the purpose He has for your life? Charis Bible College is committed to helping you grow in your walk with the Lord and in discovering your God-given purpose. It's a place for all those seeking the truth.

God has so much for you—it's time to discover it! To learn more about all the ways you can attend Charis or to find a Charis campus near you, go to **[www.charisuganda.net](http://www.charisuganda.net)**

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March 9–11 • Woodland Park, CO  
Special Guests • James Brown, Tony Dungy, and Billy Epperhart

#### Grace and Faith Livestream Africa

March 9 • 7:00pm EAT,

### APRIL

#### God with Us Musical and Spring Market

April 7–8 • Woodland Park, CO

#### Chicago Gospel Truth Conference

April 13–15 • Chicago, IL  
Special Guest • Bishop E.W. Jackson

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